

PLANNING APPLICATION No. 160276 – Appendix 1 Fact Sheet

Proposal	Erection of Energy from Waste facility, vehicular and non-vehicular accesses, ancillary buildings, landscaping and ancillary infrastructure
Site Area	2 hectares
Main structures sought planning permission	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Main building: 170m in length, depth varying between 34-54m and height 47.50m at apex of curved roof • Flue stack 80m height and 2.50 in diameter • District Heating Enclosure/Air Cooled Condenser building; 60m length, depth 20m and maximum height 20m • Transformer building; 14.80m length, 4.90m depth, 3.8m height • Substation; 15m length, 10m depth, 7m height • Fire Water Tank 12m in height, 15m in diameter • Ammonia Store: 4m length, 3m depth, 9.5 height • Fuel Oil Tank: 10m height, 3.5m diameter • Pump House: 4.5 length, 4m depth, 2.4 height
Scale of development	<p>There are a number of individual elements to the development comprising:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Main building incorporating – tipping hall, bunker, boiler hall, turbine hall, bottom ash hall, flue gas treatment, office accommodation/workshop • District Heating Enclosure • Air Cooled Condensers • Step up Transformer • Substation • Fire Water Tank • Pump Houses • Weighbridges • Detention Ponds • Exhaust Stack • Ammonia Store • Associated infrastructure and landscaping
Material Input	<p>150,000 tonnes pa non-hazardous municipal waste</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Aberdeen City Council 60,000 pa • Aberdeenshire Council 70,000 pa • Moray Council 20,000 pa
Material Output	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Incinerator Bottom Ash 40,000 tonnes pa • Fly Ash 4,500 tonnes pa
CHP Processing Capacity	<p>The facility would have an installed electricity generating capacity of circa 13.5 Megawatts (MW), a proportion of this electricity (circa 2.1MWe) is required to operate the proposed development, and 11.4MWe would be available for export to the local grid.</p> <p>In addition to the production of electricity, the proposed development would also offer the potential to capture heat but currently no market exists for this heat energy.</p>

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Proposed Hours of Operation

Import/Export of materials

- Monday – Friday (07:00 hrs – 19:00 hrs)
- Saturday (07:00 hrs – 13:00 hrs)
- No collections Sundays, Public/Bank Holidays

EfW facility and associated energy generation would operate 24 hrs per day, 7 days a week, 365 days a year except during planned maintenance shut downs

Traffic

Construction Period

- 100 HGV movements (50 vehicles in, 50 vehicles out)
- Staff/construction worker movements are estimated to be a maximum of 150 vehicles in and 150 out daily

Operation Phase

- 614 HGV movements (307 vehicles in, 307 vehicles out) vehicles per week over 5.5 days (this includes all waste deliveries, removal of IBA and chemical delivery and removal) - This represents 5 HGV on average per plant operating hour.
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Employment

20 people comprising shift staff, maintenance employees, weighbridge operators, administrative and security staff
