From the office of the Minister of the Environment



To All Assembly Members

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Dear Assembly Member

The purpose of this letter is to advise you that I intend to announce in the near future my decision on the following planning applications:

Ref Nos: S/2008/0630/F and S/2009/0579/F

Description: Biomass Fuelled Power Plant and associated Water Abstraction Facility

(Poultry Waste and Bone Meal) – The ROSE ENERGY proposals

Location: Near Glenavy, Co. Antrim

I have considered the report and advice from my officials and I have decided that planning permission should not be granted for the proposed developments.

It is my intention to announce that Notices of Opinion to refuse will be prepared and issued in the near future.

Yours sincerely

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Minister of the Environment