

Extract from the Minutes of the 1138th Licensing Meeting of the Agency was held on 17 October 2023, in EPA Headquarters, Johnstown Castle Estate, County Wexford.

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Directors Present: L Burke (Chair);
G O' Leary, E Cotter, T Ryan & M Lehane (via Video Conference).

4. Application for a Review of an Industrial Emissions (IE) Licence

Licensee: **DDS Brady Farms Limited
Carrickboy Farms
Ballyglassin
Edgeworthstown
County Longford**
Register of Licence No: **P0408-02**

The Directors considered a recommendation from the Office of Environmental Sustainability that the Agency approve the Recommended Determination to grant a review of the Industrial Emissions Licence. The following documentation was submitted: Recommended Determination, a Report of the Inspector dated 12 October 2023; and fifteen third-party submissions.

A copy of the licence application was available electronically.

Brian Coffey, Niamh O' Donoghue and Marie O' Connor gave verbal presentations.

Inspector's Report

The Directors noted the Inspector's Report.

Recommended Determination

The Directors noted the Recommended Determination and approved the recommendations with the following amendments:

Introduction

Amend the wording on the fifth paragraph of the introduction to read: 'The activity is above the IE licensing threshold of 2,000 places for production pigs and 750 places for sows specified under Annex 1 of the Industrial Emissions Directive and the First Schedule of the EPA Act 1992 as amended. *The review was initiated on 18 December 2014 to bring the existing licence, P0408-01, into compliance with current legislation and the Commission Implementing Decision (CID) of 15/02/2017 establishing Best Available Techniques (BAT) Conclusions, under Directive 2010/75/EU of the European Parliament and of the Council for the intensive rearing of poultry or pigs.*'

Reason for Decision:

In the interest of providing clarity.

Following discussion, the Directors decided to grant a review of the licence to DDS Brady Farms Limited, for their installation at Carrickboy Farms, Ballyglassin,

Edgeworthstown, County Longford, Register of Licence No. P0408-02, subject to the conditions as set out in the licence.