

Environment Agency permitting decisions

Surrender

We have decided to accept the surrender of the permit for Bio-UK Fuels (Sheffield) operated by Bio-UK Fuels (Sheffield) Limited.

The permit number is EPR/QP3632GJ.

We are satisfied that the necessary measures have been taken to avoid any pollution risk and to return the site to a satisfactory state.

We consider in reaching that decision we have taken into account all relevant considerations and legal requirements.

Purpose of this document

This decision document:

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

Structure of this document

- Annex 1 the decision checklist

The site is a low impact installation (LII). Processing equipment, storage bunds and all associated waste and raw materials have been removed from the site to new operating premises. Four small plastic drums remaining have been removed by an appropriate contractor for disposal (refer to Picture 3).

Work was ongoing by the operator to redecorate the Unit (Pictures 1 and 2) in order to hand it back to the Landlord who is requesting a copy of the surrender documentation before handover. The Unit was in a satisfactory state to allow the permit surrender to be progressed.



Picture 1



Picture 2



Picture 3

Annex 1: decision checklist

This document should be read in conjunction with the Duly Making checklist, the application and supporting information, Site Condition Report Evaluation Template and the surrender letter.

Aspect considered	Justification / Detail	Criteria met
		Yes
Receipt of submission		
Identifying confidential information	We have not identified any information provided as part of the application that we consider to be confidential. The decision was taken in accordance with our guidance on commercial confidentiality.	✓
The site		
Extent of the surrender application	The operator has provided a plan showing the extent of the site of the facility that is to be surrendered. We consider this plan to be satisfactory.	✓
Pollution risk	We are satisfied that the necessary measures have been taken to avoid a pollution risk resulting from the operation of the regulated facility.	✓
Satisfactory state	We are satisfied that the necessary measures have been taken to return the site of the regulated facility to a satisfactory state. In coming to this decision we have had regard to the state of the site before the facility was put into operation.	✓