

HealthBeacon Limited

Waste Licence Application

Application ID: LA006978

**Attachment-4-3-4 Waste Hierarchy
Consideration**

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Currently the sharps bins in question are collected and dispatched to a third part waste treatment facility. The Proposed waste activity will involve the redirection of the sharps bins themselves from the aforementioned recovery process and the direct reuse of these sharps bins in the course of the applicants business. Thus, the Proposed Waste Activity results in the reuse of a material previously deemed a waste. All Sharps Waste arriving on-site will be temporarily stored on-site before being dispatched to a third-party Waste Facility for recovery in adherence with the principles of the Waste Hierarchy. Considering the above, the proposed waste activity is considered to adhere to the Principles of the Waste Hierarchy as defined in the Waste Framework Directive, and as transposed in national legislation. The proposed waste activity conforms to the principals, policies and objectives relating to the promotion of the circular economy, resource efficiency and the reduction of waste to landfill defined the Eastern-Midlands Regional Waste Management Plan (WMP) 2015-2021, Regional Planning Guidelines for the Greater Dublin Area 2010-2022, the national Waste Management Act and the European Union Waste Framework Directive.

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