

***Extract from the Minutes of the 677<sup>th</sup> Licensing Meeting of the  
Environmental Protection Agency, held on 25 October 2011  
at Headquarters, Johnstown Castle Estate, Co Wexford***

1. The 677<sup>th</sup> Licensing Meeting of the Agency was held on 25 October 2011, in EPA Headquarters, Johnstown Castle Estate, Co. Wexford and via Video Conference link to EPA Regional Inspectorate, McCumiskey House, Richview, Clonskeagh Road, Dublin 14.

Directors Present: D Lynott (Chair) (Video Conference).  
M Crowe; L Burke; M Ó Cinnéide

3. **Waste Water Discharge Licence Application**

(i) *Licensee:* **Cork County Council Northern Division  
Annabella  
Mallow  
County Cork**

*Agglomeration:* **Fermoy Town & Environs**

*Register of Licence No:* **D0058-01**

The Directors considered a recommendation from the Office of Climate, Licensing and Resource Use that the Agency approve the recommended decision to grant a Waste Water Discharge Licence. The following documentation was submitted: Recommended Licence and summary report of the Inspector dated 19 October 2011.

A copy of the licence application was available electronically.

K Creed gave a verbal presentation.

**Inspector's Report**

The Directors noted the Inspector's Report and agreed that the Inspector should clarify the existence of a potential discharge point in the centre of town with the Office of Environmental Assessment and also any potential link this may have with the reason for the classification of 'Poor Status' of the Blackwater, as referenced in Page 10 of the Inspector's Report.

**Recommended Licence**

***Introduction***

Amend 3<sup>rd</sup> Paragraph to read as follows; '... .. Programme (WSIP) in April 2005 ... .. (P.E.). *Tertiary treatment is provided which comprises of an activated ... ..*'  
Delete last sentence of the 4<sup>th</sup> Paragraph, starting 'It is reported ... ..'

***Conditions***

**4.18** Amend to read as follows '... .. in relation to endocrine disruptors *to the National Parks and Wildlife Services.*'

**4.18** Delete 2<sup>nd</sup> sentence starting '*The licensee shall ... ..*'

**4.20** Amend to read '... .. Catchment, *implement measures applicable to the Wastewater Discharges* and submit a measures report ... ..'

***Schedules***

**Schedule A: Discharges**

**A.1 Primary Waste Water Discharge**

Delete Emission Limit Value (ELV) for Total Nitrogen.

**Schedule B: Monitoring**

**B.1 Monitoring of Primary Waste Water Discharge**

Delete monitoring for Total Nitrogen (as N).

**B.4 Ambient Monitoring - Receiving Water Monitoring**

Delete ambient monitoring for Total Nitrogen (as N).

**Schedule C: Specified Improvement Programme**

**C.3 Improvement Programme for Storm Water Overflows**

Include a completion date for specified improvements.

**C Annual Environmental Report**

Amend heading to read '*Schedule D: Annual Environmental Report*'

Delete 8<sup>th</sup> line in content table 'Report on monitoring programme proposed in relation to endocrine disruptors'.

Following discussion, the Directors approved the recommended decision to grant a licence, as modified, to Cork County Council Northern Division for the waste water discharge relating to the Fermoy Town & Environs agglomeration, Register of Licence No D0058-01, subject to clarification of issues raised at the meeting.