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**Reg No: P0986-01**

Dear Mr Sweeney,

I refer to your application for a licence.

I am to advise in accordance with Regulation 10(2)(b)(ii) of the EPA (Industrial Emissions) (Licensing) Regulations 2013, that the following information is required in support of the application under Regulation 9 of the Regulations:

A screening for Appropriate Assessment was undertaken on 3<sup>rd</sup> June 2016 and the Agency determined that an Appropriate Assessment of the proposed 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 2011 as amended.

You are furthermore advised 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/sites/default/files/publications/pdf/NPWS\\_2009\\_AA\\_Guidance.pdf](http://www.npws.ie/sites/default/files/publications/pdf/NPWS_2009_AA_Guidance.pdf)

In addition to the above please also provide an updated non-technical summary to reflect the information provided in your reply.

The requested information should be submitted to the Agency by the **20<sup>th</sup> June 2016**, in order to allow the Agency to process and determine your application.

In the circumstances, you should make arrangements to have the required documents (1 signed original and 1 copy in hardcopy format, and 2 copies of all files in electronic searchable PDF format on CD-ROM) submitted to the Agency. Your response to this request should be directed to Noeleen Keavey, Administration Officer, Office Environmental Sustainability.

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

All *written communications and replies* should be directed to Noeleen Keavey, Office of Environmental Sustainability, EPA, PO Box 3000, Johnstown Castle Estate, County Wexford.



It should be noted that the eight-week period within which the Agency is to decide the proposed determination will commence on the day on which this notice has been complied with. If you have any further queries please contact Ms Caroline Murphy at the number above.

Yours sincerely,

  
Caroline Murphy  
**Environmental Licensing Programme**  
**Office of Environmental Sustainability**

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