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Reg No: P0696-02

Dear Mr Fay,

I refer to your application for a review of your Integrated Pollution Prevention and Control (IPPC) licence, which was received on 21 June 2010.

I am to advise that in accordance with the provisions of Section 90 of the EPA Acts 1992 to 2007, you are requested to supply the following additional information so that the Agency may complete a comprehensive assessment of the IPPC application:

- 1. Animal carcasses associated with the activity are stored across the road from the installation, clarify if the storage area should be within the site boundary. Amend the site boundary as appropriate;
- 2. Clarify the capacity of the bunded structure around the liquid feed storage tanks and the capacity of the liquid feed storage tanks. Include mitigation measures, if necessary, to increase the bunding capacity in accordance with the Agency publication 'IPPC Guidance Note on Storage and Transfer of Materials for Scheduled Activities';
- 3. Provide a description, including details of operational controls, air intake, and emissions to atmosphere, of the ventilation system employed in the two new buildings constructed at the installation (labelled as '1' and '2'). Identify how the ventilation system installed compares to BREF for the Intensive Rearing of Pigs and Poultry 2003;
- 4. Clarify the surface water management system employed on site, as described during the site visit on the 13<sup>th</sup> July 2010. Identify the proposed uses for the collected water. Clarify the management of surface water in excess of what is necessary for reuse on-site and identify how you have had regard to 'sustainable drainage systems' as identified in the submission from Monaghan County Council.
- 5. Clarify the location of the actual surface water discharge point on the northern boundary of the site and identify the associated monitoring location;

Note:

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- 6. Provide a suitable scaled map showing the route of the surface water drains (associated with discharge points SW1 and SW2) from the site to the Clontibret Stream;
- 7. Provide details of the leak detection system installed at the installation, including as constructed drawings. Identify the leak detection monitoring location and propose a monitoring routine including parameters;
- 8. Identify residential dwelling houses within 1 kilometre of the installation and assess the potential odour impact from the activity at these locations;
- 9. Describe in outline the main alternatives, if any, to the proposals contained in the application. Complete Section I.5 of the application form in relation to Environmental Considerations and BAT, in particular address points (a) to (f) of the application form;
- 10. Provide details of the well installed across the road from the installation, including depth, bore log, water yield and water quality; and
- 11. Confirm the number of animals currently housed at the installation.

In addition to the above please also provide an updated non-technical summary to reflect the information provided in your reply.

In the circumstances you should make immediate arrangements to have the required information (<u>1 signed original</u>, <u>1 hardcopy and 2 copies of all files in electronic searchable PDF format on CD-ROM</u>) submitted to the Agency without delay. Your response to this request should be directed to Dorotha Richards Administration Officer, Office of Climate, Licensing & Resource Use.

It should be noted that where there is failure to comply with the above requirements within one month of this notice, the Agency may proceed with its consideration of this application in the absence of the information requested.

Yours sincerely,

Patrick Byrne Office of Climate, Licensing & Resource Use

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