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Dear Resident

You may be aware from recent media coverage of proposals to build a biomass power plant in your area. Rose Energy comprises three of Northern Ireland's leading agri-businesses - O'Kane Poultry Ltd, Moy Park Ltd, and Glenfarm Holdings Ltd – and plans to build a green energy plant which will convert biomass material into electricity. The proposed site is next to Ulster Farm By Products on the Ballyvannon Road, near Glenavy.

We intend to carry out a public consultation prior to submitting a planning application for this project, and we would like to provide you with some background to our proposal. The enclosed brochure aims to provide you with an introduction to the project and further information is available on our website (above), along with a facility to email questions directly to us.

The plant will have the capacity to be a major provider of green energy, therefore making a substantial contribution to Northern Ireland's renewable energy obligations. It will reinforce the local electricity infrastructure and create a substantial number of jobs. Very importantly, it will also help to protect thousands of jobs in Northern Ireland's agri-food industry, as explained in the brochure, and help to protect the environment. The government recognises that Rose Energy will deliver many benefits and has indicated its support for the project.

We are excited about the potential to bring positive environmental changes to Northern Ireland and are keen to communicate openly with the community of which we will be a part.

I would like to invite you, as an immediate neighbour, to a meeting with my colleagues and me at the Gil-good Lodge, Moira Rd on Wednesday, 23<sup>rd</sup> January at 7.00 pm, where we will present you with more information and answer any questions you may have regarding the project.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to be 'O. Mauro-Hun'.

**Osvaldo Mauro-Hun**

**Chief Executive, Rose Energy Ltd**