<u>Electronic Copy</u> Mr. Richard Shattock On behalf of Healthbeacon Limited



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Reg. No.: W0308-01

Article 14(2)(b)(ii) of the Waste Management (Licensing) Regulations 2004 as amended, in respect of a licence application from Healthbeacon Limited for a facility located at Healthbeacon Limited, Unit 18, Naas Road Business Park, Muirfield Drive, Naas Road, Dublin 12, D12 PF63

Dear Sir,

I refer to the application for a licence received by the Environmental Protection Agency ('the Agency') on 17 November 2020.

Having examined the documentation submitted, I am to advise that the Agency is of the view that the documentation does not comply with the above mentioned legislation. You are therefore requested, in accordance with the regulations, to supply the information detailed below.

ARTICLE 12 COMPLIANCE REQUIREMENTS

- 1. The application refers to the proposed storage of waste at the facility. Confirm all classes of activity proposed at the facility, in accordance with the Third and Fourth Schedule of the *Waste Management Act 1996 as amended*. Also, confirm the principal activity proposed at the facility.
- 2. The grid reference provided in the newspaper notice for the facility appears to be incorrect. Confirm the national grid reference for the facility (Irish National Grid format, 6 digits Easting, 6 digits Northing).
- 3. The newspaper notice provided with the application states that "The waste being used sharps may be described as in EWC (European Waste Catalogue) under codes 180101 & 180103", however, only the list of waste (LoW) code 18 01 03* is proposed for acceptance in the application. Confirm the LoW codes for all proposed wastes to be accepted at the facility. A proposed quantity (tonnes per annum) for each waste type should also be provided.
- 4. The notice issued to the planning authority, as provided in attachment 6-7-4 of the application, does not meet the requirements of article 9 of the *Waste Management*

(Licensing) Regulations 2004 as amended (hereafter referred to as 'the Regulations'). Submit a copy of a revised notice given to the relevant planning authority which fully complies with article 9 of the Regulations, in accordance with article 12(4)(c) of the Regulations.

- 5. Provide a detailed layout drawing of the facility, which indicates at minimum the waste storage and quarantine areas, wash area and the waste water storage area.
- 6. Provide details of the type of washing unit proposed for the facility. Provide an estimate of the quantity of wastewater to be generated from the washing unit.
- 7. Describe the process by which the wastewater IBC(s) will be delivered to and removed from the facility.
- 8. Confirm how wastewater from the onsite canteen and toilets will be managed at the facility.
- 9. The application states that the facility will be heated by a gas boiler. Provide details of the proposed annual gas usage at the facility.
- 10. Confirm the number of employees to be employed at the facility.
- 11. The application does not address the potential of fire risk at the facility. Provide details of the potential for fire risk at the facility as well as the measures to prevent the risk of fire and the measures for the minimisation of any accidental emissions as a result thereof.

In addition to the above, please also provide an updated non-technical summary (Application Form, and EIS where applicable) to reflect the information provided in your reply, insofar as that information impinges on the non-technical summary.

In the case where any drawings already submitted are subject to revision consequent on this request, a revised drawing should be prepared in each case. It is not sufficient to annotate the original drawing with a textual correction. Where such revised drawings are submitted, provide a list of drawing titles, drawing numbers and revision status, which correlates the revised drawings with the superseded versions.

The requested information should be submitted to the EPA within **4 calendar weeks** of the date of this notice in order to allow the EPA to process and determine your application.

Your response to this request is to be submitted via EDEN. Guidance on how to use this portal is available on the EPA website at

http://www.epa.ie/pubs/forms/lic/industrial%20emissions/licenceapplicationformguidance. html.

Please direct any queries to <u>licensing@epa.ie</u>.

Yours faithfully,

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