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Re: Irish News - comment?

Clive McFarland

To: John Robinson

Cc: Timothy Johnston; Richard Bullick [richardbullick@the RHI Inquiry]

17 March 2017 14:21

This is what I sent him through just as a point to consider

You'll obviously be aware of how the scheme worked, and that applications were submitted after your boiler was purchased, installed and operating, rather than before.

Therefore the decision to install a boiler will have been taken some time, and often some considerable time, before the application will have been submitted.

No doubt in any piece you write this fact will be considered and included.

Sent from my iphone

On 17 Mar 2017, at 14:19, John Robinson <johnrobinson@dup.org.uk> wrote:

Guys,

This is really frustrating. I find the IN's line incredibly damaging to Hugh's character. I am utterly exasperated with the innuendo about an honest hardworking man. He never made any reference to me or anyone else in the party about this application yet is being smeared.

Hugh's heating system was fully operational and accredited on 15 July 15. The "date of application" fails to reflect this.

On another point, it is quite ridiculous that the DUP Press Office is being contacted about Highgate Poultry Ltd.

Any reply should point out:

- "date of application" to the scheme does not reflect the fact that equipment was purchased, installed and accredited before application was made.

John Robinson

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