



APPENDIX 4-8

SILT COMMITTEE MEETING RECORDS 1984

Meeting on Silt Control held at Derrygreenagh on 4th April 1984

Present:

Chairman - Mr. S. Grogan - General Operations Manager

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Ir. H. Flood - Chief Engineer
                                    Mr. J. Doyle
                                                      - Group Manager West
dr. B. Keville - Manager, Mech.
                                     Mr. H. Hickland -
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                Eng. Services
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                                                                  " Briquett
                                     Mr. J. Hughes
Mr. J. Welsby - Head Civil Works
                                     Mr. P. Hughes
                                                         Manager Blackwater
Mr. G. Hannon - Civil Works
                                     Mr. E. Moore
                                                                  Derryfadda
                                     Mr. M. Kelly
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                                                                 Derrygreenac
                                      Mr. S. McCabe
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                                                                  Littleton
                                     Mr. T. Quinn
                                                                  Mountdillor
                                      Mr. L. Concannon -
                                                                  Oweninny
                                     Mr. D. Wynne
                                                      - Prod. Eng. Boora
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Mr. P. Coffey - Scientific Officer

Mr. C. O Gogain - Manager Lullymore was unavoidably absent

Acceptable Standards of Effluent:

Legal interpretations of the 1977 Water Pollution Act and the various Fisheries Acts suggest that Bord na Mona is not legally obliged to treat bog run-off. These interpretations have not been tested in court nor have they been widely publicised.

Notwithstanding the question of our Statutory obligation, Works should meet their responsibilities towards the provision of acceptable bog effluents in accordance with Board Policy. To comply with this policy all bog and factory effluents should be directed through silt traps before discharge to external waterways.