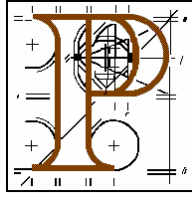


An Bord Pleanála



LOCAL GOVERNMENT (WATER POLLUTION) ACTS 1977 TO 2007

Dublin City

Register Reference Number: PCLS/02/06A

APPEAL by Allied Irish Bank care of Awn Consulting of The Tecpro Building, Clonshaugh Business and Technology Park, Dublin in relation to the granting, on the 24th day of May, 2010, by Dublin City Council, of a revised licence under section 7, as amended, of the Local Government (Water Pollution) Acts 1977 to 2007 for the discharge of trade effluent from a food service establishment at Allied Irish Bank, Ballsbridge, Dublin to a foul sewer in Serpentine Avenue:

DECISION: In exercise of the powers conferred on it by section 8 of the Local Government (Water Pollution) Act, 1977, as substituted by section 6 of the Local Government (Water Pollution) (Amendment) Act, 1990, An Bord Pleanála, based on the Reasons and Considerations set out below, hereby refuses the said appeal and directs the said local authority to grant the said revised licence in accordance with the conditions specified in its notification of Grant of Discharge Licence dated the 24th day of May, 2010 for the reasons set out in the Reasons and Considerations hereto.

REASONS AND CONSIDERATIONS

Having regard to:

- (a) the information contained in the documentation submitted with the revised licence application and the appeal, including the emission limit values/concentrations for Suspended Solids, Biochemical Oxygen Demand and Chemical Oxygen Demand set out in the original Licence, Number PCLS/002/06, and
- (b) the monitoring data provided by Dublin City Council in respect of the above emissions at the premises,

it is considered that the revised licence conditions are necessary for the protection of the fabric and operation of the public foul sewer network and treatment plant and would comply with the objectives of Council Directive 91/271/EEC including the protection of the environment from the adverse effects of urban wastewater discharges.

MATTERS CONSIDERED

In making its decision, the Board had regard to those matters to which, by virtue of the Water Pollution Acts and Regulations made thereunder, it was required to have regard. Such matters included any submissions and observations received by it in accordance with statutory provisions.

**Member of An Bord Pleanála
duly authorised to authenticate
the seal of the Board.**

Dated this day of 2010.