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Your Ref.: F07A/1551

Re: Planning Register Ref.: F07A/1551 Additional Information ~ Permission at Block L Premier Business Park, Ballycoolin Road, Cappagh, Dublin 11.

Dear Sir,

Further to your letter of 27th February 2008 regarding the above, and my response of 11th March, I wish to advise as follows. The proposed materials recovery facility will require a Waste Licence from the EPA under the Waste Management Acts 1996 to 2007.

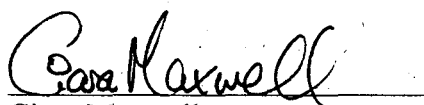
Also, in accordance with the provisions of Section 40(4) of the Waste Management Acts 1996-2007, the EPA is prohibited from granting a licence for a facility unless it is satisfied that:-

- (a) any emissions from the recovery or disposal activity in question ("the activity concerned") will not result in the contravention of any relevant standard, including any standard for an environmental medium, or any relevant emission limit value, prescribed under any other enactment,
- (b) the activity concerned, carried on in accordance with such conditions as may be attached to the licence, will not cause environmental pollution,
- (c) the best available techniques will be used to prevent or eliminate or, where that is not practicable, to limit, abate or reduce an emission from the activity concerned,
- (d) if the applicant is not a local authority, the corporation of a borough that is not a county borough, or the council of an urban district, subject to subsection (8), he or she is a fit and proper person to hold a waste licence,
- (e) the applicant has complied with any requirements under section 53.

- (f) energy will be used efficiently in the carrying on of the activity concerned,
- (g) any noise from the activity concerned will comply with, or will not result in the contravention of, any regulations under section 106 of the Act of 1992,
- (h) necessary measures will be taken to prevent accidents in the carrying on of the activity concerned and, where an accident occurs, to limit its consequences for the environment,
- (i) necessary measures will be taken upon the permanent cessation of the activity concerned (including such a cessation resulting from the abandonment of the activity) to avoid any risk of environmental pollution and return the site of the activity to a satisfactory state.

I trust this advice assists.

Yours sincerely,



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Inspector

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