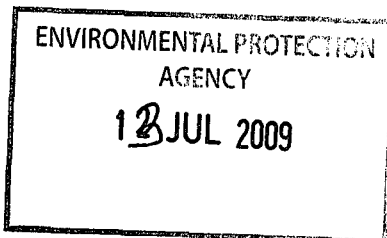


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RE: W0214-02 Ted O' Donoghue & Sons Waste Facility, Knockpoge, Waterfall, Cork.

Dear Sir or Madam,

I refer to the waste licence application by Ted O' Donoghue & Sons Ltd., submitted to Agency on 2nd October 2008 and in particular the fees of €16,000 submitted with the application.

Section 45(1) of the waste management Licensing Regulations 2004 allows for the Agency to refund up to half of any fee, '...where it is satisfied that the payment in full of the fee would not be just and reasonable having regard to the relevant circumstances of the activity'.

The licence review has applied for an increase in tonnages to 60,000 tonnes per annum. In 2007 and 2008, the company has recovered 69% and 73% respectively of the total waste received at the facility resulting in over . The recent review application is the second application to the Agency in four years and a fee of €20,000 was paid for the initial licence application in 2004. No refund was received for the 2005 application.

A request for a refund of 50% of the fee is now being sought. I would be grateful if you could clarify the position regarding the refund request at your earliest convenience.

If you have any queries or require any further information please contact me at mobile 086-3819387.

Yours sincerely,

Pat Power

On behalf of Ted O' Donoghue & Sons Ltd.