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1 Introduction

1.1 Introduction

This Construction Environmental Management Plan (CEMP) summarises the overall environmental management strategy that will be adopted and implemented during the construction phase of the Site Sustainability Project at the Indaver, Carranstown Waste to Energy (WtE) site, hereafter referred to as the proposed development.

The purpose of the CEMP is to demonstrate how the proposed construction works can be delivered in a logical, sensible and safe sequence with the incorporation of specific environmental control measures relevant to construction works of this nature. The CEMP sets out the mechanism by which environmental protection is to be achieved during the construction phase of the proposed development. Implementation of the CEMP will ensure disruption and nuisance are kept to a minimum.

The CEMP has been prepared in accordance with industry best practice guidance including:

- TII's Guidelines for the Creation, Implementation and Maintenance of an Environmental Operating Plan;
- Construction Industry Research and Information Association (CIRIA) in the UK, Environmental Good Practice on Site Guide, 4th Edition (CIRIA 2015).

The CEMP has been prepared in conjunction with the Environmental Impact Assessment Report (EIAR) and Natura Impact Statement (NIS), having regard to consultations with a range of specialists and environmental organisations. It is noted that this CEMP must be read in conjunction with the construction details already provided in the EIAR and NIS. Further details on the information included in the CEMP are presented below:

- General Project Details;
- Contact Sheets;
- Reference Documents;
- Organisational Structure/Duties and Responsibilities;
- Environmental Commitments and Environmental Control Measures;
- Site Specific Method Statements/Management Plans;
 - Construction Waste Management Plan;
 - Construction Stage Health & Safety Plan;
 - Incident Response Plan;
 - Construction Traffic Management Plan;
- Environmental Awareness Training Strategy;

- Communications Strategy;
- Inspections, Auditing and Monitoring Compliance Strategy;
- Final Handover.

The CEMP is a working document and will be finalised by the Contractor following appointment and prior to commencing works on site. As stated previously, this CEMP must be read in conjunction with the construction details already provided in the EIAR and NIS. All of the content provided in this CEMP will be implemented in full by the Contractor and the finalisation of the CEMP by the Contractor will not affect the robustness and adequacy of the information presented here and relied upon in the EIAR and NIS.

Some information (such as project details) has already been provided in the EIAR and is not repeated in this version of the CEMP. However, it will be included in the CEMP which is finalised by the Contractor.

In addition to the items listed above, the following information will also be provided by the Contractor when finalising the CEMP:

- Planning Consent - All relevant planning conditions will be included in the CEMP.
- Industrial Emissions Licence Consent - any relevant licensing conditions will be included in the CEMP.
- Comprehensively incorporate all Environmental Commitments set out in the Contract documents (with the Contractor), those presented in the EIAR and NIS. The CEMP will include the complete suite of Environmental Commitments together with the relative specification, evidence and responsibilities of how each commitment will be met. The environmental mitigation measures, referred to as the Environmental Commitments in this document, are included within **Chapter 19 Summary of Mitigation Measures**, of the EIAR and those presented in the NIS.
- Relevant Environmental Performance Criteria prescribed in environmental legislation and in Contract documents.
- Register of all applicable legislation, including relevant standards, Codes of Practice and Guidelines.
- Description of the Environmental Management System of the proposed development, which shall be devised according to the criteria of ISO 14001:2004 – Environmental Management Systems. The CEMP will be complemented by General Procedures, Work Procedures and Operations Instructions. These documents will be in place within the site administration offices and appropriate site locations during works.

The CEMP is a dynamic document and the Contractor will ensure that it remains up to date for the duration of the construction period. The CEMP may need to be altered during the lifecycle of the construction period to take account of monitoring results, legislative changes, outcomes of third-party consultations etc. Additional appendices may be added to the CEMP to accommodate monitoring results, permits etc.

It should also be noted that there will be other project documentation required to meet other regulatory requirements e.g. Health & Safety and Quality. These other documents will serve to inform and complement the CEMP (such as the construction stage Health and Safety Plan and the Quality Plan) and within the overall project structure these documents are maintained on an equal footing.

In order to help ensure the successful development, implementation and maintenance of the CEMP, the Contractor will be obliged to appoint a Site Environmental Manager (SEM). The SEM will possess sufficient training, experience and knowledge appropriate to the nature of the task to be undertaken, a Level Eight qualification recognised by the Higher Education and Training Awards Council (HETAC), or a University equivalent, or other qualifications acceptable to Indaver, in Environmental Science or Environmental Management, or other subjects acceptable to Indaver. Further details on the roles and responsibilities of the SEM are provided throughout this document.

The Contractor will be required to submit the CEMP to Indaver after receiving notice of Commencement of Works from Indaver and at least two weeks prior to the start of works on site. Indaver will carry out an audit of the CEMP at sufficient intervals to ensure that the main Contractor is complying with the environmental provisions of the Contract.

1.2 Contract Procurement

A decision on the exact contractual arrangements for the construction of the proposed development has not yet been made. The Contractor for the works will be contractually bound within the contract by any conditions arising from the site constraints, the commitments and mitigation measures set out in the EIAR and NIS, Indaver's requirements for the proposed development, planning conditions and or other Statutory Regulations. Prior to the commencement of construction, the CEMP will be finalised by the Contractor, approved by Indaver as detailed above in Section 1.2.

2 General Project Details

Information on the proposed development will be included in this section. This information will assist those without detailed knowledge of the proposed development in quickly familiarising themselves with the key elements of the proposed development and will also assist those who have a need to examine, review or audit the CEMP.

Details will include a description of the key elements of the proposed development, the location of construction compounds, construction phasing, duration and drawings of the proposed development.

This information has already been provided in the EIAR and is not repeated in this version of the CEMP but it will be included in the CEMP which is finalised by the Contractor in conjunction with Indaver.

3 Contact Sheets

Contact sheets of relevant personnel are required primarily in order to ensure the efficient reporting of environmental incidents. It is important that these contact details are frequently reviewed to ensure that they are up to date.

Contact details may be broken down into three categories: Contractor contacts, Indaver contacts and third party contacts. Contact details will include the organisation, position title, name, mobile phone number and email address of relevant personnel.

The contact sheets will be included in the CEMP finalised by the Contractor.

4 Reference Documents

This section is included in the CEMP to provide an overview of the reference documents used in its development. Reference documents are divided into two categories: Project Specific Reference documentation and General Reference and Guidance documentation.

Project Specific Reference documents have been written specifically with the proposed development in mind and will be referenced in determining the Environmental Commitments and Requirements which must be adhered to during construction. These documents include the EIAR and NIS and in particular the summary of mitigation measures proposed for the construction phase. Other project specific reference documents will be included in this section when the Contractor finalises the CEMP. These will include reference to documents such as the Contract Documents, ABP's Order (containing all relevant planning conditions), any relevant EPA IE Licence conditions, the Schedule of Environmental Commitments, Health and Safety Plan (for construction stage Health and Safety), Quality Plan and any other relevant project specific reference documentation.

General Reference and Guidance documentation of relevance indicate best practice approaches to addressing significant environmental impacts during construction. Cognisance of these documents will be taken in finalising the methods documented in this CEMP by which construction will be managed to prevent, reduce or compensate for potential adverse significant impacts on the environment. The list provided below is non-exhaustive and will be finalised by the Contractor as some of the standards/documents may be revised in the interim or additional new documents added at that stage.

The main guidelines used in preparing the CEMP are:

- Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) Draft Guidelines on the Information to be contained in Environmental Impact Assessment Reports (EPA, 2017).
- Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) Draft Revised Guidelines on Information to be contained in Environmental Impact Statements (EPA, 2015).
- Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) Draft Advice Notes for Preparing Environmental Impact Statements (EPA, 2015).
- Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) Guidelines on the information to be contained in Environmental Impact Statements (EPA, 2002).
- Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) Advice Notes on current practice in the preparation of EISs (EPA 2003).

Waste Related

- Best Practice Guidelines on the Preparation of Waste Management Plans for Construction and Demolition Projects (Department of Environment, Heritage and Local Government, July 2006).

Earthworks

- TII (2013) Notes for Guidance on the Specification for Road Works Series NG600 – Earthworks (including NG601 Classification, Definition and Uses of Earthworks Materials and Table 6/1: Acceptable Earthworks Materials: Classification and Compaction Requirements); and
- ICE (2015) Earthworks, A Guide (2nd Edition).

Silt and Pollution Control Related

- CIRIA (C793) The SUDS Manual;
- CIRIA (C624) Development and flood risk – guidance for the construction industry;
- CIRIA (C532) Control of water pollution from construction sites, guidance for consultants and contractors (2001);
- CIRIA (C741) Environmental good practice on site guide (fourth edition) (2015).

5 Organisational Structure/Duties and Responsibilities

Information on the Contractor organisational structure/duties and responsibilities will be provided by the Contractor in this section. The Contractor's organogram will illustrate the Contractor's reporting and hierarchal structure.

The Contractor will update the CEMP to include this organogram and it will be referred to in devising the duties and responsibilities of Contractor site personnel under the CEMP. The inclusion of the organogram will also allow those auditing and reviewing the CEMP to quickly assess the extent and shape of the Contractor's project organisation and the duties and responsibilities of the various personnel.

The Contractor will update the CEMP to include the duties and responsibilities of the Contractor's personnel. The assignment and communication of duties and responsibilities to individual named members will help ensure the successful implementation of the CEMP. The Project Team, including the Project Manager, Construction Manager, Indaver contract management team and Site Environmental Manager (SEM) will liaise during the finalisation of the CEMP to assign individual duties and responsibilities bearing in mind the overall organisational structure, the nature of the Environmental Commitments and Requirements and the proposed development specific characteristics.

The role of SEM is vital in ensuring that the CEMP is finalised, implemented and maintained. The Contractor will appoint the SEM. As detailed previously in Section 1, the SEM will possess sufficient training, experience, qualifications and knowledge appropriate to the nature of the task to be undertaken. The SEM will be responsible for co-ordinating the day to day management of environmental impacts during the construction phase and for assisting and advising the Contractor's Project Team when programming construction activities and devising methodologies, taking cognisance of EIAR requirements. The SEM will ensure that works are constructed in accordance with the relevant Environmental Commitments and Requirements and that such compliance is adequately recorded and documented.

The SEM will be support the Indaver contract management team in third- party consultations and in public and internal communications on environmental issues. The SEM will also be responsible for performing site inspections/audits and maintaining records for inspection. In addition, the SEM will deal with licensing and permit issues, keep up to date with relevant environmental best practice and legislative changes, engage in staff training, manage responses to environmental incidents and engage environmental Contractors as and when required.

The SEM will procure the advice and services of specialised qualified and accredited environmental professionals as and when required in order to help fulfil the SEM's duties and responsibilities under the CEMP.

6 Environmental Commitments

The CEMP is a working document and will be finalised by the Contractor following appointment and prior to commencing works on site. As stated previously, this CEMP must be read in conjunction with the construction details already provided in the EIAR.

Some information has already been provided in the EIAR and is not repeated in this version of the CEMP. However, it will be included in the CEMP which is finalised by the Contractor. The Environmental Commitments are included within **Chapter 19 Summary of Mitigation Measures** of the EIAR. Refer also to the NIS.

The Contractor will update this section to include the comprehensive suite of Environmental Commitments. As discussed previously, these Environmental Commitments may emanate from, inter alia:

- The Contract documents;
- Environmental Commitments presented in **Chapter 19** of the EIAR and any additional commitments from the NIS ;
- Any EPA licence conditions relating to the construction phase;
- The planning conditions imposed by An Bord Pleanála (ABP) in their consent for the proposed development; and
- Any plans, procedures or commitments submitted and agreed with Meath County Council as required by the ABP conditions.

The Site Environmental Manager (SEM) will create a summary table in which each Environmental Commitment is noted. In order to understand the rationale for such commitment, the relevant document, legislation etc. will be referenced. Once the Environmental Commitments have been entered, the SEM will input the method by which it is proposed to ensure that the Environmental Commitment is met (e.g. a reference to the relevant site-specific method statement or environmental control measure).

As noted previously, the CEMP is a working document and Environmental Commitments may alter, whilst still achieving the same level of environmental protection, over the course of construction. Therefore, the SEM will update the Environmental Commitments listing as appropriate.

In addition, the methods by which it is proposed to ensure that the Environmental Commitments are met may alter during the course of construction for example due to a result of changes in relevant environmental legislation. Therefore, the SEM will update the method statements as appropriate.

The updated method statements will deliver the Environmental Commitments and will not affect the robustness and adequacy of the information presented here and relied upon in the EIAR and NIS.

The Environmental Commitments table will be regularly updated during construction to indicate a reference to the documentary proof that each Environmental Commitment has been met. This may be in the form of a signed

off site-specific Method Statement, consultation certificate, results of monitoring, etc., as appropriate. The documentary proof will be attached to the CEMP.

Environmental control measures are discrete actions or procedures that will assist in meeting the Environmental Commitments. They are typically set out in discrete sheets according to environmental impact type (e.g. impacts on surface water quality etc).

The Environmental Control Measure Sheets will include the specific information already documented in the EIAR and will also list any requirements such as pre-construction site walkover, compliance with relevant licences, approvals and legislation. It will also list the responsibilities of the individual Contractor personnel and will indicate the relevant reference documentation. It will be the responsibility of the SEM to ensure that all Environmental Control Measure Sheets are sufficient to meet the Environmental Commitments. The SEM will be responsible for bringing the Environmental Control Measure Sheets to the attention of the Contractor and the Indaver construction management team on site. The Construction Manager will be responsible for bringing the relevant Environmental Control Measure Sheet to the attention of all site personnel for review and sign-off.

The SEM will formalise the Environmental Control Measure Sheets and will provide to the Contractor for inclusion in the CEMP.

For some Environmental Commitments such as construction waste management & construction traffic management, it is necessary to incorporate them into a site-specific plan. The following plans are detailed in this CEMP:

- Construction Waste Management Plan;
- Incident Response Plan;
- Construction Traffic Management Plan.

7 Construction Waste Management

7.1 Introduction

Construction waste management plan (CWMP) has been set out to ensure that waste arising during the construction of the proposed development on site will be minimised and, managed and disposed of in a way that ensures compliance with the provisions of the Waste Management Acts, 1996- 2011 and associated Regulations (1996-2011) to ensure that optimum levels of reduction, re-use and recycling are achieved.

The plan provided below is consistent with mitigation measures as contained within the EIAR and NIS and the current schedule of environmental commitments. This CWMP is a working document and will be finalised by the Contractor following appointment and prior to commencing works on site. All of the content provided in this Plan will be delivered in full by the Contractor and its finalisation by the Contractor will not affect the robustness and adequacy of the information presented here and relied upon in the EIAR and NIS.

The CWMP has been prepared in accordance with the following document:

- Best Practice Guidelines on the Preparation of Waste Management Plans for Construction and Demolition Projects (Department of Environment, Heritage and Local Government, July 2006).

The *Best Practice Guidelines on the Preparation of Waste Management Plans for Construction and Demolition Projects* note that Project CWMP should be prepared for Civil Engineering projects producing in excess of 500m³ of waste, excluding site materials used for development works on the site. At planning stage, it is estimated that the proposed development project will produce in excess of 500m³ and therefore to comply with the guidelines, a CWMP has been prepared.

This document is based on a high-level estimate of waste generation and management from the proposed development at planning stage.

The principal objective of sustainable resource and waste management is to use material resources more efficiently, to re-use, recycle and recover material and reduce the amount of waste requiring final disposal. To achieve resource efficiency there is a need to move from a traditional linear economy to a circular economy (see **Figure 1**).

However, where residual waste is generated, it should be dealt with in a way that follows the waste hierarchy (see **Figure 2**) and actively contributes to the economic, social and environmental goals of sustainable development.

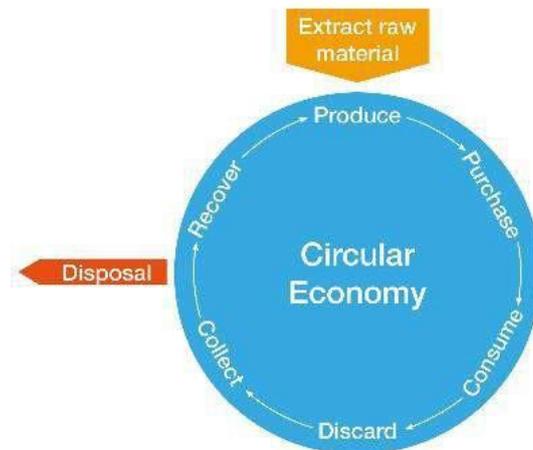


Figure 1: Circular Economy

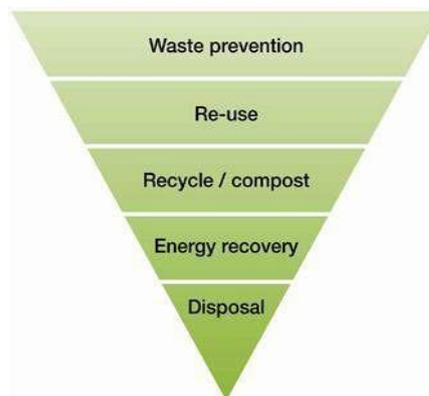


Figure 2: Waste Hierarchy | Source EPA

The Contractor will finalise the CWMP for the proposed development following appointment which will meet the requirements of the *Best Practice Guidelines for the Preparation of Waste Management Plans for Construction and Demolition Projects* (Department of Environment, Heritage & Local Government. 2006) and implement this C&D WMP.

7.2 Sources of Construction & Demolition Waste

7.2.1 Construction Waste Generation

The information provided below is replicated in **Section 5.5.2 of Chapter 5 Construction Activities**.

The construction of the proposed development will require considerable movements of materials to and from the site. Most of the materials leaving the site will consist of soil and materials from the excavation works.

Where possible, excavated materials will be reused on site for backfilling purposes, re-grading and landscaping. However, it is expected that a significant volume of the excavated material will not be suitable for reuse on site.

It is estimated that up to 31,000m³ of surplus material will be removed from the site. The clean and inert surplus excavated material, which is integral to the construction phase, may be reused as a by-product on other sites subject to Article 27 under the Waste Directive Regulations 2011 and notification to the EPA.

Where a re-use for the material cannot be found, the material may be sent to suitably permitted waste facilities or licensed soil recovery facilities in accordance with relevant waste legislation or disposed at suitable authorised waste facilities. The environmental effects associated with the sending the material to suitably permitted waste facilities, licensed soil recovery facilities or authorised waste facilities will have already been assessed by the relevant consenting authorities.

The environmental impact of the removal of the material from site will be minimised by following the hierarchy of options outlined above. The impact of the traffic movements on the surrounding road network has been assessed in the construction traffic impact assessment in **Chapter 7 Traffic & Transportation** of this EIAR.

It is unlikely that any contaminated material will be encountered (refer to **Section 14.3 of Chapter 14 Land and Soils** however if it is, it will be disposed of to a suitable authorised waste facility, subject to the appropriate waste acceptance criteria at the receiving facility and in accordance with relevant waste legislation.

Section 16.5.2.9 of Chapter 16 Material Assets, describes the surplus material management options (re-use, recovery, disposal) and outlines the criteria that the material must meet in order to be disposed of at such facilities.

A small amount of demolition waste (approximately 20 tonnes) from the Phase 2 activity of re-building the office accommodation will also be generated.

7.2.2 Construction Wastes

Construction and demolition waste is defined as waste which arises from construction, renovation and demolition activities, together with all waste categories mentioned the European List of Wastes for ‘*Construction and Demolition Wastes (including excavated soil from contaminated sites)*’ as set out in the EPA document, *Waste Classification List of Waste*¹ (2018).

¹ EPA List of Waste (2018) available at:
<https://www.epa.ie/pubs/reports/waste/stats/wasteclassification/2019%20%20FULL%20template.pdf>

Also included within the definition are surplus and damaged products and materials arising in the course of construction work or used temporarily during the course of on-site activities.

Construction waste can vary significantly from site to site but typically would include the following non-hazardous fractions:

- Soil and stone;
- Concrete, brick, tiles and ceramics;
- Asphalt;
- Metals;
- Wood;
- Other.

The hazardous waste streams which could arise from construction activities may include the following:

- Batteries and liquid fuels.

The construction phase of the proposed development is expected to commence in 2021. In the case of the proposed development the most likely type of waste materials will be soil and stone.

An indicative breakdown of the composition of typical construction and demolition waste is set out in **Table 2** below.

These figures should be considered as a guide only as construction and demolition waste can vary significantly from one project to another, depending on the nature of the development and the waste management practices employed on-site.

Table 2: Composition of Construction and Demolition Waste (Non-Hazardous) F²

Category	Composition
Soil and Stone	92%
Concrete, brick, tiles and ceramics	5%
Asphalt / Tar	1%
Metals	1%
Wood	1%

² FAS & Construction Industry Federation. 2002. Construction & Demolition Waste Management – A handbook for Contractors & Site Managers. FAS Environmental Unit, Upper Baggot Street, Dublin 4

7.3 Proposals for Construction and Demolition Waste Management

7.3.1 Circular Economy and the Waste Hierarchy

The waste hierarchy sets out the most desirable approaches to waste management in the European Union. It became obligatory in Ireland in 2011 through the European Communities (Waste Directive) Regulations 2011. The waste hierarchy i.e. prevention, re-use, recycling, energy recovery and disposal applies in priority order with waste prevention being the most preferable option and waste disposal the least desirable.

Section 16.5.2.9 of Chapter 16 *Material Assets*, describes the surplus material management options (re-use, recovery, disposal) and outlines the criteria that the material must meet in order to be disposed of at such facilities.

7.3.2 General Construction Waste Management

The following general measures will be implemented throughout the proposed development:

- The Contractor will ensure that waste generation on site is minimised.
- Possibilities for re-use of clean non-hazardous excavation material as fill on the site and landscaping works will be considered following appropriate testing to ensure material is suitable for its proposed end use.
- Where excavation material may not be re-used within the proposed works the Contractor will endeavour to send material for recovery or recycling so far as is reasonably practicable and ensure that disposal is minimised.
- Where re-use of surplus material within the proposed development is not feasible the Contractor will ensure that waste generated will be delivered to authorised waste facilities in accordance with the Waste Management Acts 1996 -2011.
- The Contractor will ensure that any interim storage facilities for excavated material have the appropriate waste licences or waste facility permits in place.
- Waste and surplus excavation material from the proposed development will be delivered only to facilities which have a granted waste licence or waste permit in place.
- **Source Segregation:** Waste produced will be segregated. Where possible metal, timber, glass and other recyclable material will be segregated during demolition works and removed off site to a permitted/licensed facility for recycling.
- **Material Management:** The Contractor will ensure that materials are ordered so that the quantity delivered, the timing of the delivery and the storage is not conducive to the creating of unnecessary waste. 'Just-in- time' delivery will be used so far as is reasonably practicable to minimise material wastage.

- **Waste Auditing:** The Contractor will record the quantity in tonnes and types of waste and materials leaving the proposed development during the construction phase. The name, address and authorisation details of all facilities and locations to which waste and materials from the proposed development are delivered will be recorded along with the quantity of waste in tonnes delivered to each facility. Records will show material which is recovered, and which is disposed.
- Hazardous wastes will be identified, removed (see **Section 7.3.7.2** below) and kept separate from other C&D waste materials in order to avoid further contamination.

7.3.3 Waste Prevention

- The most environmentally sustainable means of managing excavated material is its prevention and minimisation. Prevention and minimisation is inherent in the design of the proposed development.
- Where possible excavated materials generated from the earthworks will be re-used on site where it meets engineering requirements.

7.3.4 Recycling and Energy Recovery

Excavated material generated during the works will be reused within the project area where feasible. Off-site re-use options for surplus clean and inert excavated material include reuse as a by-product on other sites subject to Article 27 notification to the EPA, or recovery at suitable waste permit facilities or licensed soil recovery facilities in accordance with relevant waste legislation.

Recycling/ recovery activities also include:

- Processing of stone to produce construction aggregate;
- Infilling of quarries;
- Raising land for site improvement or development.

In addition to licensed and permitted waste facilities, some IE licensed facilities have a requirement to import soil and stones in accordance with the terms of their Closure, Restoration and Aftercare Management Plans (CRAMP). Such sites may potentially accept suitable surplus material from the proposed development.

7.3.5 Disposal

The option of delivery of inert uncontaminated material for disposal to landfill is the least desirable destination for surplus material generated by the proposed development. It will only be considered where a re-use for the material cannot be found and sufficient void capacity cannot be secured at appropriately licensed/permitted facilities for recovery purposes.

It may be unavoidable that a small percentage of excavation material will have to be disposed of at a landfill or at another type of suitably permitted facility. This disposal option applies to material having hazardous chemical or physical

properties requiring special measures for its excavation, handling, storing, transportation, deposition and disposal. All material presented for disposal will have to meet the receiving sites waste acceptance criteria.

7.3.6 Construction Compounds and Material Storage

On completion of the construction phase, temporary buildings and containers, and waste material such as rubble, aggregates and unused construction materials will not be permitted to remain on these sites and will be removed and disposed of appropriately.

7.3.7 Waste Transportation

7.3.7.1 General

Waste from the proposed development will be transported by authorised waste collectors in accordance with the Waste Management (Collection Permit) Regulations, 2007 and the Waste Management (Collection Permit) (Amendment) Regulations, 2008.

7.3.7.2 Hazardous Wastes

The following steps must be taken where hazardous waste is being transported from the proposed development to a hazardous waste recovery or disposal facility within the State:

- Waste transfer forms shall be obtained by the waste producer from Dublin City Council's website and completed on-line before the waste is collected.
- A copy shall be downloaded, printed and signed, accompanying the consignment of hazardous waste when it is in transit.
- On the load's arrival, the operator of the recipient disposal or recovery facility shall log-in and complete the relevant details documenting the receipt of the waste.

Export of hazardous waste from the proposed development outside of the State is subject to a Europe-wide control system founded on EU Regulation 1013/2006 on the Shipments of Waste (known as the Transfrontier Shipment Regulations), as amended. This legislation is supplemented by the Waste Management (Shipments of Waste) Regulations 2007, as amended, which makes Dublin City Council responsible for the enforcement of this regulatory system throughout Ireland. Export of hazardous waste from site outside the state should comply with the procedures set out in this legislation.

7.4 Roles and Responsibilities

7.4.1 Construction Waste Co-Ordinator

Once permission is received for the proposed development and following Contractor appointment, the Contractor will appoint a Construction Waste Co-Ordinator. This function may be combined with that of the SEM and will be at the discretion of the Contractor.

The Construction Waste Co-Ordinator will be responsible for detailing and maintaining the C&D Waste Management Plan for the project and updating it as appropriate.

Following each update or revision of the CWMP a copy of the new plan will be provided by the Construction Waste Co-Ordinator to Indaver, the SEM, the site subcontractors and all relevant staff.

The Construction Waste Co-Ordinator will have responsibility for implementation of the CWMP throughout the demolition, excavation and construction phases of the proposed development.

The Contractor will ensure the Construction Waste Co-Ordinator will be appropriately trained and experienced on all aspects of waste management.

In addition, the Construction Waste Co-Ordinator and all site staff handling wastes must be in a position to:

- Distinguish reusable materials from material suitable for recycling;
- Ensure maximum segregation of waste and recyclables at source;
- Co-operate with site manager on best locations for stockpiling reusable material;
- Separate material for recovery;
- Identify and liaise with operators of recovery outlets as appropriate.

In the event of the Construction Waste Co-Ordinator leaving the project team the Contractor will nominate a suitable replacement.

7.4.2 Training

The Construction Waste Co-Ordinator will have responsibility for ensuring copies of the CWMP are made available to all personnel on site. The Construction Waste Co-Ordinator will also have responsibility for ensuring that all site personnel and subcontractors are instructed about the objectives of the CWMP and informed of the responsibilities which fall upon them as a consequence of its provision. This may be carried out during the induction process for new staff members.

The Construction Waste Co-Ordinator will also have responsibility for communicating the requirements of the plan using for example, toolbox talks, prominently displayed site notices and audits as relevant.

7.4.3 Record Keeping and Auditing Procedures

The Construction Waste Co-Ordinator shall arrange for full details of all arisings, movements and treatment of construction and demolition waste to be recorded during the excavation, demolition and construction phases of the proposed development.

When establishing the system for managing the details of all arisings, movement and treatment of construction waste in the CWMP, the use of electronic tools should be considered to provide for convenient recording of information in a useful format.

The Contractor will be required to arrange for full details of all arisings, movements and construction and demolition waste to be recorded during all stages of the proposed development.

Each consignment of construction waste removed from the site will be documented to ensure full traceability of the material to its final destination. Separate records will be completed in respect to each waste transfer that takes place.

The Contractor will also receive documents/records from waste collection companies employed during quantifying the exact amount of waste material removed from site. The documents/records from the waste collection companies will also identify how much material went to landfill and how much went for recycling.

All producers of hazardous waste are required by law to keep a chronological record of the quantity, nature and origin of any hazardous waste produced, as well as its destination, frequency of collection, mode of transport and treatment method. This obligation is a requirement of the European Communities (Waste Directive) Regulations 2011, which also mandate that this information be held for at least three years.

All the above records will be retained in a designated location and made available for auditing of the CWMP.

7.4.4 Waste Auditing Protocols

The Construction Waste Co-Ordinator will arrange for a waste audit of the proposed development once construction has fully commenced construction on site and of any facilities to which waste from the proposed development is delivered if required.

Indaver will receive summaries of any audit reports which will be completed within three months of the end of each calendar year. The effectiveness and accuracy of the documentation will be monitored on a regular basis via routine site visits.

8 Incident Response Plan

8.1 Introduction

The focus of including all of the detailed environmental measures in this CEMP is on prevention of the incident arising in the first place. However, an Incident Response Plan (IRP) has been prepared to ensure that in the unlikely event of an incident, response efforts are prompt, efficient, and suitable for particular circumstances. The IRP presented below is consistent with mitigation measures as contained within the EIAR and NIS. This plan is a working document and will be finalised by the Contractor, in conjunction with the Indaver contract management team on site, following appointment and prior to commencing works on site. All of the content provided in this Plan will be delivered in full by the Contractor and its finalisation by the Contractor will not affect the robustness and adequacy of the information presented here and relied upon in the CEMP.

The Incident (Emergency) Response Plan (IRP) describes the procedures, lines of authority and processes that will be followed to ensure that incident response efforts are prompt, efficient, and suitable for particular circumstances. The IRP details the procedures to be undertaken in the event of the release of any sediment into a watercourse, serious spillage of chemical, fuel or other hazardous wastes (e.g. concrete), non-compliance incident with any permit or licence, or other such risks that could lead to a pollution incident, including flood risks. The same process will be followed for any significant safety-related incidents.

The objective of this IRP will be to:

- Ensure the health and safety of workers and visitors along the site
- Minimise any impacts to the environment and ensure protection of the water quality and the aquatic species dependent on it
- Minimise any impacts on properties, services etc.
- Establish procedures that enable personnel to respond to incidents with an integrated multi-departmental effort (including a link to the existing on-site Emergency Plan) and in a manner that minimises the possibility of loss and reduces the potential for affecting health, property, and the environment.

The information provided in this section is based on best practice including the following documentation:

- CIRIA (C649) Control of water pollution from linear construction projects, site guide (2006).
- CIRIA (C532) Control of water pollution from construction sites, guidance for consultants and contractors (2001).
- CIRIA (C741) Environmental good practice on site guide (fourth edition) (2015).

As required by the *Safety, Health and Welfare at Work (Construction) Regulations 2013*, a Health and Safety Plan will be prepared which will address health and

safety issues from the design stages through to the completion of the construction and maintenance phases. This plan will be reviewed as the development progresses. The contents of the Health and Safety Plan will comply with the requirements of the Regulations.

8.2 Implementation

The likelihood of an incident or emergency can be minimised by effective planning, good site management via implementation of this CEMP and the construction stage Health and Safety Plan (as outlined in **Section 5.12** of this EIAR), and through development of an IRP. The IRP will be reviewed and updated regularly so that it continues to apply to construction activities. The IRP will identify the on-site risks and appropriate responses.

The risk of a major accident as a result of construction activities impacting on the existing site has been addressed in Section 17.6.1 of **Chapter 17 Major Accidents & Disasters** of the EIAR.

It will be the responsibility of the SEM to maintain and change the IRP as required. The IRP will be reviewed on an on-going basis and immediately amended, as necessary, when applicable regulations are revised or when amendments are required by a regulatory authority.

The IRP in terms of health and safety will also require updating and submissions from the various contractors and suppliers as the proposed development progresses. The main source for these updates will come from the Health and Safety Plan which will be controlled and managed by the Contractor for construction safety on the site. The established communication between the Contractor, Construction Manager and the SEM will ensure that this is done when necessary. As previously stated, the same IRP will be followed for an environmental or a safety incident.

Meath County Council has a Major Emergency Plan³ prepared in accordance with the Government's Major Emergency Management Framework.

The IRP details the initial contact that should be made in case of an emergency incident as well as those responsible for following up once an emergency event is declared.

The emergency services (particularly fire service) will be consulted to establish safe and appropriate access points to site compounds and other areas where there may be a risk of spillage etc. (e.g. outfalls, fuel storage). In an emergency, knowing the relevant people to contact for help can save time and minimise the impacts. To cover the full site, more than one contact may be needed, so the IRP will indicate which contacts apply to which section of the site.

Numbers will be obtained for the following:

³ Meath County Council (2018) Major Emergency Plan, Version 5.0. Available at: <https://www.Meathcoco.ie/major-emergency-management>. Meath City Council (2017) Major Emergency Response, Issue 1.6. Available at: <https://www.Meathcity.ie/en/media-folder/emergency/major-emergency-plan-2017.pdf>

- Radio/mobile contacts for site management and trained staff;
- Out-of-hours contacts;
- Environmental regulators (hotline or local contact);
- Irish Water (for spills to foul sewer);
- Meath County Council;
- Inland Fisheries Ireland and National Parks and Wildlife Service;
- Environmental Protection Agency;
- Neighbouring sites such as Irish Cement;
- Spill response and clean-up contractors.

8.3 Resources

Relevant staff, including cover staff, shall be trained in the implementation of the IRP and the use of any spill kit/control equipment as necessary. The Contractor shall provide a list of all such staff to the Indaver contract management team detailing the name, contact number, and training received, and the date of that training.

The Contractor shall provide a full list, including the exact locations, of all pollution control plant and equipment to the Indaver contract management team. All such plant and equipment shall be maintained in place and in working order for the duration of the works.

8.4 Environmental Emergency Response Procedures

The best way to manage pollution incidents is to prevent them. Emergency procedures will be developed – either project specific, site specific or activity specific and all personnel on site will be required to know these procedures.

An effective pollution IRP relies on the following elements:

- Identification of all possible emergency scenarios (both environmental and health & safety);
- Effective planning, e.g. availability of booms, spills kits at appropriate locations;
- Identification of receptors/pathways (e.g. surface water drains/river);
- Identification and dissemination of contact numbers;
- Definition of site-based staff responsibilities;
- Appropriate site-based staff training;
- Exercise of incident scenarios – spill drills;
- Availability of suitable spill kits at appropriate locations on the site;
- Implement lessons learnt from previous incidents;

- Ensure that all appropriate site staff are aware of the site emergency procedure(s) (e.g. spillage, leakage, fire, explosion and flooding), that drain covers and spill kits are available, and they know how to use them.

In terms of pollution spill response procedures, these will vary depending on the sensitive receptor and nature of construction activities, but the following information will be included as a minimum and displayed at appropriate locations on the whole site, near outfalls etc.:

- Instruction to stop work and to switch off sources of ignition;
- Contain the spill; location of spill clean-up material;
- Name and contact details of responsible staff (these staff should assess the scale of the incident to determine whether the environmental regulator needs to be called);
- Measures particular to that location or activity (for example, close pond outlet valve).

More detailed plans may be project-specific, location-specific or specific to a particular activity depending on the nature of the work. They will include details of site drainage, outfalls, coastline and watercourses (as already provided in the EIAR) to indicate where pollution may end up so that containment measures can be put in place at these locations. Suitable equipment, such as spill kits, oil booms and absorbent material, will be held at appropriate locations on site.

Emergency equipment will be obtained from a reputable supplier and site staff will be trained in its correct use. Safety Data Sheets (SDS) and best practice assessments will be used for advice on appropriate spill measures.

The type of equipment required will depend on the activity taking place. The CIRIA document C648 *Control of water pollution from linear construction projects, technical guidance* (2006) provides details on the types and applications of emergency equipment. Refer to Table 15.2 of same document.

Every effort will be made to prevent an environmental incident during the construction and operational phase of the proposed development. The focus of including all of the measures in this CEMP is on prevention of the incident arising in the first place. Oil/Fuel spillages are one of the main environmental risks that will exist on the proposed site which will require an emergency response procedure. The importance of a swift and effective response in the event of such an incident occurring cannot be over emphasised. An example of the steps to follow in the event of a spillage to ensure that the environmental risk is reduced to as low as reasonably practical. This procedure can be tailored to be site/location/activity specific as required:

- Stop the source of the spill and raise the alarm to alert people working in the vicinity of any potential dangers;
- If applicable, eliminate any sources of ignition in the immediate vicinity of the incident;

- Contain the spill using the spill control materials, track mats or other material as required. Do not spread or flush away the spill;
- If possible, cover or bund off any vulnerable areas where appropriate such as drains, watercourses or sensitive habitats;
- Clean up as much as possible using the spill control materials;
- Contain any used spill control material and dispose of used materials appropriately using a fully licensed waste contractor with the appropriate permits so that further contamination is limited;
- Notify the Site Environmental Manager (SEM) immediately giving information on the location, type and extent of the spill so that they can take appropriate action;
- The SEM will inspect the site and ensure the necessary measures are in place to contain and clean up the spill and prevent further spillage from occurring;
- The SEM will notify the appropriate regulatory body such as Meath County Council, NPWS, EPA, Department of Communications, Climate Action and Environment (DCCE) and Department of Housing, Planning, and Local Government (DHPLG), if deemed necessary.

Environmental incidents are not limited to just fuel spillages. Therefore, any environmental incident will be investigated in accordance with the following steps.

- The SEM must be immediately notified;
- If necessary, the SEM will inform a member of the Indaver construction management team who will in turn contact the appropriate regulatory authority. The appropriate regulatory authority will depend on the nature of the incident;
- The details of the incident will be recorded on an Environmental Incident Form which will provide information such as the cause, extent, actions and remedial measures used, following the incident. The form will also include any recommendations made to avoid reoccurrence of the incident;
- In the very unlikely event of an incident occurring which may impact on a sensitive receptor, the relevant persons/authorities will immediately be informed (such as the EPA, Meath County Council, NPWS, etc.);
- A record of all environmental incidents will be kept on file by the Site Environmental Manager and the Contractor. These records will be made available to the relevant authorities such as Meath County Council and the EPA if required;
- The SEM will be responsible for any corrective actions required as a result of the incident e.g. an investigative report, formulation of alternative construction methods or environmental sampling, and will advise the Contractor as appropriate;
- By carrying out the above steps, a proper system will be in place to investigate, record and report any potential accidents or incidents.

8.5 Emergency Procedures During Construction for Traffic Management

The Contractor shall ensure that unobstructed access is provided to all emergency vehicles along all routes and site accesses.

The Contractor shall provide to the local authorities and emergency services, contact details of the contractor's personnel who are responsible for construction traffic management.

In the case of an emergency the IRP shall be followed:

- Emergency Services will be contacted immediately by dialling 112;
- Exact details of the emergency / incident will be given by the caller to the emergency line operator to allow them to assess the situation and respond in an adequate manner;
- The emergency will then be reported to the Site Team Supervisors the Safety Officer and the Indaver construction management team on site;
- All construction traffic shall be notified of the incident (where such occurs off site);
- Where required, appointed site first aiders will attend the emergency immediately;
- The Safety Officer will ensure that the emergency services are directed to and arrive at the emergency site.

8.6 Training and Testing

Staff responsible for action in an emergency need to know their responsibilities. An incident at one part of the site may affect other parts of the site, so it is important that someone be responsible for informing them. Staff will be trained to use the necessary equipment such as spill kits or outlet valves.

Emergency arrangements will need to be reviewed and tested periodically (and always after an incident) to ensure that measures are effective, and that the workforce is aware of what to do in the event of an incident. Emergency drills will be recorded, and improvements noted and actioned accordingly.

Interaction with the existing Site Emergency Plan will also be tested in the event of an accident or emergency on the operational parts of the site. This interaction will be facilitated by the Indaver contract management team on site. Refer to **Appendix A** of this CEMP document for the Meath Site Emergency Plan.

8.7 Corrective Action

When an incident happens, it is important to learn from it and ensure that such an incident does not occur again. This may involve changing the method of work for a particular activity, providing containment or treatment materials, or simply training staff so they are aware of the correct method of work. Similarly, if an

audit of planned arrangements indicates that measures are not in place, or those in place need to be improved, action will be taken immediately.

A record of corrective actions and lessons learned will be kept and communicated to all relevant persons, teams, sub-contractors etc. across the proposed development.

9 Construction Traffic Management Plan

9.1 Introduction

The Construction Traffic Management Plan (CTMP) will be finalised by the Contractor to ensure that construction traffic will be managed and monitored safely and efficiently throughout the construction phase.

9.1.1 Purpose and Scope

This Construction Traffic Management Plan is a key construction contract document, the implementation of which will reduce possible impacts which may occur during the construction of the proposed development.

The objectives of the CTMP are to:

- Outline minimum road safety measures to be undertaken at site access / egress locations, during the works and including approaches to such access/egress locations.
- Demonstrate to the contractor and supplier the need to adhere to the relevant guidance documentation for such works.
- Ensure compliance with the mitigation measures outlined in the EIAR with respect to traffic management during the construction phase and with the planning conditions relating to construction traffic management from ABP.
- Provide the basis for the preparation of a finalised CTMP by the Contractor appointed to carry out the works.

Indaver shall be responsible for ensuring that the Contractor manages the construction activities in accordance with this CTMP. The Contractor will finalise the CTMP in accordance with this document.

Objectives and measures are also included for the management, design and construction of the project to control the traffic impacts of construction insofar as it may affect the environment, local residents and the public in the vicinity of the construction works.

In line with any future conditions of An Bord Pleanála (ABP) decision, the CTMP which is finalised by the Contractor will address these requirements, including any additional measures which are specified by Meath County Council. It is anticipated that the CTMP will require final approval from Meath County Council.

The objective of the CTMP is to ensure that the residual impacts to the public road network during the construction phase of the proposed development which have been identified in the application documentation are minimised and that transport related activities are carried out as safely as possible and with the minimum disruption to other road users.

The CTMP has also been prepared for the purpose of identifying appropriate and safe methods of access for construction traffic to the proposed development.

The CTMP describes the traffic management for the transportation of construction materials, equipment and personnel along the public road network to facilitate the construction of the proposed development. Light vehicles, such as cars and vans, will be used by site operatives travelling to and from the site. Heavy Construction Vehicles (HCV) will be required to deliver general construction materials, such as concrete, to the site.

The CTMP remains a live document that will be reviewed by the Contractor and expanded upon, where necessary, throughout the construction phase of the project, in order to produce a finalised CTMP. This CTMP should be read in conjunction with **Chapter 5 Construction Activities** and **Chapter 7 Traffic & Transportation** of the EIAR.

9.1.2 Implementation

Key to the implementation of the CTMP is the dedication of the on-site Construction Manager (nominated by the Contractor) who will regularly liaise with and update the Indaver contract management team on all environmental and construction programming issues relating to the site.

All site personnel are charged with following good practice and encouraged to provide feedback and suggestions for improvements. All site personnel are also required to ensure compliance with the requirements of the site CTMP.

9.1.3 Document Revision

The CTMP includes a summary of all the information which will be included by the appointed Contractor. In particular, it will include reference to any future planning conditions for the proposed development.

The CTMP will be subject to on-going review (throughout the construction phase of the proposed development), through regular auditing and site inspections. This will ensure that the performance of construction activities, including the implementation of mitigation measures, is subject to continuous improvement and ensure that objectives are met.

- All of the information required for the finalised CTMP will be highlighted in the tender for the contract to build the proposed development.

9.2 Proposed Construction Traffic Generation

9.2.1.1 Traffic Generation from Proposed development

Construction traffic has been quantified and assessed in **Chapter 7 Traffic & Transportation** of the EIAR.

9.2.2 Envisaged Construction Equipment

Construction equipment and vehicles required for each construction element/operation will be delivered to site by appropriate vehicles. Details of

typical construction equipment and vehicles are detailed in **Table 5** below. Specific equipment and vehicles which are deemed to be required for the proposed development by the principal contractor, suppliers and staff are to be confirmed and outlined in the Contractors finalised CTMP.

Table 5: Proposed Typical Construction Vehicles

Category / Stage	Advance Works / Site Preparation / Main Works / Reinstatement
Construction Vehicles	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Excavators • Dumper Trucks • Wheeled Dumpers • All Terrain Mobile Crane • Teleporters • Cherry Pickers • Roller • CFA-Auger Piling rig (Phase 1 tank farm area only)
Delivery Vehicles	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Tractor & Low Loader (For Delivery of Excavator and Dumper) • Stone Delivery Trucks • Bituminous Material Trucks • Concrete delivery Trucks • Hiab Lorries • General construction materials handling vehicles
Staff / Site Vehicle	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 4 X 4 Vehicle • Commercial Van / Jeep

9.3 Construction Traffic Management Plan Contents

The Contractor will be contractually required to ensure that the elements of this CTMP shall be incorporated by the Contractor into the CTMP. The Contractor shall also agree and implement monitoring measures to confirm the effectiveness of the mitigation measures outlined in the CTMP. On finalisation of the CTMP, the Contractor shall adopt the plan and associated monitoring measures. The finalised CTMP shall address the following issues (including all aspects identified in this CTMP):

- Site Access & Egress;
- Traffic Management Signage;
- Timings of Material Deliveries to Site;
- Traffic Management Speed Limits;
- Road Cleaning;
- Vehicle Cleaning;
- Road Condition;

- Road Closures;
- Enforcement of Traffic Management Plan;
- Emergency Procedures During Construction;
- Communication.

These items are explained in detail in the remainder of this section of the report.

9.3.1 Site Access & Egress

Site access and egress will be via the existing site entrance off of the R152. On site access to the locations for construction will be finalised once a Contractor has been appointed. Construction traffic to and from the site is outlined in **Section 5.12** of the EIAR and effects of the construction traffic is assessed in **Section 7.7**.

The Contractor shall provide advanced warning signs, in accordance with Chapter 8 of the Department of Transport, Tourism and Sport *Traffic Signs Manual - Temporary Traffic Measures and Signs for Roadworks* (November, 2010)., on the approach to proposed site access locations a minimum of one week prior to construction works commencing at the site.

9.3.1.1 Site Compounds

The main construction compound containing construction staff accommodation, welfare facilities, car parking etc. will be located as follows:

Phase 1 – Tank farm, Ash Storage, Warehouse, Workshop, Engineering Offices and permanent Contractors compound

The contractors compound for this phase will be located in the hardcored area located to the east of the existing modular buildings. The existing welfare facilities will be available to the contractors for use as site facilities

Phase 2 – New offices, Hydrogen Generation Building

The contractors compound for this phase will be located in the new permanent contractors compound located to the south of the site. This compound will be provided with site personnel welfare facilities, laydown areas and space for office accommodation.

In each phase a smaller construction compound will be located at each of the construction areas to facilitate deliveries and laydown of materials.

9.3.2 Traffic Management Signage

The Indaver contract management team shall undertake consultation with Meath County Council for the purpose of identifying and agreeing signage requirements. Such signage shall be installed by either Indaver or the Contractor prior to works commencing on site.

Proposed signage may include warning signs to provide warning to road users of the works access/egress locations and the presence of construction traffic. All

signage shall be provided in accordance with Chapter 8 of the Department of Transport's *Traffic Signs Manual - Temporary Traffic Measures and Signs for Roadworks* (November, 2010).

In summary, the Indaver contract management team will be required to ensure that the following elements are implemented:

- Consultation with the relevant authorities for the purpose of identifying and agreeing signage requirements.
- Provision of temporary signage indicating site access route and locations for Contractors and associated suppliers.
- Provision of general information signage to inform road users and local communities of the nature and locations of the works, including project contact details.

Particular attention will be paid to minimising impacts on normal traffic patterns during the construction phase. This will be achieved by timing of deliveries/ material movements off site to avoid peak traffic times, avoiding the route through Duleek village itself and staying on the National Primary & Regional Roads. These requirements will be noted in the tender documents for the works and enforced via contractual obligations in contracts with contractors and monitored by the Indaver contract management team on site. Registration numbers of all heavy goods vehicles to and from the site during construction will be recorded and if there are any reported breaches of this, the vehicle registration numbers can be checked on site and the contractor identified by the Indaver contract management team on site.

9.3.3 Timings of Material Deliveries to Site

In order to reduce impacts on local communities and residents adjacent to the proposed sites, it is proposed that:

- Construction staff and vehicles will not be present on the local road network before 7am and after 7pm Monday to Friday and before 7am and after 1pm on Saturday .
- In the event of another major construction project being active in the vicinity of the site, the Contractor, through the Indaver contract management team will be required to liaise with the management of other construction projects and the local authorities to co-ordinate deliveries.
- The Contractor will be required to schedule deliveries in such a way that construction activities and deliveries activities do not clash, resulting in build-up of traffic on road network.
- A construction phase programme of works shall be developed by the Contractor in liaison with the Indaver contract management team and Meath County Council, specifically taking into account potential road repair works that are included in the local authority's road works schedule.

- The Contractor will be required to co-ordinate with Indaver contract management team ensure that construction related traffic will not conflict with local activities and events.

Construction activities will be undertaken during permitted hours for all construction stages. It is anticipated that at critical certain stages of the construction works night time and weekend work will be required.

9.3.4 Traffic Management Speed Limits

Adherence to posted / legal speed limits will be emphasised to all staff / suppliers and contractors during induction training. Drivers of construction vehicles / HGVs will be advised that vehicular movements in sensitive locations, such as local community areas, shall be restricted to 60km/h.

9.3.5 Road Cleaning

It shall be a requirement of the works contract that the Contractor will be required to carry out road sweeping operations to remove any scheme related dirt and material deposited on the local road by construction / delivery vehicles. Road sweepers will dispose of material following sweeping of the local road, to a licensed waste facility.

9.3.6 Vehicle Cleaning

It shall be a requirement of the works contract that the Contractor will be required to provide wheel washing facilities, and any other necessary measures to remove mud and organic material from vehicles exiting sites.

Concrete chute washout will be carried out at designated locations only. These locations will be signposted throughout the construction site. The concrete plant and all delivery drivers will be informed of their location with the order information and on arrival on site. Chute washout locations will be provided with appropriate designated, contained impermeable area and treatment facilities including adequately sized settlement tanks. The clear water from the settlement tanks shall be pH corrected prior to discharge (which shall be by means of one of the construction stage settlement facilities) or alternatively disposed of as waste in accordance with the CWMP.

9.3.7 Road Condition

The extent of the heavy vehicle traffic movements and the nature of the payload may create problems of:

- Fugitive losses from wheels, trailers or tailgates.
- Localised areas of subgrade and wearing surface failure.

The Contractor shall ensure that:

- Loads of materials leaving each site will be evaluated and covered if considered necessary to minimise potential dust impacts during transportation.

- The transportation contractor shall take all reasonable measures while transporting waste or any other materials likely to cause fugitive losses from a vehicle during transportation to and from site, including but not limited to:
 - Covering of all waste or material with suitably secured tarpaulin/ covers to prevent loss.
 - Utilisation of enclosed units to prevent loss.

9.3.8 Enforcement of Traffic Management Plan

All project staff and material suppliers will be required to adhere to the CTMP. As outlined above, the Contractor shall agree and implement monitoring measures to confirm the effectiveness of the CTMP and compliance will be monitored by the Indaver contract management team. Regular inspections / spot checks will also be carried out to ensure that all project staff and material supplies follow the agreed measures adopted in the CTMP.

9.3.9 Communication

The Contractor, through the Indaver contract management team, shall ensure that close communication with the relevant local authorities and the emergency services shall be maintained throughout the construction phase. Such communications shall include:

- Updates to the CTMP as necessary.
- Updates to construction programming.
- Information relating to local and community events that could conflict with proposed traffic management measures and construction traffic in order to implement alternative measures to avoid such conflicts.

The Contractor, through the Indaver contract management team, shall also ensure that the local community is informed of proposed traffic management measures in advance of their implementation. This communication will primarily be achieved through the Community Liaison Committee.

Such information may also be disseminated by posting advertisements in local newspapers or delivering leaflets to houses in the affected areas. Such information shall contain contact information for members of the public to obtain additional information and to provide additional knowledge such as local events, sports fixtures etc. which may conflict with proposed traffic management measures.

9.4 Conclusions

This CTMP will form part of the construction contract and is designed to reduce possible impacts which may occur during the construction of the proposed development.

The CTMP shall be used by the appointed contractor as a basis for the preparation of a finalised CTMP and shall detail, at a minimum, the items detailed in this CTMP and any subsequent requirements of the local authorities and ABP.

The Indaver contract management team shall be responsible for ensuring that the Contractor manages the construction activities in accordance with this CTMP and shall ensure that any conditions of planning are incorporated into the finalised CTMP prepared by the appointed works Contractor.

10 Environmental Awareness Training Strategy

All of the Contractor's site personnel will receive relevant and appropriate training to ensure that they have the appropriate knowledge to successfully implement the CEMP. The use of the term "Contractor's site personnel" in this CEMP is intended to include the site personnel of all subcontractors whom the Contractor has subcontracted part of the works. The term is also intended to include the site personnel of any specialists, nominated subcontractors, etc. Training will include that detailed below.

10.1 CEMP, EIAR and Contractual Requirement Briefing

The SEM will provide a briefing for all of the Contractor's senior management including the Project Manager, Programme Manager, Construction Manager, Design Engineers, Structures Agents and Site Agents on the CEMP and the Environmental Commitments/Requirements (in both EIAR and NIS) that must be met during the construction phase. The Indaver contract management team will be monitoring compliance with the CEMP.

10.2 Environmental Induction Training

The SEM will provide Environmental Induction Training for all senior management, the contents of which will be included in the finalised CEMP. All other site personnel will receive environmental induction in conjunction with safety induction training. No person will work on site without first receiving the site safety and environmental induction. Records of training will be kept for all environmental training provided and copies of training records will be given to the SEM.

10.3 Task Specific Training

Where a site-specific method statement/plan has been devised for a works activity (e.g. working in an area where non-native invasive species are present or waste management), all Contractor site personnel involved in that activity will be given a toolbox talk outlining the Environmental Control Measures. The foreperson will be responsible for providing the toolbox talk and for providing training records to the SEM.

11 Communications Strategy

This section sets out the communications strategy which will be adopted during the construction phase.

A good communications strategy promotes awareness, education and information sharing on a particular project's progress. The procedures adopted for internal and external communication of information regarding the specific elements of the proposed development strategy will be finalised by Indaver in consultation with the Contractor.

11.1 Public Communications Strategy

The Indaver contract management team will put in place a Public Communications Strategy which will provide a two-way mechanism for members of the public to communicate with a designated Indaver staff member and for the Contractor to communicate important information on various aspects of the proposed development to the public. The forum for this interaction will be the Indaver (Carranstown) Community Liaison Committee (ICLC) which has been in operation since 2009.

The public communications strategy, which will be finalised by Indaver in consultation with the Contractor, will include:

- procedures to inform members of the community (outside of the normal schedule of meetings with the CLC) directly affected by the construction phase on schedules for any activity of a particularly disruptive nature which is likely to impinge on their property such as road closures and diversions, pile driving and any mitigating actions that are being taken (shielding, restriction on work hours, etc.) to minimise such disruption.
- Details of a contact name and number for any complaints that may arise during such works.

A complaints register will form part of the communications strategy and all complaints will be handled in an efficient manner. The register will have prescribed methodologies for documenting and actioning complaints received from the community and other relevant stakeholders.

11.2 Internal Communication

The Contractor will put in place an internal communications strategy which will include procedures for effective internal communications. The strategy, which will be finalised by the Contractor will include measures such as the following:

- The site management meeting will include environmental issues on the agenda
- Weekly site safety meetings will include environmental issues on the agenda
- The SEM will report on environmental issues to the site management meetings
- The SEM will attend the weekly meetings.

This section outlines the inspections, auditing and monitoring compliance strategy that will be finalised by the Contractor.

11.3 Inspections

The Site Environmental Manager (SEM), who has been identified as being responsible for the successful development, implementation and maintenance of the CEMP, will carry out environmental inspections at appropriate intervals. Where appropriate and when required, the SEM will arrange to be accompanied on these environmental inspections by qualified and accredited environmental professionals, whose knowledge and experience may cover the fields of ecology, hydrology, hydrogeology, landscape architecture, noise, air quality and other environmental sciences. The locations, frequency and nature of the inspections will depend on the nature of the construction activities being carried out and the sensitivity of the surrounding environment. The inspection strategy will be finalised by the Contractor. The SEM will append the reports of the environmental inspections to the CEMP and the results of the inspections will be discussed at the weekly site safety and environmental meetings.

11.4 Monitoring

The Contract documents, EIAR, NIS, planning conditions, finalised Schedule of Environmental Commitments, environmental legislative requirements, the provisions of licences and the results of consultations with contractually or legally prescribed third parties may require the execution of certain types of monitoring (e.g. water quality, noise and vibration and/or air quality modelling, etc.).

The SEM will draw up a schedule of monitoring required, listing the type of report expected and detailing to whom the reports should be sent, etc. It is the responsibility of the SEM to ensure that all monitoring is carried out by competent persons.

Where the monitoring results fall outside the range contractually required, the SEM is responsible for initiating and reporting on corrective action. This may require the alteration of relevant Environmental Control Measures.

11.5 Audits

The SEM in conjunction with the Construction Manager, will carry out an audit of the CEMP on each quarterly anniversary of the commencement date to determine whether the CEMP is effective in ensuring that the Contractor is meeting all Environmental Commitments/Requirements. Where required as a result of such audits, the SEM will make all necessary changes to the CEMP and bring them to the attention of the Construction Manager, etc. All changes to the CEMP will be made by the SEM and approved by the Construction Manager and the Indaver contract management team. The reports of these audits will be annexed to the CEMP. The SEM will track environmental legislation and any changes in the legislation that could affect the CEMP will be brought to the attention of the Construction Manager and the Indaver contract management team

Appendix A

Meath Site Emergency Plan

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