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AMENDMENT A  
TO  
INTEGRATED POLLUTION PREVENTION &  
CONTROL LICENCE

<b>Licence Register Number:</b>	P0710-03
<b>Licensee:</b>	Mr Paul Tully
<b>Location of Installation:</b>	Moate Pig Unit, Ballinakill, Portlaoise, County Laois.

## ***Reasons for the Decision***

The Environmental Protection Agency has examined the terms of the Integrated Pollution Prevention and Control Licence (IPPC) Reg. No. P0710-03 granted on 22/12/2011. This amendment facilitates the operation of the licence and the management of manure/slurry (organic fertiliser) in accordance with good agricultural practices and compliance with statutory obligations.

The Environmental Protection Agency is satisfied, on the basis of the information available, that subject to compliance with the conditions of Integrated Pollution Prevention and Control (IPPC) licence Reg. No. P0710-03 granted on the 22/12/2011, as well as any amendments noted herein, any emissions from the activity will comply with and not contravene any of the requirements of Section 83(5) of the Environmental Protection Agency Acts, 1992 to 2012.

## ***Technical Amendment***

In pursuance of the powers conferred on it by Section 96(1)(c) of the Environmental Protection Agency Acts, 1992 to 2012, the Agency amends the licence, granted to Mr Paul Tully, Moate Pig Unit, Ballinakill, Portlaoise, County Laois, for an installation located at Moate Pig Unit, Ballinakill, Portlaoise, County Laois.

This technical amendment is limited to the following Glossary of Terms, Schedules and Conditions:

# Amendments

## Glossary of Terms:

*Amend Glossary of Terms to include the following:*

<b>Customer Farmers</b>	Farmers who may use/recover organic fertiliser generated at the installation as fertiliser on their lands.
<b>Organic fertiliser</b>	Any fertiliser other than that manufactured by industrial process and includes livestock manure, dungstead manure, farmyard manure, slurry, soiled water, silage effluent, non-farm organic substances such as sewage sludge, industrial by-products and sludges and residues from fish farms.

*Amend Glossary of Terms to delete the following:*

<b>Buffer zone</b>	Area excluded from landspreading of slurry/manure.
<b>Customer Farmers</b>	Farmers who may use/recover slurry/manure generated at the installation as fertiliser on their lands.
<b>Landspreading</b>	The application of slurry/manure to farmland.
<b>NMP</b>	Nutrient Management Plan.

## Conditions:

*Amend Condition 2.4.2 of the licence, to read as follows:*

- 2.4.2 Personnel performing specifically assigned tasks shall be qualified on the basis of appropriate education, training and/or experience, as required.

*Delete the following Condition:*

- 8.2 The transport of slurry/manure via the public road shall be carried out in sealed containers such that no spillage can occur.

*Amend Condition 8.11 and sub-conditions of the licence, to read as follows:*

**8.11 Organic Fertiliser Movements**

- 8.11.1 The licensee shall calculate and record the quantity of organic fertiliser stored on-site on the 1<sup>st</sup> January annually. The licensee shall maintain the record on-site and the record shall be available for inspection by authorised persons, including Agency personnel.
- 8.11.2 The licensee shall record all organic fertiliser movements off-site in an 'organic fertiliser register' which shall be available for inspection on-site by authorised persons.
- 8.11.3 The licensee shall maintain an 'organic fertiliser register' to the satisfaction of the Agency, showing, as a minimum, the name, herd number of the customer farmer receiving organic fertiliser, quantity of organic fertiliser, date of movement off-site, and details in accordance with Article 23 of S.I. No. 610 of 2010 European Communities (Good Agricultural Practice for Protection of Waters) Regulations 2010 and as otherwise specified by the Agency or Department of Agriculture, Food and the Marine.
- 8.11.4 The licensee shall, on or before the 31<sup>st</sup> December annually, submit to the Department of Agriculture, Food and the Marine the completed records of movement of organic fertiliser from the installation (referred to as 'Record 3' by the Department of Agriculture, Food and the Marine). The record shall be in accordance with Article 23 of S.I. No. 610 of 2010 European Communities (Good Agricultural Practice for Protection of Waters) Regulations 2010 and as otherwise specified by the Agency or Department of Agriculture, Food and the Marine. A copy of the record submitted shall be maintained on site for inspection.
- 8.11.5 The licensee shall calculate and record by the 31<sup>st</sup> of January annually:
- (i) the quantity of organic fertiliser generated by the animals housed on-site in the previous calendar year;
  - (ii) the total quantity of organic fertiliser moved off site and recorded in the organic fertiliser register and 'Record 3' as submitted to the Department of Agriculture, Food and the Marine in the previous calendar year;
  - (iii) the opening quantity of organic fertiliser (1<sup>st</sup> January of the previous year); and closing quantity of organic fertiliser (1<sup>st</sup> January of the current year).

These details shall be submitted to the Agency as part of the AER.

- 8.11.6 The licensee shall maintain a record, at least every six months, of the number of animals housed at the installation. These records shall be available for inspection by authorised persons at all reasonable times.

*Delete the following Condition:*

- 11.9 The licensee shall maintain an 'organic fertiliser register' to the satisfaction of the Agency, showing, as a minimum, details in accordance with Article 23 of S.I. No. 610 of 2010 European Communities (Good Agricultural Practice for Protection of Waters) Regulations 2010 and as otherwise specified by the Agency or Department of Agriculture, Food and the Marine in accordance with the Regulations.

**Schedules:**

*Delete the following Schedule:*

- Schedule C.6.2 Land used for Landspreading

*Amend the following Schedule:*

- Schedule D: Annual Environmental Report

In *Annual Environmental Report Content*, replace '*Slurry/manure register*' with the following:

Quantity of organic fertiliser generated during the AER reporting year.

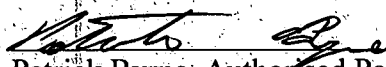
Quantity of organic fertiliser moved off-site and recorded during the AER reporting year.

Opening and closing quantity of organic fertiliser at the installation.

This technical amendment shall be cited as Amendment A to the licence.

**Sealed by the seal of the Agency on this the 22 day of April, 2013**

**PRESENT when the seal of the Agency  
was affixed hereto:**

  
Patrick Byrne, Authorised Person

