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Reg No W0165-02

Dear Mr Fingleton

I refer to your technical amendment request dated 31 August 2018 in respect of your existing licence.

The EPA has considered your request for an amendment to your existing licence.

I am to advise that the EPA has decided not to amend your existing licence, Reg No W0165-02. Should you wish to proceed with the proposed changes, please apply for a review of your licence by completing the appropriate application form on the Agency's website [www.epa.ie](http://www.epa.ie).

If you have any further queries, please contact the undersigned at Telephone No 053 9160600.


Yours sincerely



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<b>Environmental Licensing Programme Memorandum</b>	
<b>To:</b>	Eimear Cotter, Director
<b>From:</b>	Suzanne Wylde, Inspector, Environmental Licensing Programme
<b>Date:</b>	8 November 2018
<b>RE:</b>	Request for a Technical Amendment to an Industrial Emissions Licence Register Number W0165-02, held by Ballynagran Landfill Limited.

### Introduction

A waste licence (Register Number W0165-01) was first granted to Greenstar Recycling Holdings Limited on 5<sup>th</sup> September 2003. A revised licence, for the purposes of meeting the requirements of the Landfill Directive, was issued on 23<sup>rd</sup> March 2010. The licence was amended on 2<sup>nd</sup> August 2011, (Technical Amendment A), 15<sup>th</sup> January 2013 (Technical Amendment B) and 15<sup>th</sup> November 2016 (Technical Amendment C). A technical amendment was issued by the Agency on 20<sup>th</sup> December 2013 giving effect to the requirements of the Industrial Emissions Directive (Directive 2010/75/EU). The licence was transferred to Ballynagran Landfill Limited on 4<sup>th</sup> March 2014.

### Request for Technical Amendment

Ballynagran Landfill Limited have requested a technical amendment to their licence to reduce the red line boundary of the licensed site. Lands were compulsorily purchased during the construction of the new M11 motorway and associated roads. The technical amendment request seeks to ensure that the lands impacted by the compulsory purchase order be removed from the licensed boundary.

### Consultation with the Office of Environmental Enforcement (OEE)

I have consulted with the OEE in relation to this technical amendment request. The OEE carried out an exit audit on 30<sup>th</sup> October 2018. During the audit it transpired that the proposed area to be removed from the licence has changed. The OEE recommended that the current request for technical amendment be refused on the grounds that, there is insufficient information available to the Agency to make an informed decision.

### Recommendation

I recommend that the requested amendment to reduce the site boundary be refused due to an absence of essential information required to make an informed decision.

Signed



Suzanne Wylde  
Environmental Licensing Programme