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TECHNICAL AMENDMENT C
TO
INDUSTRIAL EMISSIONS LICENCE

Licence Register Number:	W0020-02
Licensee:	Monaghan County Council
Location of Installation:	Scotch Corner Landfill Letterbane Annyalla Castleblaney County Monaghan

Reasons for the Decision

The Environmental Protection Agency is satisfied, on the basis of the information available, that subject to compliance with the conditions of Licence Reg. No. W0020-02 granted on 24 March 2010, (and amended on 15 January 2013, 7 January 2014, and 26 March 2018) as well as any amendments noted herein, any emissions from the activity will comply with and not contravene any of the requirements of Section 83(5) of the Environmental Protection Agency Act 1992 as amended.

A screening for Appropriate Assessment was undertaken to assess, in view of best scientific knowledge and the conservation objectives of the site, if the activities, individually or in combination with other plans or projects are likely to have a significant effect on any European Site. In this context, particular attention was paid to the European Sites at Dundalk Bay SPA (004026) and Dundalk Bay SAC (000455).

The activities are not directly connected with or necessary to the management of any European Site and the Agency considered, for the reasons set out below, that it can be excluded, on the basis of objective information, that the activities, 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 activities was not required.

This determination is based on the technical amendment request which relates to altering the site boundary and does not involve any discharges from the installation to surface water, ground waters, land or air and therefore will not impact the Natura 2000 sites referred to above.

Technical Amendment

In pursuance of the powers conferred on it by Section 96(1)(c) of the Environmental Protection Agency Act 1992 as amended, the Agency amends the licence, granted to Monaghan County Council for an installation located at Letterbane, Annyalla, Castleblaney, County Monaghan.

Henceforth, the licence shall be read in conjunction with a Section 82A(11) Amendment issued on 7 January 2014 and Amendment A issued on 15 January 2013, Amendment B issued on 26 March 2018 and the amendments set out below.

This Technical Amendment is limited to the following Conditions:

Amendments

Amend Condition 1.2 of the existing licence to read as follows:

1.2 For the purposes of this licence, the installation authorised by this licence shall mean all of the following:

- The area of land outlined in red on drawing sheet titled ‘W0020 IE LICENCE BOUNDARY’ Drawing No. P2048-0100-0002 (Rev. B) as received by the Agency on 28th September 2020.
- The underground area indicated in red on drawing sheet titled ‘SITE CROSS SECTIONS’ Drawing No. P2048-0100-0004 (Rev. B) as received by the Agency on 10th March 2021.
- All surface and underground areas in the control of the licensee, including all underground waste, and lands occupied by process related groundwater pumping and monitoring stations as per this licence.

Any reference in this licence to “installation” shall mean the area thus outlined in red. The licensed activity shall be carried on only within the area outlined.

Remove Condition 1.6.2 of the existing licence.

1.6.2 **Materials Recovery Facility (MRF) and Civic Waste Facility**

Waste shall only be accepted at the Materials Recovery Facility and Civic Waste Facility between the hours of 9:00 a.m. and 5:30 p.m. Monday to Sunday inclusive.

Remove Condition 3.18 of the existing licence.

3.18 Materials Recovery Facility and Civic Waste Facility

- 3.18.1 The licensee shall maintain the Materials Recovery Facility infrastructure referred to in Attachment D of the application received under licence Reg. No. W0020-01.
- 3.18.2 The licensee shall provide and maintain the receptacles at the Materials Recovery Facility as shown in Drawing No. MRF110 "Materials Recovery Site Layout" of the application received under licence Reg. No. W0020-01, unless otherwise agreed by the Agency.
- 3.18.3 Surface water from hardstanding areas of the Materials Recovery Facility and Civic Waste Facility shall pass through a silt trap and a suitable oil interceptor prior to discharge to surface water bodies. The drainage system at the MRF shall include a valve and diversion line to allow for surface water discharges from here to be diverted to the lined leachate lagoon in the event of a spillage. The oil interceptor shall be in accordance with the draft European Standard prEn 858 (installations for the separation of light liquids) or replacement standard.
- 3.18.4 A containment kerb shall be maintained around the compactor for unsegregated domestic waste. Drainage from this area shall be collected and disposed of as per Condition 6.6.

Remove Condition 5.10 of the existing licence.

5.10 Materials Recovery Facility and Civic Waste Facility

- 5.10.1 The Materials Recovery Facility shall only be used for the collection, storage or processing of source separated recyclable wastes, other than domestic waste from private vehicles. The facility shall not be used as a transfer station for the disposal of unsorted waste by commercial waste disposal contractors or local authority waste collection vehicles.
- 5.10.2 All waste accepted at the Civic Waste Facility shall be either:
- a) into a skip;
 - b) into the hopper of the compactor for disposal;
 - c) into a receptacle for recovery,
 - d) into a roofed storage area, or
 - e) in the case where inspection is required, into a designated inspection area.

- 5.10.3 The licensee shall assign and clearly label each container at the Civic Waste Facility to indicate their contents.
- 5.10.4 All unsorted domestic waste accepted at the Civic Waste Facility for disposal shall be compacted within twelve hours. Such waste shall be removed for disposal within seventy two hours.
- 5.10.5 At the end of the working day the floor of the hopper and the compactor used for accepting unsorted domestic waste shall be cleared of waste.
- 5.10.6 All processing of waste at the Materials Recovery Facility (including sorting, baling and shredding) shall be done inside the building.
- 5.10.7 Unless otherwise agreed by the Agency, only the following wastes shall be accepted at the Civic Waste Facility; domestic waste, paper, newspaper, cardboard, glass, timber, rubble, aluminium and steel cans, plastic, textiles/clothes, footwear, white goods, scrap metal, electrical goods (other than printers), waste oil, used cooking oil, fluorescent tubes, batteries, household paint, household chemicals, tyres and green waste.

Remove Condition 10.8 of the existing licence.

- 10.8 A written record shall be kept of the inspections, desludging, cleaning, maintenance and performance of the silt trap and oil interceptor referred to in *Condition 3.18: Materials Recovery Facility and Civic Waste Facility* of this licence.

This Technical Amendment shall be cited as Amendment C to the licence.

Sealed by the Seal of the Agency on this the 8th day of September, 2021

PRESENT when the seal of the Agency was affixed hereto



Ray Cullinane, Authorised Person

