

# Internal Incident Report



- Incident Number**
- Incident Title**
- Incident Date**
- Investigation Details**

**WR 6/23/0058**

Overflow from Silage Effluent tank, Bannanstown Road, Castlewellan

22/03/2023 11:15:00

With [REDACTED], I visited laneway and found a run of diluted silage effluent running on to lane. There was no one present at the dwelling beside the farm. On farm pollution. We traced this to an overflow from a small collection tank (Old oil tank) which was full.

We were met by a lady and her husband who explained [REDACTED]. I asked that they get the tank emptied asap and to take future preventative measures to stop the issue ever happening again and explained if it did a XC breach form would be completed. I told her as the pollution had been caught early and was minimal at this stage that I would issue an advisory letter. I asked her to contact me in a couple of days to ensure the issue was stopped. Revisit to follow.

Revisit carried out the following week by [REDACTED] and discharge to the field was now stopped.

Lady also alluded to a neighbourly dispute that was going on in the area- SN

<b>Officer Forename</b>	[REDACTED]	<b>Officer Surname</b>	[REDACTED]
<b>Pollution Confirmed</b>	Yes	<b>Source</b>	Farm
<b>Pollutant Category</b>	Agriculture	<b>Pollutant Sub Category</b>	Farm Effluent Mixture/Combined
<b>Cause</b>	Negligence	<b>Pollution Severity</b>	Low
<b>PCA</b>	6	<b>Alleged Polluter</b>	[REDACTED]
<b>Advisory Letter Issued</b>	No	<b>Fuel Laundering</b>	No
<b>Domestic Oil Spillage</b>	No	<b>Closed Period</b>	No
<b>Algal Bloom</b>	No	<b>X Compliance Breach</b>	No
<b>Fish Kill Severity</b>		<b>Fishkill Figures From</b>	
<b>Kill Count</b>			
<b>Easting</b>	[REDACTED]		
<b>Northing</b>	[REDACTED]		