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NEW Legislation



Waste (Fees and Charges) (Amendment) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 2016

The Department of Agriculture, Environment and Rural Affairs has introduced the Waste (Fees and Charges) (Amendment) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 2016, which amend the Controlled Waste (Registration of Carriers and Seizure of Vehicles) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1999 and the Waste Management Licensing Regulations (Northern Ireland) 2003.

The purpose of the Regulations is to increase the fees and charges for processing registration of waste carriers, brokers and dealers as well as exempt waste activities.

You can read the Regulations and the Explanatory Memorandum in full here

<http://www.legislation.gov.uk/nisr/2016/401/contents/made>

Updates

Anaerobic Digestion (AD) of Agricultural Manure and Slurry

The Northern Ireland Environment Agency has published a renewed and extended Position Statement which sets out how it will apply waste regulatory controls to the AD of agricultural manure and slurry, and the use of the resulting digestate as a fertiliser on agricultural land in Northern Ireland.

You can read the Position Statement here

<https://www.daera-ni.gov.uk/sites/default/files/publications/dae/rps-ad-of-agricultural-manure-and-slurry-november-2016.pdf>



Animal By-Products Approved Premises

The Department of Agriculture, Environment and Rural Affairs (DAERA) has published the lists of premises and their operators in Northern Ireland who have been granted approval for the storage, processing, treatment or disposal of animal by-products. The approval of DAERA is required in accordance with the rules laid down by EC Regulation and the Animal By-Products (Enforcement) Regulation (NI) 2011.

You can access the lists here

<https://www.daera-ni.gov.uk/publications/animal-by-products-approved-premises>



Guidance on the Regulation of Greenfield Excavated Materials in Construction and Development

The Northern Ireland Environment Agency and the Construction Employers Federation have developed a Regulatory Position to promote the sustainable re-use of Greenfield excavated material. The guidance relates solely to natural excavated material from Greenfield sites and applies only in Northern Ireland.

You can read the full guidance here

<https://www.daera-ni.gov.uk/sites/default/files/publications/doe/rps-greenfield-excavated-material-october-2016.pdf>



Duty of Care – Construction/Demolition Waste and Recycled Aggregate

The Northern Ireland Environment Agency has published new guidance outlining the Duty of Care regulatory requirements for the management of construction and demolition waste and aggregates produced from inert waste. The guidance sets out clear responsibilities for producers, carriers and those accepting, storing and treating the waste.

You can read the guidance here

<https://www.daera-ni.gov.uk/publications/duty-care-construction-demolition-waste-and-recycled-aggregate>



NEW NetRegs guidance for the Hair and Beauty sector

NetRegs has recently launched NEW environmental guidance for the Hair and Beauty sector.

If you are involved in the Hair and Beauty sector be sure to check the guidance for details on how to comply with environmental legislation and best practice.



View the guidance here:

[NetRegs – Hair and Beauty](#)

LIFE SMART Waste project news

The latest LIFE SMART Waste e-newsletter has been published to highlight the project's progress towards demonstrating innovative ways of understanding, tackling and reducing waste-related crime in Europe.

Read about the project's international collaboration with INTERPOL, waste flows, the launch of a communications Hub pilot, Operation Nortese and more in the [online edition](#) or register for future e-newsletters via the [project website](#).



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