



- **Laboratory analysis of water samples (sediment, chemical parameters)**

Where necessary, the Department collect statutory samples during water pollution investigations as part of the evidence gathering process. As such, due no prior water pollution incident investigations being undertaken at this location, no laboratory analysis data is available.

- **Enforcement notices or warning letters issued**

Where water pollution is confirmed and the environmental impact is deemed to be of a High or Medium Severity and a polluter can be identified, the Department seeks to issue warning letters pursue other enforcement action(s) under the Water (NI) Order 1999. Further information on the DAERA Enforcement Policy may be found here: [DAERA Enforcement Policy](#). As no water pollution has been identified at this location, no warning letters or enforcement notices have been issued in respect of lands opposite 76 Upper Dromore Road, Warrenpoint.

- **Prosecutions initiated under Water (NI) Order 1999**

As no water pollution has been reported or investigated in respect of lands opposite 76 Upper Dromore Road, Warrenpoint, the Department can confirm that no prosecutions have been initiated or undertaken under the Water (NI) Order 1999.

- **Settlement agreements or remediation undertakings obtained from developers**

NIEA Water Pollution Response and Enforcement Team hold no records in respect of this request.

If you require any clarification, believe that any part of your request has been overlooked, misunderstood or misinterpreted, please contact me in the first instance to see if it is a matter that can be resolved.

If you are unhappy with the way your request for information has been handled or the decision to release/withhold information, you have the right to request a formal review by the Department.

If you wish to do so, please contact The Review Section either by e-mailing [daera.informationmanager@daera-ni.gov.uk](mailto:daera.informationmanager@daera-ni.gov.uk) or by post at The Department of Agriculture, Environment and Rural Affairs, Data Protection & Information Management Branch, Floor 2, Jubilee House, 111 Ballykelly Road, Ballykelly, Limavady BT49 9HP, within two months from the date of this letter.

If after such an internal review you are still unhappy with the response, you have the right to appeal to the Information Commissioner at Wycliffe House, Water Lane, Wilmslow, CHESHIRE, SK9 5AF, who will undertake an independent review of the Department's decision.

Yours sincerely,

[Redacted signature]

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