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Dear Ms. Holohan,

In accordance with Article 18(1) of the Waste Management (Licensing) Regulations, Limberian Council, Planning and Development, were informed on 10th August 2009 of the receipt on 5th August 2009, of documentation relating to a waste licence application from Greenport Environmental Limited in relation to a facility/premises located at Greenport Environmental Limited Durnish, Harbour Road, Foynes, County Limerick. This application has been assigned register number W0271-01.

The application was accompanied by an Environmental Impact Statement (EIS).

An Bord Pleanala issued a decision on this proposed development on 24th June 2010, under the above reference PL number.

This licence application is currently under assessment and I am to advise you that any person may make a submission to the Agency, in writing, in respect of the application, pursuant to Article 15 of the Regulations, which provides as follows:

Extract from the Waste Management (Licensing) Regulations

Submissions to the Agency regarding applications.

- 15. For the purpose of Section 40(2)(b) of the Acts, a person may make a written submission to the Agency in relation to -
 - (i) an application, and
 - (ii) such plans, documents and other information and particulars, including an environmental impact statement, as are submitted by the applicant in accordance with Articles 12, 13, 14 and 16,

and the Agency shall not give notice of a proposed decision under Section 42(2) of the Acts before the expiry of a period of one month following the date of a relevant –

- (a) acknowledgement in accordance with Article 14(2)(a), or
- (b) notice in accordance with Article 16(2)(a), or
- (c) acknowledgement in accordance with Article 16(4),

whichever such date is the later.

The application and associated correspondence, including the acknowledgements and notifications referred to in Article 15, are available to view on the Agency Website at www.epa.ie/licensing.

The Agency invites you to make a submission in relation to the EIS and the environmental impact of the operation of the Activity within <u>two weeks</u> of the date of this letter.

The Agency will have regard to any submission made in accordance with the Regulations and will write, in due course, to each person who makes such a submission, to advise them of the Agency's proposed decision on the application.

In accordance with Article 22(1)(b) of the Waste Management (Licensing) Regulations, 2004, the Agency will write to you to inform you of its proposed decision on the application in due course.

Please note that there is no requirement for you to acknowledge receipt of this letter.

Yours sincerely,

Stuart Huskisson

Inspector
Office of Climate, Licensing & Resource Use