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Reg. No: W0140-04

Dear Mr Naughton,

As stated in our correspondence of the 7th March 2014 the Agency is now required to determine licence application Register No. W0140-04 under the new Part IV of the Environmental Protection Agency Act 1992, as amended. A valid application for a licence must now contain the information prescribed in Regulation 9 of the EPA (Industrial Emissions)(Licensing) Regulations, 2013.

In accordance with section 83(2A) of the EPA Acts 1992 to 2013, the Agency has assessed the information submitted and considers that the application must be made subject to an environmental impact assessment (EIA).

Therefore in accordance with the provisions of Section 87(11)(b) of the EPA Acts 1992 to 2013, you are requested to submit an environmental impact statement (EIS) within 2 months of the date of this letter.

Please be advised that if you <u>fail to submit</u> an EIS within the period specified above, or any additional period as may be specified by the Agency, the application for a licence shall be deemed to be withdrawn.

Therefore you should make immediate arrangements to have the required information (1 signed original, 2 hardcopies and 16 copies of all files in electronic searchable PDF format on CD-ROM) submitted to the Agency without delay. Your response to this request should be directed to «Admin» Administration Officer, Office of Climate, Licensing & Resource Use.

The EIS should be prepared in light of the Agency's guidance documents on EIS, which are available at the following link: http://www.epa.ie/downloads/advice/ea/guidelines/.

Note:

Any *telephone enquiries* in relation to the above should be directed to Ms Caroline Murphy at the number above.

All written communications and replies should be directed to Ms Noeleen Keavey, Office of Climate, Licensing & Resource Use, EPA, PO Box 3000, Johnstown Castle Estate, County Wexford.



In addition to the above, please be advised that in accordance with section 87(11)(e), the date of receipt by the Agency of the EIS will be deemed to be the new licence application date. Therefore, you are required to erect a site notice, publish a newspaper notice and notify the planning authority in accordance with Articles 4, 5, 6 and 8 of the EPA (Industrial Emissions)(Licensing) Regulations 2013. A copy of the relevant notices must be submitted with the EIS as per Article 9(4)(a), 9(4)(b) and 9(4)(c) of the Regulations.

Yours sincerely,

Caroline Murphy

Office of Climate, Licensing & Resource Use