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Reg. No: W0024-02

Dear Mr Doyle

I refer to your letter dated 29 January 2007 requesting a review of Waste Licence W0024-02 in accordance with Article 12 of the Waste Management (Licensing) Regulations, 2004 (S.I. 395 of 2004).

I am to advise that based on the information provided the Agency has determined that a review of Waste Licence W0024-02 is necessary and that an application for a review should be submitted to the Agency. This review is necessary in the light of changes to the following:

- (1) Schedule A – an increase in the waste acceptance tonnage from 24,000 tonnes per annum to 35,000 per annum and,
- (2) Condition 4.2 – a review of the final profile of the restoration contours of the site.

For the purposes of this review you are required to use the Agency's application form for a review of a Waste licence. The Application form is available to download from the Agency's website: <http://www.epa.ie/Licensing/WasteLicensing/ApplicationFormsGuidanceDocuments/>. Please refer to Article 12 (1) and Article 12 (3) of the Waste Management (Licensing) Regulations 2004, when completing your application. The information as requested in Article 12(1) will have to be covered, but the detail necessary will be influenced by the scope of alterations proposed in (1) and (2) above. In particular, your application is required to address:

- Details of the implications of the increased annual intake for:
 - odour and dust management
 - handling capacity (weighbridge, compactors, covering, etc)
 - leachate and gas generation and management.
 - landfill construction sequencing
- Details of the type and source of additional wastes to be accepted
- Statement as to how the applicant intends to demonstrate compliance with the waste acceptance obligations in the Landfill Directive, and also as to how the applicant intends to comply with the National Bio-Waste Strategy

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- Details of revised finished levels (post-restoration) contour maps for the amended finished profile, to include any changes to the restoration plans.
- Details of an engineering assessment of the stability implications for the new finished levels.
- Details of any implications of the new finished levels for storm-water management.
- Submit confirmation from An Bord Pleanála that a new EIS is not required for the proposed development alteration.

I should also advise that in accordance with Article 12(4) of the Waste Management (Licensing) Regulations 2004, you are required to do the following:

- publish a notice advising that an application is to be made to the Agency for a review of your existing licence in a newspaper circulating in the district in which the activity is situated. You are requested to publish this notice within the period of two weeks before the submission of your application. Please forward a copy of this publication to the Agency with the information requested above.

All information and data should be submitted in the following format one original, 2 hard copies and 2 copies on CD-ROM in electronic searchable PDF format.

I am also to advise that your application is to be accompanied by the appropriate fee (as outlined in the Waste Management (Licensing) Regulations, SI 395 of 2004).

Yours sincerely


Noeleen Keavey
Office of Licensing & Guidance