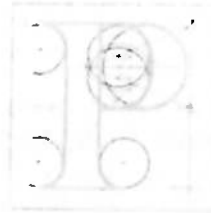


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**Date:** 08 October 2025

**Re:** Proposed development of a resource recovery centre (including waste-to-energy facility)  
in Ringaskiddy, County Cork.

Dear Sir / Madam,

An Coimisiún Pleanála has received your recent submission in relation to the above mentioned proposed development and will take it into consideration in its determination of the matter.

The Commission will revert to you in due course with regard to the matter.

Please be advised that copies of all submissions / observations received in relation to the application will be made available for public inspection at the offices of the local authority and at the offices of An Coimisiún Pleanála when they have been processed by the Commission.

More detailed information in relation to strategic infrastructure development can be viewed on the Commission's website: [www.pleanala.ie](http://www.pleanala.ie).

If you have any queries in the meantime please contact the undersigned officer of the Commission. Please quote the above mentioned An Coimisiún Pleanála reference number in any correspondence or telephone contact with the Commission.

Yours faithfully,



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A Chara,

Please find attached observation letter in respect of Planning Application ACP ref: PA04.318802.

Application by Indaver NV t/a Indaver Ireland, which includes a proposed development of a resource recovery centre (including waste-to-energy facility).

Location: Ringaskiddy, County Cork.

Kind Regards,  
Damien.

**Damien Tyrrell**

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6 October 2025

**ACP ref. PA04.318802**

Dear Sir/Madam,

I write with regard to the above planning application by Indaver NV t/a Indaver Ireland, which includes a proposed development of a resource recovery centre (including waste-to-energy facility)

Location: Ringaskiddy, County Cork.

Following consultations with our Air Corps colleagues at Casement Aerodrome, the Department of Defence would like to make the following observations:

The 75m stack should be fitted with aviation obstacle lighting with the following specifications:

- (1) **Type C, Medium Intensity Fixed Red aviation obstacle light** fixed to the highest point on the stack and visible from all angles of azimuth.
- (2) The obstacle lighting may be incandescent or of a type visible to Night Vision equipment and must emit light at the near Infra-Red (IR) range of the electromagnetic spectrum, specifically at or near 850 nanometres (nm) of wavelength. Light intensity to be of similar value to that emitted in the visible spectrum of light.
- (3) Medium intensity lights shall have a minimum output of 2,000 candela.
- (4) Obstacle lights shall be visible in all directions of azimuth and to be illuminated H24/7.
- (5) Lighting must be in good working order. Any unserviceable lamp fittings should be replaced as soon as possible after failure, and in any event within 24 hours. During this time, Military Air Traffic Services should be contacted so that flight crews can be notified.



In the event negative impacts on future military radar systems, the owner will engage with the Department of Defence and will provide suitable mitigations as soon as practical

Any Irish Air Corps (IAC) requirements are separate to Irish Aviation Authority (IAA) requirements.

Yours faithfully,

*Sent via email*

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