

Licensing Reply - Reg 18(3)(b) Reply Received - 3 for Carrigtwohill and Environs Licence (D0044-01)

Licence: Carrigtwohill and Environs (D0044-01)

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Dear Applicant

I refer to your application for a waste water discharge licence relating to an agglomeration named Carrigtwohill and Environs.

Having examined the documentation submitted, I am to advise that the Agency is of the view that the documentation does not comply with Regulation 16 of the Waste Water Discharge (Authorisation) Regulations 2007, as amended.

You are therefore requested, in accordance with Regulation 18(3)(b) of the regulations, to take the steps to supply the information detailed below.

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REGULATION 16 COMPLIANCE REQUIREMENTS

Question

Please confirm whether the stormwater holding tanks proposed for the Old Cobh Road and IDA pumping stations will have overflow mechanisms, and if so, please provide detail on the proposed discharge arrangements for these overflows.

Associated Documents

Response	See attached report in relation to the RI001445 and RI001446. In relation to the Appropriate Assessment, Cork County Council has now commissioned its consulting engineer to undertake a screening exercise to determine whether an Appropriate Assessment is required. If it is deemed to be necessary, this further work will be undertaken and submitted to the Environmental Licensing Programme office of the EPA as soon as it becomes available. We are confident that any relevant issues arising will already have been addressed through the Environmental Impact Assessment process already completed on the project. Regards, Gillian O'Sullivan, Cork Co. Council.
Associated Documents	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Carrigtwohill D0044 01Licencing Action.pdf
Question	Please confirm the proposed initial capacity of the upgraded WWTP, and whether any additional increased capacity is planned based on potential future requirements.
Associated Documents	
Response	See response to RI001445. Regards, Gillian O'Sullivan, Cork Co. Council.
Associated Documents	

The Agency has determined that due to the likelihood of a significant effect on a European Site, an Appropriate Assessment is required and notice of that determination is hereby given in accordance with Regulation 42(8)(a) of the European Communities (Birds and Natural Habitats) Regulations 2011 (S.I. No. 477 of 2011). You are thereby required to submit a Natura Impact Statement, as defined in Regulation 2(1) of the aforesaid Regulations.

You are furthermore advised to refer to the EPA's guidance *Note on Appropriate Assessments for the purposes of the Waste Water Discharge (Authorisation) Regulations 2007 (S.I. No. 684 of 2007), as amended*, which is available at <http://www.epa.ie/pubs/forms/lic/wwda/wastewaterdischarge/licensingappropriateassessmentguidance notes.html> 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.

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 02/11/2013. Please note that any maps/drawings should not exceed A3 in size.

Please direct any queries that you may have in relation to the above to the Inspector Sean O'Donoghue or to OCLR Admin Team E.

Yours sincerely

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