Appendix 1

Appropriate Assessment Screening Determination

In accordance with Regulation 42(1) of the European Communities (Birds and Natural Habitats) Regulations 2011 and 2013, the Agency has undertaken Appropriate Assessment screening to assess, in view of best scientific knowledge and the conservation objectives of the site, if the activity, individually or in combination with other plans or projects is likely to have a significant effect on a European Site(s). In this context, particular attention was paid to the European Site(s) listed below.

Consent Details:

Reg. No.	W0287-01	
Applicant Name:	Ormonde Organics Limited	
Type of Consent Sought:	IE Licence	
Location of Installation:	Killowen, Portlaw, County Waterford	
Licence/Permit Application Date:	24 th September 2012	
European Site(s) assessed:	Lower River Suir SAC (Site Code: 002137)	
Date of AA Screening Determination:	8 th June 2015	

AA Screening Determination:

That the activity is not directly connected with or necessary to the management of the site as a European site and that it cannot be excluded, on the basis of objective information, that the activity, individually or in combination with other plans or projects will have a significant effect on a European site and accordingly determined that an Appropriate Assessment of the activity is required, and for this reason determined to require the applicant to submit a Natura Impact Statement.

The following reasons contributed to the determination that the Appropriate Assessment of the activity is required:

 Surface water runoff from the site discharges into the Lower River Suir SAC, which is located approximately 370m from the site. There is a risk that the surface water run off may be polluted by waste with a high biological oxygen demand (BOD), which may have a significant effect on the conservation objectives of this European Site.

Ref.	Title	Version
ELP/AP/IE/J/223	Compliance with Regulation 42 of the European Communities (Birds and Natural Habitats) Regulations, 2011	1.1

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Date: 8th June 2015