

EIA Screening Determination

In accordance with Section 40(2A) of the Waste Management Act 1996, as amended, the Agency has, as part of its consideration of the Waste licence application referenced below, determined whether the application should be made subject to an Environmental Impact Assessment (EIA) as respects the matters that come within the functions of the Agency. The determination, and the reasons for the determination, are detailed below.

Licence Application Details:

Reg No.	W0303-01
Applicant Name:	Ballymun Recycling Centre
Location of facility:	St. Margaret's Road, Ballymun, Dublin 11
Licence Application Date:	19 th June 2019
Date of EIA Screening Determination:	13 th August 2020

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EIA, as respects the matters that come within the functions of the Agency, is not required for the activity to which the above licence application relates.

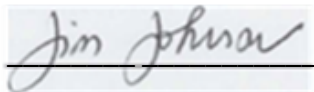
The activity is below the specified threshold of project type 11(b) in Part 2 of Schedule 5 of the Planning and Development Regulations 2001 as amended: *Installations for the disposal of waste with an annual intake greater than 25,000 tonnes not included in Part 1 of this Schedule.*

Having considered the information provided by the applicant, which satisfies the requirements of Annex II A of the EIA Directive, and the mitigation measures proposed by the applicant, it has been determined that the activity is not likely to give rise to significant effects on the environment by virtue of its nature, size and location.

This determination has been made having regard to the following:

- The scale of the activity; permission is sought to accept up to 5,000 tonnes of waste per annum which is significantly below the EIA threshold of 25,000 tonnes for waste disposal/recovery (Part 2 of Schedule 5 of the Planning and Development Regulations 2001, as amended).
- The potential risk to the environment from an incident at the site is low. The civic amenity facility will receive household recyclable waste for onward transfer and recovery – there will be no waste processing operations on site.

- The activity will not generate significant dust, noise or odour emissions.
- There will be no discharges to surface waters – storm water will discharge to a storm water drain via a silt trap and fuel/oil bypass separator.
- There are no environmentally sensitive areas in the vicinity likely to be affected.
- The cumulative effect with other existing and/or approved projects will not be significant.

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Jim Johnson

Date: 13th August 2020

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