

Environment Agency permitting decisions

Surrender

We have decided to accept the surrender of the permit for Porthmellon Waste Management Site operated by Council of the Isles of Scilly.

The permit number is EPR/TP3732SE/S004.

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

- Key Issues
- Annex 1 the decision checklist

Key issues of the decision

The scope of the surrender is to fully surrender the Porthmellon Waste Management Site permit EPR/TP3732SE relating to the incinerator operation. There are two other permitted activities under permit numbers EPR/HP3639EQ and EPR/BB3407MC within the wider Porthmellon Waste Management Site but there is no change to operation of these permits as a result of this surrender application.

Annex 1: decision checklist

This document should be read in conjunction with the Duly Making checklist, the application and supporting information and permit/ notice.

Aspect considered	Justification / Detail	Criteria met
		Yes
Receipt of submission		
Confidential information	A claim for commercial or industrial confidentiality has not been made.	✓
Identifying confidential information	We have not identified 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.	✓