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17/10/2022

Reg. No. W0232-02- Reg 14(2) Notice (LACT00011743)

Dear Sir/ Madam,

I refer to the letter of the 12/10/2022 issued by the Agency, in respect of a license review application from Dublin Waste to Energy Limited, seeking to extend the appropriate period by which the Agency must issue a proposed determination to 27 February 2023.

As the Agency noted in its letter the original application was issued in June 2019. In February of this year, the Agency requested an NIS which was supplied by DWTE in May. A further request was made for additional information in July which DWTE responded to at the end of August.

This request for additional time to make the decision comes as a surprise and disappointment to DWTE. However, DWTE agrees to this timeline reluctantly.

In acceding to the Agency's timeframe DWTE asks that if the Agency has any send on any further additional information request (which we appreciate is unlikely in circumstances where two separate requests for information have already issued) it sends it on immediately to ensure that the given date for a proposed determination is actual date by which a decision is made. In addition, the Agency should note that the 27th of February 2023 will be the date given to all our stakeholders and shareholders as to when the proposed determination will be made, and their expectation will be that it is issued on or before that date.

We look forward to a decision earlier than 27th of February if possible and no later than that date, where an earlier decision date is not possible.

Yours Sincerely,

Mark Heffernan,
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