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Dear Ms McKim.

## RE: Request for Technical Amendment with respect to Schedule A of Waste Licence Register W0178 - 02

Greenstar believes that an anomaly exists in the revised Waste Licence, W0178-02, which limits waste acceptance for disposal at the facility to 97,000 tonnes per annum in the event that asbestos is not accepted at the facility in a given year. The limit for waste acceptance for disposal at the facility under the terms of original. Waste Licence, W0178-01, was 100,000 tonnes per annum.

It is Greenstar's understanding that it was not the Agency's intention to impose a reduction on the total amount of waste accepted at the facility to 97,000 tonnes where no asbestos is accepted. With this in mind and in order to retain an annual total tonnage of 100,000 tonnes of waste for disposal at this facility, Greenstar requests a technical amendment to Waste licence W0178-02 with respect to Schedule A: Waste Acceptance Table A.1.

The wording of Schedule A. Waste Acceptance Table A.1 is currently as follows:

## Table A.1 Waste Categories and Quantities for Disposal

Waste Type	Maximum (Tonnes Per Annum) <sup>Note 1:</sup>
Household	45,000
Commercial	27,500
Industrial Non-Hazardous	24,500
Asbestos Waste	3,000
TOTAL	100,000

Note 1: The tonnage of household waste, commercial waste and industrial non-hazardous waste may be altered with the prior agreement of the Agency provided that the total amount of these wastes accepted at the facility does not exceed the combined tonnage of 97,000 tonnes per annum (as specified in the total above).

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Affiliate Organisation, CIWM Member of the IWMA Corporate Affiliate of the IEI Greenstar suggests an amendment to Schedule A: Waste Acceptance Table A.1, involving the insertion of 'Note 2' to complement information already present as part of Table A.1 as follows:

## Schedule A: Waste Acceptance

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Table A.1	Waste Cat	egories and	d Quantities	for Disposal

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Note 2: Where the annual quantity of Asbestos disposed at the facility does not reach 3000 tonnes, the tonnage of household waste, commercial waste and industrial non-hazardous waste may be altered with the prior agreement of the Agency provided that the total amount of wastes accepted at the facility for disposal does not exceed the combined tonnage of 100,000 tonnes per annum (as specified in the total above).

Greenstar would be grateful if this request for technical amendment of Waste Licence Register W0178 -02 could be processed at the Agency's earliest convenience.

If you have any queries regarding this communication please do not hesitate to contact the Consent of convignor undersigned at 09096 86014

Yours sincerely

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