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From: [REDACTED]
Sent: 27 August 2014 16:41
To: [REDACTED]
Subject: RE: submission re charges

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Many thanks for your email, of which we acknowledge receipt of.

Irish Water is economically regulated by an independent body, the Commission for Energy Regulation (CER). The CER are responsible for determining the cost of water services through a series of public consultations.

The CER is currently holding a public consultation on water tariffs and allowances. The consultation documents, along with details of how to engage with the consultation, are available on the CER website at www.cer.ie. The consultation period is due to run for a period of 4 weeks, closing on **28th August** and Irish Water encourages everyone to participate. At the end of this consultation, the CER will announce the final costs for water.

You can make a submission via email to the CER at the following email address: waterchargesplan@cer.ie

I hope you find this information helpful. If you have any further questions do not hesitate to contact our call centre on low call 1890 278 278 or use the form on our website which can be found here: <https://www.water.ie/help-centre/contact-us/>

Kind regards,

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Sent: 26 August 2014 18:52
To: WSSP
Subject: submission re charges

Could consideration be given to families with farms which include animals. Cows in particular are heavy users of water and it is unfair to penalise farmers with small holdings. Most farm houses and farm buildings are on the same meter, indeed it would be too costly to separate them and as such any 'family' free allowance would be used up rapidly by keeping animals alive.

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