Appropriate Assessment Screening Determination

In accordance with Regulation 42(1) of the European Communities (Birds and Natural Habitats) Regulations, 2011, S.I. No. 477 of 2011, 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. In this context, particular attention was paid to the European Site listed below.

Licence/Permit Application Details:

Reg. No.	H0004-01
Applicant Name:	Tipperary County Council
Location of Facility:	Carrownreddy, County Tipperary
Certificate of Authorisation	28/11/2011
Application Date:	
European Site assessed:	Lower River Suir SAC (site code 002137)
Date of AA Screening Determination:	01/11/2018

AA Screening Determination:

That the activity is not directly connected with or necessary to the management of any 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 any European site and accordingly determined that an Appropriate Assessment of the activity is required.

The reason for this determination is as follows:

- The closed landfill site is connected hydrologically to the Lower River Suir SAC (002137).
- Leachate monitoring results showed multiple parameters exceeded the EPA
 Interim Guideline Values (IGVs) for Groundwater.
- Elevated levels of ammonia, iron, manganese and chromium were recorded in the surface water monitoring results.

Date: 01 / 11 / 2018

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