APPENDIX 1

SINGLE USE PLASTIC!

How many reasons do you need to refuse single-use plastic?

- Plastic pollutes our oceans and shorelines
- Plastic kills marine life and birds
- Plastic enters our food chain
- Only a small percentage of plastic is actually recycled
- Every bit of plastic made will still be here in hundreds of years

Further information is available in the Environment section on the LFRS Intranet under What You Need to Know, Safety, Health and Environment. Posters will be issued to stations and offices shortly.

5th June is World Environment Day. IEMA (Institute for Environmental Management and Assessment) are campaigning for people to give up the BIG four plastics:

- Bags
- Bottles
- Disposable Coffee Cups
- Straws

For more information visit their <u>website</u> and find out how to #PledgeLessPlastic