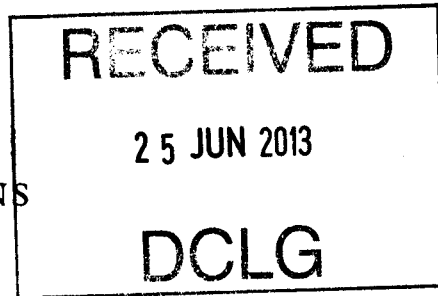


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Dear Eric

I understand that you will be shortly adjudicating on whether to extend the license of the East Northamptonshire Resource Management Facility ("ENRMF") to 2026.

I have an interest in this matter as my constituency has over 13,000 M³ of low level radioactive waste, according to the latest Nuclear Decommissioning Authority report from May 2011.

In the constituency we have companies which have a strong base in science and a proven reputation for technical innovation. Often these companies are global leaders who choose to invest in South Buckinghamshire due to the highly skilled workforce and close proximity to London and Oxford.

I understand that the ENRMF is the only landfill site in Central Southern England which has permission to take low level hazardous waste and I hope that the ENRMF licence will be extended so that the ability to relocate waste of this sort to a landfill site is not lost as an option for any local businesses in my area.

I look forward to hearing from you.

As ever

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