

6th October 2010

The Purchasing Manager  
Aldi Ireland GmbH  
Newbridge Road  
Naas  
Co. Kildare

Our Ref: 24910

RE: Lucan/Clondalkin Area Committee Meeting of South Dublin  
County Council held on 28<sup>th</sup> September 2010

Dear Sir/Madam,

At the meeting of the Lucan/Clondalkin Area Committee held on the 28<sup>th</sup> September 2010 the following question was adopted and approved by the Members of the Area Committee:

*“To ask the Manager, if he will write to the major supermarket and hardware outlets in the Lucan and Clondalkin Electoral Areas, encouraging them to stock "compostable" bags which are regarded as suitable for Brown Bins, so that households who do not find it convenient to use paper to wrap food waste and other allowed materials for placing in their Brown Bins have a permitted alternative?”*

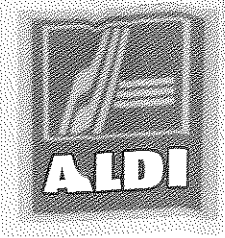
Please note that the Environmental Services Department of South Dublin County Council advise retailers that 100% compostable bags are permitted for use in the brown bins and that vendors should talk to their suppliers to confirm the products on sale meet this criteria.

I would be obliged for your comment and response as soon as possible to enable me to revert to the Committee.

Yours sincerely,

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**Noreen Fitzgibbon**  
**Senior Staff Officer**



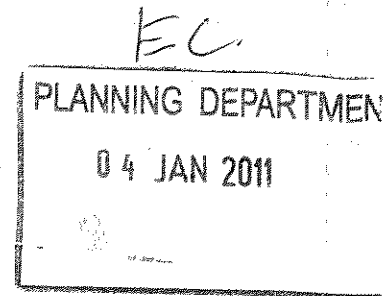
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24<sup>th</sup> December 2010.

**Re: letter 15<sup>th</sup> December 2010**

Dear Edel,

I refer to your letter of the above date regarding the compostable bags. Please be advised that we will have Compostable Bags on Sale in all of our Stores on 06/03/11 as a Special.

Please do not hesitate to contact me should you have any queries on this.

Kind Regards

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