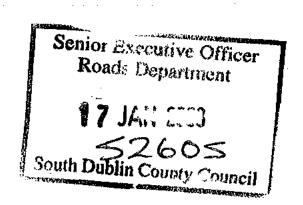


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11<sup>th</sup> January 2008

Dear Mr. Curtin

"To ask the Manager to make representation to Dublin Bus regarding certain buses that are very noisy using St. James Road, Greenhills and are causing annoyance to residents"

I would like to thank you for your letter, dated 4<sup>th</sup> January, on behalf of the Terenure/Rathfarnham Area Committee regarding the above.

Dublin Bus would like to apologise to those residents who have been affected by the noise of these buses. It is the policy of Dublin Bus to have all of the buses in our fleet tested annually by the Department of the Environment to ensure that they conform to all European legislation regarding noise and air pollution.

In addition to this we are constantly updating our fleet and plan to have removed the oldest and, therefore, noisiest buses, from this area by March 2008.

Dublin Bus hopes that this will eradicate the annoyance currently felt by some residents.

Please do not hesitate to contact me regarding any further information you may require.

Yours sincerely,

**Paddy Doherty** 

Business Development Manager:

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