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## MVV submits applications for life extension of its Baldovie facility

MVV Environment Baldovie Ltd has submitted applications to Dundee City Council and the Scottish Environmental Protection Agency to allow it to keep its existing Forties Road incinerator facility operational for up to a further 10 years. MVV's Managing Director, Paul Carey, said: "Our original plan was to shut down the existing facility as soon as the new facility began to take waste. Having operated it for the last two years and also invested in numerous technical improvements, we are now confident that we can continue its safe and environmentally sustainable operation for a much longer period. This extension, if allowed, would give us the opportunity to create yet more jobs at our Baldovie facility and further contribute towards meeting the Zero Waste Scotland objectives of ceasing landfilling of waste."

With the new facility being built alongside, the extended energy from waste combined heat and power facility will divert over two hundred thousand tonnes of non-recyclable waste from landfill every year, generating up to 20 megawatts of electricity and offering the opportunity to supply steam to local developments on the recently announced Michelin Scotland Innovation Parc.

The application process will involve consultation with all stakeholders. MVV recognises the importance of local peoples knowledge of any new development hence, throughout the consultation period, MVV staff will be available to answer questions.

Press queries may be directed to Paul Carey, Managing Director, on 07768 842 715

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### Note to Editors

#### **About MVV**

With a work force of almost 6,000 employees and an annual turnover of around € 4 billion, MVV's core business comprises the distribution of energy, natural gas and water in Mannheim and other cities, the generation of Energy from Waste (EfW) and other energy projects with a focus on renewables such as onshore wind power and energy efficiency.

MVV Umwelt, a subsidiary company of MVV, has over 50 years' experience in building and operating waste management facilities in Germany, and is one of the top three companies in Germany in its field. "Umwelt" is the German word for environment, so it operates as MVV Environment in the United Kingdom. In Germany, MVV Umwelt operates five EfW (taking residual household waste) and Biomass (taking waste wood) facilities, treating 1.6 million tonnes of waste and biomass a year.

MVV entered the UK market in October 2008, bidding primarily for public sector waste contracts across the country. Now established as a responsible and growing group of companies in the UK, MVV operates three EfW and Biomass facilities treating over 500,000 tonnes of household residual waste and biomass a year. MVV is currently constructing a new energy from waste combined heat and power facility at Baldovie.

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