

## Licensing Action - Reg 25(c)(ii) Notice Sent - 1 for Kilronan Cottages Licence (A0522-01)

**Licence:** Kilronan Cottages (A0522-01)

**Status Reason:** Open

**Issued On:** 27/02/2013

**Due Date:** 27/03/2013

**Action Type:** Licensing Action

**Status History Action:** Reg 25(c)(ii) Notice Sent

Dear Applicant,

I refer to your application for a waste water discharge certificate of authorisation relating to agglomeration name **Kilronan Cottages**.

Having examined the documentation submitted, I am to advise that the Agency is of the view that the documentation does not comply with Regulation 24 of the Waste Water Discharge (Authorisation) Regulations 2007, as amended.

The certificate of authorisation application completed was V.2, an updated version of the application form (V.3) was published on the EPA website on 14th May 2012.

You are therefore requested, in accordance with Regulation 25(c)(ii) to supply the information detailed below:

### REGULATION 24 COMPLIANCE REQUIREMENTS



## Question

Undertake a screening for Appropriate Assessment and state whether the activity, individually or in combination with other plans or projects is likely to have a significant effect on a European Site(s), in view of best scientific knowledge and the conservation objectives of the site(s).

Where it cannot be excluded, on the basis of objective scientific information, following screening for Appropriate Assessment, that an activity, either individually or in combination with other plans or projects, will have a significant effect on a European Site, the applicant shall provide a Natura Impact Statement, as defined in Regulation 2(1) of the European Communities (Birds and Natural Habitats) Regulations (S.I. No. 477 of 2011). Where based on screening it is considered that an Appropriate Assessment is not required, a reasoned response should be provided.

You are furthermore advised to refer to the EPA's guidance 'Note on Appropriate Assessments for the purposes of Waste Water Discharge (Authorisation) Regulations, 2007 (S.I. No. 684 of 2007), as amended', which is available at [www.epa.ie/downloads/forms/lic/wwda/](http://www.epa.ie/downloads/forms/lic/wwda/) and to refer to the document '*Appropriate Assessment of Plans and Projects in Ireland – Guidance for Planning Authorities*', issued in 2009 by the Department of the Environment, Heritage and Local Government, and revised in 2010. This document is available at: [http://www.npws.ie/publications/archive/NPWS\\_2009\\_AA\\_Guidance.pdf](http://www.npws.ie/publications/archive/NPWS_2009_AA_Guidance.pdf).

## Associated Documents

## Question

Where applicable, provide a copy of any screening for Appropriate Assessment report and Natura Impact Statement (NIS) that was prepared for consideration by any planning/public authority as defined in Regulation 2(1) of the European Communities (Birds and Natural Habitats) Regulations 2011 (S.I. No. 477 of 2011) in relation to the waste water works which is the subject of this application. Where a determination that an Appropriate Assessment is required has been made by any planning/public authority in relation to the waste water works, a copy of that determination and any screening report and NIS, and any supplemental information furnished in relation to any such report or statement, which has been provided to the planning/public authority for the purposes of the Appropriate Assessment, shall be provided.

## Associated Documents

## Question

*It is stated in the 'non-technical summary' that 'Kilronan Cottages WWTP is due to be upgraded. Issues with Land Acquisition had delayed these proposed works, but a solution to these issues is eminent. Contracts are being exchanged to acquire the necessary landtake, a WWTP design has been completed, and once the land acquisition has been completed, planning permission can be submitted.*

Please provide an update in relation to (i) land acquisition, (ii) details of the WWTP design including proposed discharge, and (iii) planning application.

## Associated Documents

## Question

Update the application, particularly sections D (Discharges to the Aquatic environment) and F (Existing Environment & Impact of the Discharges) to reflect the proposed discharge associated with upgrading of the WWTP.

## Associated Documents

Your reply to this notice should include a revised non-technical summary which reflects the information you supply in compliance with the notice, insofar as that information impinges on the non-technical summary.

In the case where any drawings already submitted are subject to revision consequent on this request, a revised drawing should be prepared in each case. It is not sufficient to annotate the original drawing with a textual correction. Where such revised drawings are submitted, provide a list of drawing titles, drawing numbers and revision status, which correlates the revised drawings with the superseded versions.

Please supply the information by **27/03/2013**. Please note that all maps/drawings should not exceed A3 in size.

Please direct any queries that you may have in relation to the above to the Inspector Patrick Byrne or to OCLR Admin Team A.

Yours sincerely

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