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Poses outh any other use. Ballynacarrick Landfill Site (W0024-03) Request for a Technical Amendment to Condition 3.14.2

Dear Dr. Henry,

I refer to previous correspondence (most recently DCC letter of 9/9/9), and to our conversation with Mr Kealan Reynolds of the Agency at our meeting on 12/11/9, regarding the requirement under Condition 3.14.2 to fully enclose all leachate structures on the site.

As previously outlined, the Council originally objected to the inclusion of this condition in the Licence at PD stage. This objection was based on the fact that there is not, and never has been, an odour issue on the site, and that to enclose the leachate tanks would be costly and cause technical problems operationally. Licensing's Technical Committee advised the Council at that stage that this matter should be referred to the OEE which has the power to set aside this requirement.

Further to our discussion on this matter with Mr Reynolds, the Council is requesting that the requirement to enclose the leachate tanks be removed from the Licence by means of a technical amendment.

Yours sincerely,

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Executive Environmental Officer

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