

Waste Water Discharge Authorisation (WWDA) Examination Report

Part 1

Inspector's Name	Christine Murphy
Date of examination	28 th June 2021
Agglomeration Name	Mitchelstown
Authorisation Reg No	D0202-01
Receiving Waterbody Name and WFD Code	FUNSHION_030 - IE_SW_18F050310 GRADOGE_010 – IE_SW_18G130200
Final Decision Issue Date	5 th July 2010

Part 2

An examination has been carried of the WWDA and relevant information. The following action is recommended:

	Tick one
No Further Action	
Amend the WWDA	
Review the WWDA	X

The conclusion of the examination is as follows:

	Tick one
It is considered that the WWDA satisfies the environmental requirements of the WWDA 2007 regulations as amended.	
It is considered that the WWDA does not satisfy the environmental requirements of the WWDA 2007 regulations as amended.	X

The reasons for this conclusion and recommendation are summarised as follows:

1. The licence was granted over 3 years ago.
2. There has been a material change, which could not reasonably have been foreseen when the licence was granted, in relation to the receiving waters, namely, the deterioration of the status of the Funshion and Gradoqe rivers from 'moderate' to 'poor'.
3. Planning application is due to be submitted in 2022 for proposed development works associated with the licence.
4. Non-compliance with:
 - Storm water overflows do not comply with the criteria outlined in the DoEHLG "Procedures and Criteria in relation to Storm Water Overflows, 1995".
 - The primary discharge does not comply with the emission limit values in Schedule A: Discharges and Discharge Monitoring.