

Re: <u>Notice in accordance with Regulation 18(3)(b) of the Waste Water Discharge</u> (Authorisation) Regulations 2007, as amended.

02/04/2015

Dear Mr. Ken Conroy,

I refer to your application for a waste water discharge licence relating to agglomeration named Courtmacsherry and Timoleague, Reg. No. D0294-01.

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 required, in accordance with Regulation 18(3)(b) of the Regulations, to take steps to supply the information detailed below:

## **REGULATION 16 COMPLIANCE REQUIREMENTS**

Provide a revised drawing, clearly detailing the boundary of the agglomeration to which this application relates. Please note that the agglomeration boundary shall include all areas serviced by the sewer network and shall include the waste water treatment plant. All areas of the agglomeration shall be within the agglomeration boundary, and the two areas of the agglomeration are to be connected by a continuous boundary line.

A screening for Appropriate Assessment was undertaken on 02/04/2015 and the Agency determined that an Appropriate Assessment of the activity is required.

You are thereby required to submit 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).

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), amended', which is available as at http://www.epa.ie/pubs/forms/lic/wwda/wastewaterdischargelicensingappropriateassessmen tquidancenotes.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 05/05/2015. 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 Máire Buckley at 0214 875540 or to OCLR Admin Team D.

Yours sincerely,

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