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17th December 2009

Waste Licence W0012-02

Our Ref: 1407

Re: Review of Waste Licence for Kinsale Road Landfill (Licence No W0012-03)

Dear Ms. Smith,

I refer to queries from Mr. Stuart Huskisson, Inspector, Office of Climate, Licensing & Resource Use on Condition 3.15 of our Waste Licence W0012-02, which states:

3.15 Construction and Demolition Waste Recovery Area.

"3.15.1 Unless otherwise agreed with the Agency, the licensee shall provide and maintain a construction and demolition waste recovery area. Surface water run-off shall be diverted to a silt trap and oil interceptor priorio discharge from the facility".

We wish to respond as follows:

Construction and demolition waste recovery operations have been suspended since 2006, and there are no immediate plans to re-commence operations. The area designated for construction and demolition waste recovery is located in the north-western area of the site. This area is unpayed. Drains and a silt trap and oil interceptor that served this area have been decommissioned by the construction of the playing pitch in 2008/2009 which included the installation of a leachate collection trench on the western side of the playing pitch.

The existing Waste Licence W0012-02 allows the City Council to process 300,000 tonnes of C+D material per annum, and we wish to retain that permission to cater for potential needs into the future.

While generally being located in the north-western area of the Landfill Site, the optimum location of any C+D operations in the future will depend on other factors - i.e. the area occupied by the ongoing stockpiling of subsoil and topsoil (approximately 90,000 cubic metres required) for use in the proposed Contract No. 10 Capping Contract.

The City Council therefore proposes that prior to the recommencement of any C+D waste recovery operations in the future, proposals to cater for surface run-off from the C+D area prior to discharge will be submitted to the Agency for approval. I trust this is to the satisfaction of the Agency.

I would be obliged if you would ensure that Mr. Stuart Huskisson, Inspector, Office of Climate, Licensing & Resource Use is made aware of this submission.

Yours sincerely.

Facility Manager.

Kinsale Road Landfill Site.

