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Mr. Jonathan Derham PO Box 3000 Office of Licensing and Guidance **Environmental Protection Agency** Johnstown Castle Estate Wexford.

10th August 2007

Ref: Ballyguyroe-let003-100807

Re: Waste Licence Reg. No. W0157-01 Ballyguyroe Residual Landfill extension to duration of waste licence

Dear Mr. Derham.

Waste Licence Reg. No. W0157-01 was granted by the Agency on the 17th November 2004 for the Ballyguyroe Residual Landfill. Planning permission has not yet been granted for the proposed development and hence works have not commenced at the site. A decision by Gork County Council (26th March 2007) to refuse planning permission for the proposed development was appealed by Greenstar to An Bord Pleanala on the 19th April 2007. An Bord Pleanala has confirmed that an Oral Hearing will be convened in respect of this application but a date has not yet been set for the Hearing, and thus an outcome to the case is unlikely for some time.

In relation to the limit of duration of a waste licence where an activity has not substantially commenced within a period of three years from date on which the licence was granted. Section 49 of the Waste Management Act, 1996 as amended, requires that we seek an extension to the duration of the licence.

Planning delays have deferred the commencement of the activities to which the waste licence relates, and Greenstar therefore requests that the duration of the waste licence be extended beyond the expiry date of the three year period commenced on the licence grant date.

Permission to postpone monitoring and related submissions was previously granted by the Agency because of planning delays.

Should you require any further information please feel free to contact the under signed in writing or at (01) 2947926.

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