

***Extract from the Minutes of the 664<sup>TH</sup> Licensing Meeting of the  
Environmental Protection Agency, held on 14 June 2011  
at Headquarters, Johnstown Castle Estate, Co Wexford***

1. The 664<sup>th</sup> Licensing Meeting of the Agency was held on 14 June 2011, in EPA Headquarters, Johnstown Castle Estate, Co. Wexford.

Directors Present: M Kelly (Chair).  
M Ó Cinnéide;  
In Attendance: F Clinton – Agenda Items 2 – 4;  
B Meaney – Agenda Item 2;  
T McLoughlin & B Murray – Agenda Item 4;  
T O'Reilly acted as Minute Secretary.  
D Breen - Training

3. **Recommended Certificate of Authorisation for a Historic Landfill**

*Licensee:* **Cork County Council**

**Inniscarra**

**County Cork**

*Register of Licence No:* **H0001-01**

*Location of Facility:* **Newmarket, County Cork**

The Directors considered a recommendation from the Office of Climate, Licensing and Resource Use that the Agency approve the recommendation to grant a Certificate of Authorisation for a Historic Landfill. The following documentation was submitted: Recommended Certificate of Authorisation & the Report of the Inspector dated 8 June 2011.

A copy of the Certificate of Authorisation application was available electronically.

B Meaney gave a verbal presentation.

**Inspector's Report**

The Directors noted the Inspector's Report.

**Recommended Certificate of Authorisation**

***Glossary of Terms***

*Authorised Activities* - Amend definition to read 'Activities required by the risk assessment or by certificate of authorisation'.

*Biannually* – Clarify definition.

*Environmental damage* - Amend definition to read 'As defined in Directive 2004/35/CE of the European Parliament and of the Council of 21 April 2004 on environmental liability with regard to the prevention and remedying of environmental damage'.

Insert new definition for the term Web form as follows '*An electronic form submitted to the Agency via the internet*'.

**Conditions**

- 2.4** Amend first sentence of condition as follows '*No less than three years following grant of this Certificate of Authorisation, Cork County Council shall prepare, and update every three years, or five years if agreed with the Agency, a statement as to the measures taken ... .. the closed landfill.*'
- 3.4.2(a)** Amend condition to read 'a visual inspection of the landfill to ensure that:
- (i) the condition of the site has not deteriorated,
  - (ii) there is no evidence of an incident having occurred,
  - (iii) *there is no evidence of litter or fly tipping, and*
  - (iv) any measures required by Condition 3.1 are effective and are being maintained as required;'
- 3.4.3** Amend condition as follows '*Cork County Council shall develop ... .. gas trigger levels*'.
- 3.8** Insert new last paragraph as follows '*The site shall be maintained in a good condition at all times. Any litter or fly tipped waste shall be removed by Cork County Council and transferred to an authorised waste facility for disposal/recovery.*
- Waste skips and litter currently at the facility shall be removed within three months of the date of grant of this certificate of authorisation.*

Following discussion, the Directors decided to grant a Certificate of Authorisation, as modified, to Cork County Council, for their facility at Newmarket, County Cork, Register of Licence No H0001-01, subject to the conditions as set out in the Certificate of Authorisation.

**4. Authorisation of named individuals to sign-off Dumping at Sea documentation**

The Directors considered documentation prepared by the Office of Climate Licensing and Resource Use seeking the authorisation of Frank Clinton, Programme Manager, OCLR and Karen Creed, Senior Inspector, OCLR, to sign-off documentation and to sign on the Seal of the Agency as required, arising from decisions of the Board/Director in relation to the grant or refusal of Dumping at Sea Permits. Following discussion, the Directors noted and approved the recommendation as detailed in the Memorandum dated 30 May 2011.

**6. GMO**

**(i) Appointment of GMO Advisory Committee**

The Directors considered a Memorandum from the Office of Climate, Licensing and Resource Use relating to the appointment of the GMO Advisory Committee. It was noted that the term of office of the current Advisory Committee will end on 31 July 2011 and that it is a matter for the Agency to appoint a new committee. They considered the