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Sent: 28 August 2014 21:14
To: info Cer
Subject: submission on water charges

Dear Sir,

As a person living in a high lime water content area, I wish in that the commission in considering the allowances and pricing of metered water take into consideration the fact that:

a. Irish Water in its wisdom and expectation in providing a service which will provide a service which will provide water of a high quality has disqualified itself from any responsibility in regard to Lime content in hard water regions of the Nation.

B. As the evidence is obviously clear to staff dealing with water products throughout the country, Large areas through the country are supplied with water which has a high lime content that is disadvantageous to the householder or commercial user.

C. To This end, I would wish to put forward a proposal that a water allowance be given to individuals who have installed water softening equipment, to offset the quantity of water which the system uses to flush out the lime that has been extracted from the mains supply to their household/premises. It has been suggested that fifty gallons a night is used by certain systems thus an equivalent allowance to the amount of water used by systems to flush out the lime extract would seem to be a reasonable request. Further using the example above as only an example, this topic should be investigated to ascertain exactly the amount of water displacement in assessing such an allowance. This might be accurately assessed by consultations with technically qualified individuals.

d. It is disingenious

of Irish water to disqualify hard water areas from such considerations as the cost to householders/commercial customers can be quite costly in servicing and replacing appliances. Thus individuals who install water softening equipment deserve rewarding in improving the quality of the water supplied by the service provider who will maintain the claim that they are endeavouring to provide a high quality product. See article link below

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Extending my appreciation for your consideration of my suggestion.

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