# **Environment Agency permitting decisions**

#### Full transfer

We have decided to grant the transfer for Higher Mosserley Farm from Mr Albert Bailey and Mrs Jean Bailey (trading as A & J Bailey) to Mr Stephen Chamley, Mrs Judith Helen Chamley and Frank Chamley (trading as F W Chamley & Son).

The new permit number is EPR/VP3435AQ.

We consider in reaching that decision we have taken into account all relevant considerations and legal requirements and that the permit will ensure that the appropriate level of environmental protection is provided.

## Purpose of this document

This decision document:

- explains how the application has been determined
- provides a record of the decision-making process
- shows how all relevant factors have been taken into account

## **Key Issues**

F W Chamley & Son has requested the transfer of Environmental Permit EPR/CP3232MX from A & J Bailey.

The permit transfer is the result of a change in operational responsibility from Mr Albert Bailey and Mrs Jean Bailey (trading as A & J Bailey) to Mr Stephen Chamley, Mrs Judith Helen Chamley and Frank Chamley (trading as F W Chamley & Son). The scope of operation and management at the installation will follow as advised in the application EPR/VP3435AQ/T001.

The Environment Agency foresee no issues with the transfer of the Environmental Permit and predict continued environmental protection through the above measures.

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#### **Annex 1: decision checklist**

This document should be read in conjunction with the Duly Making checklist, the application and supporting information and transfer notice. A transfer date has been agreed with the new operator as the date on which they will be in control of the facility. This is the effective date of the permit transfer.

Aspect considered	Justification / Detail	Criteria met
		Yes
Operator		
Control of the facility	We are satisfied that the applicant (now the operator) is the person who will have control over the operation of part of the facility after the grant of the permit. The decision was taken in accordance with EPR RGN 1 Understanding the meaning of operator.	<b>✓</b>
Operator competence		
Environment Management System	There is no known reason to consider that the operator will not have the management systems to enable it to comply with the permit conditions. The decision was taken in accordance with RGN 5 on Operator Competence.	<b>✓</b>
Relevant convictions	The National Enforcement Database has been checked to ensure that all relevant convictions have been declared.  No relevant convictions were declared by the transferee.  The operator satisfies the criteria in RGN 5 on Operator Competence.	<b>✓</b>
Financial provision	There is no known reason to consider that the operator will not be financially able to comply with the permit conditions. The decision was taken in accordance with RGN 5 on Operator Competence.  The site has no outstanding subsistence fees.	<b>&gt;</b>

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