



## Notice for Public Consultation on Appropriate Assessment

### under Regulation 42 of the European Communities (Birds and Natural Habitats) Regulations 2011 as amended

The EPA on 11/01/2022 issued an Appropriate Assessment Screening Determination to Ormonde Organics Limited for an installation located at Killowen, Portlaw, Waterford, X91Y9VW regarding an Industrial Emissions licence review application, Register Number W0287-02.

<b>Classes and Nature of Activity in accordance with the EPA Act 1992 as amended</b>			
<b>Class of Activity</b>	<b>Main Activity</b>	<b>EPA Act Sector (where applicable)</b>	<b>Class of Activity Description</b>
11.4 (b)(i)	Yes	Waste	Recovery, or a mix of recovery and disposal, of non-hazardous waste with a capacity exceeding 75 tonnes per day involving one or more of the following activities, (other than activities to which the Urban Waste Water Treatment Regulations 2001 (S.I. No. 254 of 2001) apply): biological treatment; when the only waste treatment activity carried out is anaerobic digestion, the capacity threshold for this activity shall be 100 tonnes per day.

Ormonde Organics Ltd operate a biological treatment plant comprising anaerobic digestion and composting. The licence review application proposes to increase the annual waste intake into the installation from 40,000 tonnes per annum to 80,000 tonnes per annum.

The EPA has carried out an Appropriate Assessment Screening and has determined that an Appropriate Assessment is required for the activity. The applicant has submitted a Natura Impact Statement.

The documents relating to the licence application, including the Appropriate Assessment documentation can be viewed on the EPA website at [www.epa.ie](http://www.epa.ie) or at EPA Headquarters, P.O. Box 3000, Johnstown Castle Estate, Co. Wexford (Tel: Lo Call 0818 33 55 99 or 053 9160600).

Submissions or observations on Appropriate Assessment concerning a licence application can be made to the Agency. Such submissions may be made for at least 30 days after publication of the following information on the Agency's website:

- This Notice for Public Consultation on Appropriate Assessment

- Natura Impact Statement received from applicant
- Additional information submitted on the Natura Impact Statement

Information on making submissions or observations and on the public participation process is available on the Agency's website.

The EPA shall publish its proposed determination (grant/refusal) on its website, and before making a final determination, the EPA shall consider any objections / submissions on objections. The final determination will also be published on the website.