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Reg No H0192-01

Re: Historic Landfill Certificate of Authorisation Application by Galway County Council in respect of a closed landfill at Tuam Historic Landfill, Rinkippeen, Tuam, County Galway.

Dear Mr Ryder

We refer to the above referenced application for a certificate of authorisation in relation to the Tuam Historic Landfill.

We are to advise you in accordance with Regulation 42(8)(a) of the European Communities (Birds and Natural Habitats) Regulations 2011 as amended, that the Agency has made a determination that an Appropriate Assessment is required as the project, individually or in combination with other plans or projects, is likely to have a significant effect on European sites. Notification of this determination is attached for your reference.

In carrying out an Appropriate Assessment the Agency shall take into account each of the matters specified in Regulation 42(12) of the European Communities (Birds and Habitats) Regulations 2011 as amended, where applicable.

The application and associated correspondence, including acknowledgements, notifications and general correspondence are available to view on the Agency website at www.epa.ie. You are advised to refer to the website for information on the progress of the application.

Please direct any further correspondence in relation to this matter to Historic Landfill Applications, Circular Economy Programme, Circular Economy Regulation, Environmental Protection Agency, Headquarters, P.O. Box 3000, Johnstown Castle Estate, County Wexford, quoting the Register Number H0192-01.

Yours sincerely

Circular Economy Programme
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