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Ms. Julie McMahon

On behalf of Donegal County Council



14/02/2023

Reg. No.: W0024-05

Article 14(2)(b)(ii) of the Waste Management (Licensing) Regulations, in respect of a licence review from Donegal County Council for a facility located at Ballynacarrick Landfill Site, Ballynacarrick, Ballintra, Donegal, F94 AY99

Dear Sir or Madam,

I refer to the application for a licence received by the EPA on 23 December 2022.

Having examined the documentation submitted, I am to advise you that the Agency is of the view that the documentation does not comply with the above mentioned legislation. You are therefore requested, in accordance with the regulations, to supply the information detailed below.

The Agency notes the licence application documentation is seeking to install a new constructed wetland to treat landfill leachate. It is noted that the planning department of Donegal County Council consider the provision of a constructed wetland to be exempted from planning legislation.

Please submit to the Agency clarification and evidence of planning exemption under the current licence for the installation of a constructed wetland to treat landfill leachate, or in its place, confirmation from the planning authority that additional planning permission is not required.

The requested information should be submitted to the Agency within three months of the date of this notice, in order to allow the Agency to process and determine your application.

In addition to the above, please also provide an updated non-technical summary (Application Form, and EIAR where applicable) to reflect the information provided in your reply, insofar as that information impinges on the non-technical summary.

In the case where any drawings already submitted are subject to revision consequent on this request, a revised drawing should be prepared in each case. It is not sufficient to annotate the original drawing with a textual correction. Where such revised drawings are submitted, provide a list of drawing titles, drawing numbers and revision status, which correlates the revised drawings with the superseded versions.

Your response to this request is to be submitted via EDEN. Guidance on how to use this portal is available on the EPA website at [IE Licence application guidance | Environmental Protection Agency \(epa.ie\)](#)

Please direct any queries to licensing@epa.ie.

Yours faithfully,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'Niamh O'Carroll', written in a cursive style.

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