

Permit with introductory note

The Environmental Permitting (England & Wales) Regulations 2010

MWH Treatment Limited

Welland Bio Power

Pebble Hall Farm

Theddingworth

Northamptonshire

LE17 6NJ

Permit number

EPR/GP3432WP

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Introductory note

This introductory note does not form a part of the permit

This permit controls the operation of a waste co-incineration plant. The relevant listed activity is Section 5.1 Part A(1)(b) ~ the incineration of non-hazardous waste in a waste co-incineration plant with a capacity exceeding 3 tonnes per hour. The permit implements the requirements of the EU Directives on Industrial Emissions and Waste.

The main features of the permit are as follows:

This permit authorises MWH Treatment Ltd to operate a co-Incinerator under activity reference Section 5.1 Part A(1)(b) of 'The Environmental Permitting (England and Wales) Regulations 2010' for the thermal treatment of waste wood within four gasifier units – producing syngas for feed into a single combustion chamber.

The Installation will process a maximum of 72,000 tonnes (20% moisture) or 60,000 tonnes (dry) of waste wood per annum, with a calorific value of 20MJ/kg \pm 10%. It is likely that most of the timber feed material will be prepared and shredded adjacent to the site but by a different Operator and will be brought to site in pre prepared form

Shredded feedstock will be stored within the reception hall. A 'storage push floor' system (complete with perforated steel plate for air drying) will load the feedstock onto a conveyor. Screening takes place by removal of ferrous metals and fines, utilising a magnetic separator and screen prior to being transported to the gasifier units.

Upon arrival at the gasifiers, the feedstock will be fed into the units by an auger at a rate of approximately 7,500kg (dry) per hour. (The units cannot be ignited until required temperatures (850°C) are met within the secondary combustion chamber in line with Directive requirements). The combustion chamber is preheated and ignition of the wood is made by LPG (Liquid Petroleum Gas) burner further burners are located in the transfer ducts between the gasifier and combustion chamber which can also provide heat should this be required to maintain temperatures. The gasifiers provide a low oxygen atmosphere from which a hydrogen and carbon monoxide rich 'syngas' can be produced (at a rate of 13,400m³ per hour per unit).

Syngas streams (from each of the 4 units) are combined prior to arriving at the combustion tube / chamber. At this point, combustion takes place at a temperature in excess of 850°C for a minimum residence time of 2 seconds.

Following combustion, hot gases are transported to a single boiler and steam turbine allowing for the production of electricity at a rate of 10.6 MWe (gross) for the national grid (and local industrial users) and excess heat (to potential future heat users).

There is one release point to air (A1) via a 35m stack. Emissions released from this point will undergo the following gas abatement prior to discharge:-

- SNCR (Selective Non-Catalytic Reduction) for reduction of NO_x (Oxides of Nitrogen) using urea,
- Acid Gas Abatement (injection of dry lime),
- Activated Carbon (injected upstream of the fabric filter) for metals and dioxins, and
- Advanced bag (fabric) filter for particulate matter (and air pollution control (APC) residues).

Effluent from the process will be treated on site and re used where possible and the excess then treated and transferred to the surface water drainage system that drains via the Attenuation Lagoon to the River Welland. This discharge will also include uncontaminated surface water runoff from the roofs of the adjacent TAD Plant.

Chapter IV of the Industrial Emissions Directive requires the Installation to comply with various requirements including combustion controls, emission limit values, and monitoring requirements.

The process will generate Gasification ash (potential re-use as construction aggregate) and APC residues. These will be collected and recycled where possible, or taken off-site for appropriate disposal.

The proposed installation is located approximately 7.5km west south west of Market Harborough and about 1km south west of the village of Theddingworth. The approximate Ordnance Survey National Grid Reference for the centre of the site is SP 663 846.

To the northeast of the installation is a permitted wood processing and composting facility (WML 73293). To the west of the site is the River Welland. There are no European Designated habitat sites within 10km of the installation; there is one Site of Special Scientific Interest with 2km; and one Local Wildlife Site within 2km.

The surrounding area comprises mainly agricultural land. The closest residential receptor is located approximately 500m north of the site.

Planning permission has been granted for the Installation.

The operator has a certified organisational environmental policy in place, and will seek certification to ISO 9001 & 14001 when the Installation has been commissioned. The status log of the permit sets out the permitting history, including any changes to the permit reference number.

Status log of the permit		
Description	Date	Comments
Application EPR/GP3432WP/A001	Duly made 15/07/2015	Application for 30MW thermal input gasification plant.
Schedule 5 Notice issued	07/10/2015	Response received 27/11/2015
Permit determined	13/05/2016	Permit issued to MWH Treatment Limited

End of introductory note

Permit

The Environmental Permitting (England and Wales) Regulations 2010

Permit number

EPR/GP3432WP

The Environment Agency hereby authorises, under regulation 13 of the Environmental Permitting (England and Wales) Regulations 2010

MWH Treatment Limited ("the operator"),

whose registered office is

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company registration number 01535477

to operate an installation at

**Welland Bio Power
Pebble Hall Farm
Theddingworth
Northamptonshire
LE17 6NJ**

to the extent authorised by and subject to the conditions of this permit.

Name	Date
Philip Lamb	13/05/2016

Authorised on behalf of the Environment Agency

Conditions

1 Management

General management

- 1.1.1 The operator shall manage and operate the activities:
- (a) in accordance with a written management system that identifies and minimises risks of pollution, including those arising from operations, maintenance, accidents, incidents, non-conformances, closure and those drawn to the attention of the operator as a result of complaints; and
 - (b) using sufficient competent persons and resources.
- 1.1.2 Records demonstrating compliance with condition 1.1.1 shall be maintained.
- 1.1.3 Any person having duties that are or may be affected by the matters set out in this permit shall have convenient access to a copy of it kept at or near the place where those duties are carried out.

1.2 Energy efficiency

- 1.2.1 The operator shall:
- (a) take appropriate measures to ensure that energy is recovered with a high level of energy efficiency and energy is used efficiently in the activities.
 - (b) review and record at least every four years whether there are suitable opportunities to improve the energy efficiency of the activities; and
 - (c) take any further appropriate measures identified by a review.
- 1.2.2 The operator shall provide and maintain steam and/or hot water pass-outs such that opportunities for the further use of waste heat may be capitalised upon should they become practicable.
- 1.2.3 The operator shall review the viability of Combined Heat and Power (CHP) implementation at least every 4 years, or in response to any of the following factors, whichever comes sooner:
- (a) new plans for significant developments within 15 km of the installation;
 - (b) changes to the Local Plan;
 - (c) changes to the DECC UK CHP Development Map or similar; and
 - (d) new financial or fiscal incentives for CHP.

The results shall be reported to the Agency within 2 months of each review, including where there has been no change to the original assessment in respect of the above factors

1.3 Efficient use of raw materials

- 1.3.1 The operator shall:
- (a) take appropriate measures to ensure that raw materials and water are used efficiently in the activities;
 - (b) maintain records of raw materials and water used in the activities;
 - (c) review and record at least every four years whether there are suitable alternative materials that could reduce environmental impact or opportunities to improve the efficiency of raw material and water use; and
 - (d) take any further appropriate measures identified by a review.

1.4 Avoidance, recovery and disposal of wastes produced by the activities

- 1.4.1 The operator shall take appropriate measures to ensure that:
- (a) the waste hierarchy referred to in Article 4 of the Waste Framework Directive is applied to the generation of waste by the activities; and
 - (b) any waste generated by the activities is treated in accordance with the waste hierarchy referred to in Article 4 of the Waste Framework Directive; and
 - (c) where disposal is necessary, this is undertaken in a manner which minimises its impact on the environment.
- 1.4.2 The operator shall review and record at least every four years whether changes to those measures should be made and take any further appropriate measures identified by a review.

2 Operations

2.1 Permitted activities

- 2.1.1 The operator is only authorised to carry out the activities specified in schedule 1 table S1.1 (the “activities”).

2.2 The site

- 2.2.1 The activities shall not extend beyond the site, being the land shown edged in green on the site plan at schedule 7 to this permit.

2.3 Operating techniques

- 2.3.1 The activities shall, subject to the conditions of this permit, be operated using the techniques and in the manner described in the documentation specified in schedule 1, table S1.2, unless otherwise agreed in writing by the Environment Agency.
- 2.3.2 If notified by the Environment Agency that the activities are giving rise to pollution, the operator shall submit to the Environment Agency for approval within the period specified, a revision of any plan specified in schedule 1, table S1.2 or otherwise required under this permit which identifies and minimises the risks of pollution relevant to that plan, and shall implement the approved revised plan in place of the original from the date of approval, unless otherwise agreed in writing by the Environment Agency.
- 2.3.3 Any raw materials or fuels listed in schedule 2 table S2.1 shall conform to the specifications set out in that table.
- 2.3.4 Waste shall only be accepted if:
- (a) it is of a type and quantity listed in schedule 2 table S2.2; and
 - (b) it conforms to the description in the documentation supplied by the producer and holder.
 - (c) it having been separately collected for recycling, it is subsequently unsuitable for recovery by recycling.
- 2.3.5 The operator shall ensure that where waste produced by the activities is sent to a relevant waste operation, that operation is provided with the following information, prior to the receipt of the waste:
- (a) the nature of the process producing the waste;

- (b) the composition of the waste;
 - (c) the handling requirements of the waste;
 - (d) the hazardous property associated with the waste, if applicable; and
 - (e) the waste code of the waste.
- 2.3.6 The operator shall ensure that where waste produced by the activities is sent to a landfill site, it meets the waste acceptance criteria for that landfill.
- 2.3.7 Waste fuel shall not be charged, or shall cease to be charged, if:
- (a) the combustion chamber temperature is below, or falls below, 850°C, or
 - (b) any continuous emission limit value in schedule 3 table S3.1 is exceeded, other than under abnormal operating conditions ; or
 - (c) monitoring results required to demonstrate compliance with any continuous emission limit value in schedule 3 table S3.1 are unavailable other than under 'abnormal operating' conditions.
- 2.3.8 The operator shall have at least one auxiliary burner in each line at start up or shut down or whenever the operating temperature falls below that specified in condition 2.3.7, as long as incompletely burned waste is present in the combustion chamber. Unless the temperature specified in condition 2.3.7 is maintained in the combustion chamber, such burner(s) may be fed only with fuels which result in emissions no higher than those arising from the use of gas oil, liquefied gas or natural gas.
- 2.3.9 The operator shall record the beginning and end of each period of "abnormal operation".
- 2.3.10 During a period of "abnormal operation", the operator shall restore normal operation of the failed equipment or replace the failed equipment as rapidly as possible.
- 2.3.11 Where, during "abnormal operation", on a co-incineration line any of the following situations arise, waste shall cease to be charged on that line until normal operation can be restored:
- (a) continuous measurement shows that an emission exceeds any emission limit value in schedule 3 table S3.1 due to disturbances or failures of the abatement systems, or continuous emission monitor are out of service as the case may be, for a total of 4 hours uninterrupted duration;
 - (b) the cumulative duration of "abnormal operation" periods over 1 calendar year has reached 60 hours.
 - (c) continuous measurement shows that an emission exceeds any emission limit value in schedule 3 table S3.1 (a) due to disturbances or failures of the abatement systems;
 - (d) continuous emission monitors or alternative techniques to demonstrate compliance with the emission limit value(s) for particulates, TOC and / or CO in schedule 3 table S3.1 (a), as agreed in writing with the Environment Agency, are unavailable
- 2.3.12 The operator shall interpret the end of the period of "abnormal operation" as the earliest of the following:
- (a) when the failed equipment is repaired and brought back into normal operation;
 - (b) when the operator initiates a shutdown of the waste fuel combustion activity, as described in the application or as agreed in writing with the Environment Agency;
 - (c) when a period of four hours has elapsed from the start of the "abnormal operation";
 - (d) when, in any calendar year, an aggregated period of 60 hours "abnormal operation" has been reached.
- 2.3.13 Gasification ash and APC residues shall not be mixed.

2.4 Improvement programme

- 2.4.1 The operator shall complete the improvements specified in schedule 1 table S1.3 by the date specified in that table unless otherwise agreed in writing by the Environment Agency.
- 2.4.2 Except in the case of an improvement which consists only of a submission to the Environment Agency, the operator shall notify the Environment Agency within 14 days of completion of each improvement.

2.5 Pre-operational conditions

- 2.5.1 The activities shall not be brought into operation until the measures specified in schedule 1 table S1.4 have been completed.

3 Emissions and monitoring

3.1 Emissions to water, air or land

- 3.1.1 There shall be no point source emissions to water, air or land except from the sources and emission points listed in schedule 3 tables S3.1 and S3.2 except in “abnormal operation”, when there shall be no point source emissions to water, air or land except from the sources and emission points listed in schedule 3 tables S3.1(a) and S3.2.
- 3.1.2 The limits given in schedule 3 shall not be exceeded.
- 3.1.3 Wastes produced at the site shall, as a minimum, be sampled and analysed in accordance with schedule 3 table S3.5. Additional samples shall be taken and tested and appropriate action taken, whenever:
 - (a) disposal or recovery routes change; or
 - (b) it is suspected that the nature or composition of the waste has changed such that the route currently selected may no longer be appropriate.

3.2 Emissions of substances not controlled by emission limits

- 3.2.1 Emissions of substances not controlled by emission limits (excluding odour) shall not cause pollution. The operator shall not be taken to have breached this condition if appropriate measures, including, but not limited to, those specified in any approved emissions management plan, have been taken to prevent or where that is not practicable, to minimise, those emissions.
- 3.2.2 The operator shall:
 - (a) if notified by the Environment Agency that the activities are giving rise to pollution, submit to the Environment Agency for approval within the period specified, an emissions management plan which identifies and minimises the risks of pollution from emissions of substances not controlled by emission limits;
 - (b) implement the approved emissions management plan, from the date of approval, unless otherwise agreed in writing by the Environment Agency.
- 3.2.3 All liquids in containers, whose emission to water or land could cause pollution, shall be provided with secondary containment, unless the operator has used other appropriate measures to prevent or where that is not practicable, to minimise, leakage and spillage from the primary container.
- 3.2.4 The Operator shall carry out monitoring of groundwater in accordance with IED articles 14(1)(b), 14(1)(e) and 16(2) to the protocol agreed in writing with the Environment Agency under PO6 in Table S1.4.

3.3 Odour

- 3.3.1 Emissions from the activities shall be free from odour at levels likely to cause pollution outside the site, as perceived by an authorised officer of the Environment Agency, unless the operator has used appropriate measures, including, but not limited to, those specified in any approved odour management plan, to prevent or where that is not practicable to minimise the odour.
- 3.3.2 The operator shall:
- (a) if notified by the Environment Agency that the activities are giving rise to pollution outside the site due to odour, submit to the Environment Agency for approval within the period specified, an odour management plan which identifies and minimises the risks of pollution from odour;
 - (b) implement the approved odour management plan, from the date of approval, unless otherwise agreed in writing by the Environment Agency.

3.4 Noise and vibration

- 3.4.1 Emissions from the activities shall be free from noise and vibration at levels likely to cause pollution outside the site, as perceived by an authorised officer of the Environment Agency, unless the operator has used appropriate measures, including, but not limited to, those specified in any approved noise and vibration management plan to prevent or where that is not practicable to minimise the noise and vibration.
- 3.4.2 The operator shall:
- (a) if notified by the Environment Agency that the activities are giving rise to pollution outside the site due to noise and vibration, submit to the Environment Agency for approval within the period specified, a noise and vibration management plan which identifies and minimises the risks of pollution from noise and vibration;
 - (b) implement the approved noise and vibration management plan, from the date of approval, unless otherwise agreed in writing by the Environment Agency.

3.5 Monitoring

- 3.5.1 The operator shall, unless otherwise agreed in writing by the Environment Agency, undertake the monitoring specified in the following tables in schedule 3 to this permit:
- (a) point source emissions specified in tables S3.1, S3.1(a) and S3.2;
 - (b) surface water specified in table S3.3;
 - (c) process monitoring specified in table S3.4; and
 - (d) residue quality in table S3.5
- 3.5.2 The operator shall maintain records of all monitoring required by this permit including records of the taking and analysis of samples, instrument measurements (periodic and continual), calibrations, examinations, tests and surveys and any assessment or evaluation made on the basis of such data.
- 3.5.3 Monitoring equipment, techniques, personnel and organisations employed for the emissions monitoring programme and the environmental or other monitoring specified in condition 3.5.1 shall have either MCERTS certification or MCERTS accreditation (as appropriate) unless otherwise agreed in writing by the Environment Agency. Newly installed CEMs, or CEMs replacing existing CEMs, shall have MCERTS certification and have an MCERTS certified range which is not greater than 1.5 times the daily emission limit value (ELV) specified in schedule 3 table S3.1. The CEM shall also be able to measure instantaneous values over the ranges which are to be expected during all

operating conditions. If it is necessary to use more than one range setting of the CEM to achieve this requirement, the CEM shall be verified for monitoring supplementary, higher ranges.

- 3.5.4 Permanent means of access shall be provided to enable sampling/monitoring to be carried out in relation to the emission points specified in schedule 3 tables S3.1, S3.1(a), S3.2, S3.4 & S3.5 unless otherwise agreed in writing by the Environment Agency.
- 3.5.5 Where Continuous Emission Monitors are installed to comply with the monitoring requirements in schedule 3 table S3.1; the Continuous Emission Monitors shall be used such that;
- (a) the values of the 95% confidence intervals of a single measured result at the daily emission limit value shall not exceed the following percentages of the emission limit values:
 - Carbon monoxide 10%
 - Sulphur dioxide 20%
 - Oxides of nitrogen (NO & NO₂ expressed as NO₂) 20%
 - Particulate matter 30%
 - Total organic carbon (TOC) 30%
 - Hydrogen chloride 40%
 - (b) valid half-hourly average values shall be determined within the effective operating time (excluding the start-up and shut-down periods) from the measured values after having subtracted the value of the confidence intervals in condition 3.5.5 (a);
 - (c) where it is necessary to calibrate or maintain the monitor and this means that data are not available for a complete half-hour period, the half-hourly average shall in any case be considered valid if measurements are available for a minimum of 20 minutes during the half-hour. The number of half-hourly so validated shall not exceed 5 per day;
 - (d) daily average values shall be determined as the average of all the valid half-hourly average values within a calendar day. The daily average value shall be considered valid if no more than five half-hourly average in any day have been determined not to be valid;
 - (e) no more than ten daily average values per year shall be determined not to be valid.

3.6 Pests

- 3.6.1 The activities shall not give rise to the presence of pests which are likely to cause pollution, hazard or annoyance outside the boundary of the site. The operator shall not be taken to have breached this condition if appropriate measures, including, but not limited to, those specified in any approved pests management plan, have been taken to prevent or where that is not practicable, to minimise the presence of pests on the site.
- 3.6.2 The operator shall:
- (a) if notified by the Environment Agency, submit to the Environment Agency for approval within the period specified, a pests management plan which identifies and minimises risks of pollution from pests;
 - (b) implement the pests management plan, from the date of approval, unless otherwise agreed in writing by the Environment Agency.

3.7 Fire prevention

- 3.7.1 The operator shall take all appropriate measures to prevent fires on site and minimise the risk of pollution from them including, but not limited to, those specified in any approved fire prevention plan.
- 3.7.2 The Operator shall:

- (a) if notified by the Environment Agency that the activities are giving rise to a risk of fire, submit to the Environment Agency for approval within the period specified, a fire prevention plan which prevents fires and minimises the risk of pollution from fires.
- (b) implement the fire prevention, from the date of approval, unless otherwise agreed in writing by the Environment Agency.

4 Information

4.1 Records

4.1.1 All records required to be made by this permit shall:

- (a) be legible;
- (b) be made as soon as reasonably practicable;
- (c) if amended, be amended in such a way that the original and any subsequent amendments remain legible, or are capable of retrieval; and
- (d) be retained, unless otherwise agreed in writing by the Environment Agency, for at least 6 years from the date when the records were made, or in the case of the following records until permit surrender:
 - (i) off-site environmental effects; and
 - (ii) matters which affect the condition of the land and groundwater.

4.1.2 The operator shall keep on site all records, plans and the management system required to be maintained by this permit, unless otherwise agreed in writing by the Environment Agency.

4.2 Reporting

4.2.1 The operator shall send all reports and notifications required by the permit to the Environment Agency using the contact details supplied in writing by the Environment Agency.

4.2.2 A report or reports on the performance of the activities over the previous year shall be submitted to the Environment Agency by 31 January (or other date agreed in writing by the Environment Agency) each year. The report(s) shall include as a minimum:

- (a) a review of the results of the monitoring and assessment carried out in accordance with the permit including an interpretive review of that data;
- (b) the annual production /treatment data set out in schedule 4 table S4.2; and
- (c) the performance parameters set out in schedule 4 table S4.3 using the forms specified in table S4.4 of that schedule.
- (d) the functioning and monitoring of the incineration plant in a format agreed with the Environment Agency. The report shall, as a minimum requirement (as required by Chapter IV of the Industrial Emissions Directive) give an account of the running of the process and the emissions into air and water compared with the emission standards in the IED.

4.2.3 Within 28 days of the end of the reporting period the operator shall, unless otherwise agreed in writing by the Environment Agency, submit reports of the monitoring and assessment carried out in accordance with the conditions of this permit, as follows:

- (a) in respect of the parameters and emission points specified in schedule 4 table S4.1;
- (b) for the reporting periods specified in schedule 4 table S4.1 and using the forms specified in schedule 4 table S4.4 ; and

- (c) giving the information from such results and assessments as may be required by the forms specified in those tables.

4.2.4 The operator shall, unless notice under this condition has been served within the preceding four years, submit to the Environment Agency, within six months of receipt of a written notice, a report assessing whether there are other appropriate measures that could be taken to prevent, or where that is not practicable, to minimise pollution.

4.2.5 Within 1 month of the end of each quarter, the operator shall submit to the Environment Agency using the form made available for the purpose, the information specified on the form relating to the site and the waste accepted and removed from it during the previous quarter.

4.3 Notifications

4.3.1 In the event:

- (a) that the operation of the activities gives rise to an incident or accident which significantly affects or may significantly affect the environment, the operator must immediately—
 - (i) inform the Environment Agency,
 - (ii) take the measures necessary to limit the environmental consequences of such an incident or accident, and
 - (iii) take the measures necessary to prevent further possible incidents or accidents;
- (b) of a breach of any permit condition the operator must immediately—
 - (i) inform the Environment Agency, and
 - (ii) take the measures necessary to ensure that compliance is restored within the shortest possible time;
- (c) of a breach of permit condition which poses an immediate danger to human health or threatens to cause an immediate significant adverse effect on the environment, the operator must immediately suspend the operation of the activities or the relevant part of it until compliance with the permit conditions has been restored.

4.3.2 Any information provided under condition 4.3.1 (a)(i), or 4.3.1 (b)(i) where the information relates to the breach of a limit specified in the permit, shall be confirmed by sending the information listed in schedule 5 to this permit within the time period specified in that schedule.

4.3.3 Where the Environment Agency has requested in writing that it shall be notified when the operator is to undertake monitoring and/or spot sampling, the operator shall inform the Environment Agency when the relevant monitoring and/or spot sampling is to take place. The operator shall provide this information to the Environment Agency at least 14 days before the date the monitoring is to be undertaken.

4.3.4 The Environment Agency shall be notified within 14 days of the occurrence of the following matters, except where such disclosure is prohibited by Stock Exchange rules:

Where the operator is a registered company:

- (a) any change in the operator's trading name, registered name or registered office address; and
- (b) any steps taken with a view to the operator going into administration, entering into a company voluntary arrangement or being wound up.

Where the operator is a corporate body other than a registered company:

- (a) any change in the operator's name or address; and
- (b) any steps taken with a view to the dissolution of the operator.

In any other case:

- (a) the death of any of the named operators (where the operator consists of more than one named individual);
- (b) any change in the operator's name(s) or address(es); and
- (c) any steps taken with a view to the operator, or any one of them, going into bankruptcy, entering into a composition or arrangement with creditors, or, in the case of them being in a partnership, dissolving the partnership.

4.3.5 Where the operator proposes to make a change in the nature or functioning, or an extension of the activities, which may have consequences for the environment and the change is not otherwise the subject of an application for approval under the Regulations or this permit:

- (a) the Environment Agency shall be notified at least 14 days before making the change; and
- (b) the notification shall contain a description of the proposed change in operation.

4.3.6 The Environment Agency shall be given at least 14 days notice before implementation of any part of the site closure plan.

4.4 Interpretation

4.4.1 In this permit the expressions listed in schedule 6 shall have the meaning given in that schedule.

4.4.2 In this permit references to reports and notifications mean written reports and notifications, except where reference is made to notification being made "immediately", in which case it may be provided by telephone

Schedule 1 – Operations

Table S1.1 activities		
Activity listed in Schedule 1 of the EP Regulations	Description of specified activity	Limits of specified activity
S5.1 A(1) (b)	The incineration of non-hazardous waste in a waste co- incineration plant (Gasification) with a capacity of 3 tonnes per hour or more.	From receipt of waste to emission of exhaust gas and disposal of waste arising. Waste types and quantities as specified in Table S2.2 of this permit.
S5.4 A(1) a (ii)	Physico–chemical treatment of process effluent in a treatment plant with a capacity of >50 t/day prior to discharge to the River Welland.	Treatment of process water and boiler blowdown using the treatment method agreed in accordance with PO9 in table S1.4.
Directly Associated Activities)		
Electricity Generation	Generation of 10.6MW (gross) electrical power using a steam turbine from energy recovered from the flue gases.	
Release to water body	Discharge of process effluent and uncontaminated surface water runoff to the River Welland.	Discharge shall only consist of the following: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • treated process effluent from Welland Bio Power • uncontaminated surface water runoff from Welland Bio Power • uncontaminated runoff from the roofs of the TAD plant.

Table S1.2 Operating techniques		
Description	Parts	Date Received
Application	<p>Application Form Responses to questions in Part B2 & Part B3.</p> <p>Operating Techniques described in the:</p> <p>Section 2 Emissions control (all sub sections)</p> <p>Section 5 Improvement programme</p> <p>Appendix 5: Air emissions dispersion modelling report, HHRAP, Emergency releases.</p> <p>Appendix 7: BAT Review</p> <p>Appendix 8: Draft closure notice</p> <p>Appendix 10: Application site report.</p> <p>Appendix 11: Timber acceptance protocol.</p> <p>Appendix 15: Wood supply details.</p> <p>Appendix 16: Hydrogen fluoride monitoring</p> <p>Appendix 17: Operational details</p> <p>Appendix 18: residence time calculation</p> <p>Appendix 19: Ash residue analysis</p> <p>Appendix 23: CHP-Ready Assessment</p>	15/07/2015

Table S1.2 Operating techniques		
Description	Parts	Date Received
Additional information for Duly making in response to email request made 25/06/2015	Responses to questions 1 to 8	30/06/2015
Response to Schedule 5 Notice dated 07/10/2015	<p>Response to question 1 – Boiler design</p> <p>Response to question 2 – Burner technology</p> <p>Response to question 3 – Injection of activated carbon</p> <p>Response to question 5 – Choice of start up fuel</p> <p>Response to question 7 – CHP scheme: Cost benefit Analysis</p> <p>Response to question 8 – Effluent treatment and discharge arrangements to the River Welland.</p> <p>Response to question 9 – Containment of biocides</p> <p>Response to question 10 – Containment of cleandown water</p> <p>Response to question 11 – Impact of noise from vehicle movements on site</p> <p>Response to question 12 - Method of transfer of treated effluent from site to attenuation lagoon.</p> <p>Response to question 13 – Details of Attenuation lagoon lining system.</p>	27/11/2015
Additional information	Email Received 18/08/2015 containing copy of Site induction – Part of Fire Prevention Plan	18/08/2015
	2 Email received 22/10/2015 containing noise assessment reports.	22/10/2015
	Email containing Additional in information on stack height and design	19/12/2015
	Email from Steve Cooper (MWH) explaining surface water discharge arrangements.	29/02/2016
	Drainage Layout drawing	01/03/2016
	<p>Email from Steve Cooper (MWH) regarding effluent and surface water drainage to the Attenuation and Retention Lagoons including 2 x operating instructions titled:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Effluent water testing of discharge to river from Attenuation Lagoon rev05 • Effluent water testing discharge to river from retention lagoonrev05 	22/03/2016
	<p>2 Emails containing additional information on:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Temperature of effluent discharge • Suitable waste types 	06/05/2016

Table S1.3 Improvement programme requirements		
Reference	Requirement	Date
IC1	The Operator shall submit a written report to the Environment Agency on the implementation of its Environmental Management System and the progress made in the certification of the system by an external body or if appropriate submit a schedule by which the EMS will be certified.	Within 12 months of the date on which waste is first burnt.
IC2	The Operator shall submit a written proposal to the Environment Agency to carry out tests to determine the size distribution of the particulate matter in the exhaust gas emissions to air from emission point A1, identifying the fractions within the PM ₁₀ , and PM _{2.5} ranges. The proposal shall include a timetable for approval by the Environment Agency to carry out such tests and produce a report on the results. On receipt of written agreement by the Environment Agency to the proposal and the timetable, the Operator shall carry out the tests and submit to the Environment Agency a report on the results.	Within 6 months of the completion of commissioning.
IC3	The Operator shall submit a written report to the Environment Agency on the commissioning of the installation – in line with the commissioning plan as agreed under pre-operational condition PO3. The report shall summarise the environmental performance of the plant as installed against the design parameters set out in the Application, this includes validation of the noise assessment that was provided with the application. The report shall also include a review of the performance of the facility against the conditions of this permit and details of procedures developed during commissioning for achieving and demonstrating compliance with permit conditions.	Within 4 months of the completion of commissioning.
IC4	The Operator shall carry out checks to verify the residence time, minimum temperature and oxygen content of the exhaust gases in the furnace whilst operating under the anticipated most unfavourable operating conditions. The results shall be submitted in writing to the Environment Agency.	Within 4 months of the completion of commissioning.
IC5	The Operator shall submit a written report to the Environment Agency describing the performance and optimisation of the Selective Non Catalytic Reduction (SNCR) system and combustion settings to minimise oxides of nitrogen (NO _x) emissions within the emission limit values described in this permit with the minimisation of nitrous oxide emissions. The report shall include an assessment of the level of NO _x and N ₂ O emissions that can be achieved under optimum operating conditions. The report shall also provide details of the optimisation (including dosing rates) for the control of acid gases and dioxins	Within 4 months of the completion of commissioning.
IC6	The Operator shall carry out an assessment of the impact of emissions to air of the following component metals subject to emission limit values, Chromium, Arsenic, Lead, Manganese and Nickel. A report on the assessment shall be made to the Environment Agency. Emissions monitoring data obtained during the first year of operation shall be used to compare the actual emissions with those assumed in the impact assessment submitted with the Application. An assessment shall be made of the impact of each metal against the relevant EQS/EAL. In the event that the assessment shows that an EQS/EAL can be exceeded, the report shall include proposals for further investigative work.	15 months from commencement of normal operations
IC7	The Operator shall submit a written summary report to the Agency to confirm by the results of calibration and verification testing that the performance of Continuous Emission Monitors for parameters as specified in Table S3.1 and Table S3.1(a) complies with the requirements of BS EN 14181, specifically the	Initial calibration report to be submitted to the Agency within 3

Table S1.3 Improvement programme requirements		
Reference	Requirement	Date
	requirements of QAL1, QAL2 and QAL3.	months of completion of commissioning. Full summary evidence compliance report to be submitted within 18 months of commissioning.
IC8	The Operator shall carry out an assessment (using appropriate methodology) of the impact on water quality in the River Welland, based on 12 months of water quality monitoring data carried out in line with table S3.2 of the permit. A report showing the conclusion from the assessment and if necessary proposing new/amended emission limits shall be submitted to the Environment Agency for approval.	15 months from commencement of normal operations

Table S1.4 Pre-operational measures	
Reference	Pre-operational measures
PO1	Prior to the commencement of commissioning, the Operator shall send a summary of the site Environment Management System (EMS) to the Environment Agency and make available for inspection all documents and procedures which form part of the EMS. The EMS shall be developed in line with the requirements set out in Section 1 of How to comply with your environmental permit – Getting the basics right. The documents and procedures set out in the EMS shall form the written management system referenced in condition 1.1.1 (a) of the permit.
PO2	Prior to the commencement of commissioning, the Operator shall submit to the Environment Agency for approval a protocol for the sampling and testing of incinerator gasification ash for the purposes of assessing its hazard status. Sampling and testing shall be carried out in accordance with the protocol as approved.
PO3	Prior to the commencement of commissioning; the Operator shall provide a written commissioning plan, including timelines for completion, for approval by the Environment Agency. The commissioning plan shall include the expected emissions to the environment during the different stages of commissioning, the expected durations of commissioning activities and the actions to be taken to protect the environment and report to the Environment Agency in the event that actual emissions exceed expected emissions. The plan shall include proposals for the validation of the noise assessment that was submitted with the application. The Commissioning shall be carried out in accordance with the commissioning plan as approved.
PO4	<p>Prior to the commencement of commissioning, the Operator shall submit a written report to the Agency detailing the waste acceptance procedure to be used at the site. The waste acceptance procedure shall include the process and systems by which wastes unsuitable for incineration at the site will be controlled.</p> <p>The procedure shall be implemented in accordance with the written approval from the Environment Agency.</p>
PO5	After completion of furnace design and at least three calendar months before any furnace operation; the operator shall submit a written report to the Environment Agency of the details of the computational fluid dynamic (CFD) modelling. The report shall demonstrate whether the design combustion conditions comply with the residence time and temperature requirements as defined by Chapter IV and Annex VI of the IED.
PO6	<p>The Operator shall submit the written protocol referenced in condition 3.2.4 for the monitoring of soil and groundwater for approval by the Environment Agency. The protocol shall demonstrate how the Operator will meet the requirements of Articles 14(1)(b), 14(1)(e) and 16(2) of the IED.</p> <p>The procedure shall be implemented in accordance with the written approval from the Environment Agency.</p>
PO7	<p>At least three months before operation, the Operator shall submit a written report to the Environment Agency specifying arrangements for continuous and periodic monitoring of emissions to air to comply with Environment Agency guidance notes M1 and M2. The report shall include the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Plant and equipment details, including accreditation to MCERTS • Methods and standards for sampling and analysis • Details of monitoring locations, access and working platforms
PO8	<p>At least three months before operation, the Operator shall submit a written report to the Environment Agency specifying arrangements for continuous and periodic monitoring of emissions to the River Welland to comply with Environment Agency guidance notes M18. The report shall include the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Sampling and monitoring equipment details, including accreditation to MCERTS • Methods and standards for sampling and analysis • Details of monitoring locations and access.

Table S1.4 Pre-operational measures	
Reference	Pre-operational measures
PO9	<p>The Operator shall submit to the Environment Agency for approval a report that provides the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Details of the final design of the effluent treatment plant that will be used to treat effluent from the installation prior to discharge into the River Welland. The report shall include operating techniques for maintenance and performance testing of the treatment plant. • A plan showing the discharge point from the Attenuation Lagoon, monitoring sample point for emissions of treated effluent from the installation (as required by Table S3.2) and monitoring sample points for upstream and downstream monitoring of the River Welland (as required by Table S3.3).
PO10	<p>The Operator shall submit to the Environment Agency for approval an updated Fire Prevention Plan. The Plan shall be written in accordance with Environment Agency guidance 'Fire Prevention Plans' Version 2 March 2015.</p>
PO11	<p>The operator shall submit to the Environment Agency for approval a plan for implementing the CHP scheme identified in the cost benefit analysis (received 27/11/2015).</p> <p>The plan shall include as a minimum:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A timescale for implementation • A description of any dependencies or further approvals required • A description of any changes that will need to be made to the plant • Whether there will be any operational changes which could affect the environmental impact of the installation. • Consideration of whether a permit variation will be required <p>If required to do so by the Environment Agency the Operator shall implement the plan in accordance with the Environment Agency's written approval.</p>

Schedule 2 – Waste types, raw materials and fuels

Table S2.1 Raw materials and fuels	
Raw materials and fuel description	Specification
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Table S2.2 Permitted waste types and quantities for gasification plant	
Maximum quantity	72,000 tonnes per year, based upon feedstock at 20% moisture content.
Waste code	Description
02	WASTES FROM AGRICULTURE, HORTICULTURE, AQUACULTURE, FORESTRY, HUNTING AND FISHING, FOOD PREPARATION AND PROCESSING
02 01	wastes from agriculture, horticulture, aquaculture, forestry, hunting and fishing
02 01 07	wastes from forestry
03	WASTES FROM WOOD PROCESSING AND THE PRODUCTION OF PANELS AND FURNITURE, PULP, PAPER AND CARDBOARD
03 01	Wastes from wood processing and the production of panels and furniture
03 01 01	waste bark and cork
03 01 05	sawdust, shavings, cuttings, wood, particle board and veneer other than those mentioned in 03 01 04
03 03	wastes from pulp, paper and cardboard production and processing
03 03 01	waste bark and wood
15	WASTE PACKAGING; ABSORBENTS, WIPING CLOTHS, FILTER MATERIALS AND PROTECTIVE CLOTHING NOT OTHERWISE SPECIFIED
15 01	packaging (including separately collected municipal packaging waste)
15 01 03	wooden packaging
17	CONSTRUCTION AND DEMOLITION WASTES (INCLUDING EXCAVATED SOIL FROM CONTAMINATED SITES)
17 02	wood, glass and plastic
17 02 01	wood
19	WASTES FROM WASTE MANAGEMENT FACILITIES, OFF-SITE WASTE WATER TREATMENT PLANTS AND THE PREPARATION OF WATER INTENDED FOR HUMAN CONSUMPTION AND WATER FOR INDUSTRIAL USE
19 12	wastes from the mechanical treatment of waste (for example sorting, crushing, compacting, pelletising) not otherwise specified
19 12 07	wood other than that mentioned in 19 12 06
20	MUNICIPAL WASTES (HOUSEHOLD WASTE AND SIMILAR COMMERCIAL, INDUSTRIAL AND INSTITUTIONAL WASTES) INCLUDING SEPARATELY COLLECTED FRACTIONS
20 01	separately collected fractions (except 15 01)
20 01 38	separately collected fractions (except 15 01)
20 02	garden and park wastes (including cemetery waste)
20 02 01	biodegradable waste

Schedule 3 – Emissions and monitoring

Table S3.1 Point source emissions to air – emission limits and monitoring requirements						
Emission point ref. & location	Parameter	Source	Limit (including unit)	Reference period	Monitoring frequency	Monitoring standard or method
A1	Particulate matter	Exhaust Stack from thermal treatment unit	45 mg/m ³	½ - hr average	Continuous measurement	BS EN 14181 and BS EN 15267-3
			15 mg/m ³	daily average		
A1	Total Organic Carbon (TOC)		30 mg/m ³	½ - hr average		BS EN 14181 and BS EN 15267-3
			15 mg/m ³	daily average		
A1	Hydrogen chloride		90 mg/m ³	½ - hr average		BS EN 14181 and BS EN 15267-3
			15 mg/m ³	daily average		
A1	Hydrogen fluoride		3 mg/m ³	periodic over minimum 1-hour period	Quarterly in first year. Then Bi-annual	BS ISO 15713
A1	Carbon monoxide		150 mg/m ³	½ - hr average	Continuous measurement	BS EN 14181 and BS EN 15267-3
			75 mg/m ³	daily average		
A1	Sulphur dioxide		300 mg/m ³	½ - hr average		BS EN 14181 and BS EN 15267-3
			75 mg/m ³	daily average		
A1	Oxides of nitrogen (NO		600 mg/m ³	½ - hr average		BS EN 14181 and BS EN

Table S3.1 Point source emissions to air – emission limits and monitoring requirements						
Emission point ref. & location	Parameter	Source	Limit (including unit)	Reference period	Monitoring frequency	Monitoring standard or method
	and NO ₂ expressed as NO ₂)		300 mg/m ³	daily average		15267-3
A1	Cadmium & thallium and their compounds (total)		0.05 mg/m ³	periodic over minimum 30 minute, maximum 8 hour period	Quarterly in first year. Then Bi-annual	BS EN 14385
A1	Mercury and its compounds		0.05 mg/m ³	periodic over minimum 30 minute, maximum 8 hour period		BS EN 13211
A1	Sb, As, Pb, Cr, Co, Cu, Mn, Ni and V and their compounds (total)		0.5 mg/m ³	periodic over minimum 30 minute, maximum 8 hour period		BS EN 14385
A1	Ammonia (NH ₃)		No limit	periodic over minimum 1-hour period	For periodic measurement, quarterly in the first year of operation, then bi-annual	Procedural requirements of BS EN 14791
A1	Nitrous oxide (N ₂ O)		No limit	periodic over minimum 1-hour period		BS EN ISO 21258
A1	Dioxins / furans (I-TEQ)		0.1 ng/m ³	periodic over minimum 6 hours, maximum 8 hour period	Quarterly in first year. Then Bi-annual	BS EN 1948 Parts 1, 2 and 3
A1	Dioxins / furans (WHO-TEQ Humans / Mammals)			periodic over minimum 6 hours, maximum 8 hour period		BS EN 1948 Parts 1, 2 and 3
A1	Dioxins / furans (WHO-TEQ Fish)			periodic over minimum 6 hours, maximum 8 hour		BS EN 1948 Parts 1, 2 and 3

Table S3.1 Point source emissions to air – emission limits and monitoring requirements						
Emission point ref. & location	Parameter	Source	Limit (including unit)	Reference period	Monitoring frequency	Monitoring standard or method
				period		
A1	Dioxins / furans (WHO-TEQ Birds)			periodic over minimum 6 hours, maximum 8 hour period		BS EN 1948 Parts 1, 2 and 3
A1	Dioxin-like PCBs (WHO-TEQ Humans / Mammals)			periodic over minimum 6 hours, maximum 8 hour period		BS EN 1948-4
A1	Dioxin-like PCBs (WHO-TEQ Fish)			periodic over minimum 6 hours, maximum 8 hour period		BS EN 1948-4
A1	Dioxin-like PCBs (WHO-TEQ Birds)			periodic over minimum 6 hours, maximum 8 hour period		BS EN 1948-4
A1	Specific individual polycyclic aromatic hydrocarbons (PAHs), as specified in Schedule 6.			periodic over minimum 6 hours, maximum 8 hour period		Procedure shall use BS ISO 11338-1 and BS-ISO 11338-2.

Table S3.1(a) Point source emissions to air during abnormal operation of incineration plant – emission limits and monitoring requirements						
Emission point ref. & location	Parameter	Source	Limit (including unit)	Reference period	Monitoring frequency	Monitoring standard or method
A1	Particulate matter	Exhaust Stack from thermal treatment unit	225 mg/m ³	½-hr average	Continuous measurement	BS EN 14181 and BS EN 15267-3 during abatement plant failure or during failure of the continuous emission monitor.
A1	Total Organic Carbon (TOC)		30 mg/m ³	½-hr average		
A1	Carbon monoxide		150 mg/m ³	½-hr average		

Table S3.2 Point Source emissions to water (other than sewer) and land – emission limits and monitoring requirements						
Emission point ref. & location	Source	Parameter	Limit (incl. unit)	Reference Period	Monitoring frequency	Monitoring standard or method
S1 -Point of discharge from the attenuation lagoon in to the River Welland (location as agreed in accordance with PO9) ^{Note 1}	Treated Effluent from Welland Bio Power and uncontaminated surface water runoff only.	Flow	58m ³ /day	Instantaneous	Continuous	In accordance with Environment Agency guidance note M18 or such other subsequent guidance as may be agreed in writing with the Environment Agency.
		pH	6-9			
		Turbidity	No limit			
		Oil and Grease	Non visible	Flow proportional sample – 24 hour composite	Daily	
		Total Suspended Solids	30 mg/l		Weekly	
		Ammoniacal nitrogen	5 mg/l			
		Total Nitrogen	20 mg/l		Monthly	
		Phosphate	2 mg/l			
		BOD	20mg/l			
		Mercury, Cadmium, Iron, Thallium, Arsenic, Lead, Chromium, Copper, Nickel, Cobalt, Vanadium, Zinc and their compounds	-			

Note 1: The monitoring requirements and limits apply to the discharge of treated effluent from Welland Bio Power. The monitoring point shall be agreed in accordance with PO9 in table S1.4.

Table S3.3 Surface water or groundwater monitoring requirements				
Location or description of point of measurement	Parameter	Monitoring frequency	Reference period	Monitoring standard or method
SW1 & SW2 Monitoring point upstream and downstream of discharge point (location as agreed in accordance with PO9)	Ammoniacal nitrogen Suspended Solids Visual Oil and Grease pH Total Nitrogen Phosphate BOD	Monthly	Spot sample	In accordance with Environment Agency guidance note M18 or such other subsequent guidance as may be agreed in writing with the Environment Agency.

Table S3.4 Process monitoring requirements				
Emission point reference or source or description of point of measurement	Parameter	Monitoring frequency	Monitoring standard or method	Other specifications
Location close to the Combustion Chamber inner wall or as identified and justified in Application.	Temperature (° C)	Continuous	Traceable to national standards	As agreed in writing with the Agency.
A1	Exhaust gas temperature	Continuous	Traceable to national standards	As agreed in writing with the Agency.
A1	Exhaust gas pressure	Continuous	Traceable to national standards	As agreed in writing with the Agency.
A1	Exhaust gas oxygen content	Continuous	BS EN 15267-3 BS EN 14181	
A1	Exhaust gas water vapour content	Continuous	BS EN 15267-3 BS EN 14181	Unless gas is dried before analysis of emissions.

Table S3.5 Residue quality					
Emission point reference or source or description of point of measurement	Parameter	Limit	Monitoring frequency	Monitoring standard or method *	Other specifications
Gasification Ash	TOC	<3%	Monthly in the first year of operation. Then Quarterly	Environment Agency Guidance, 'TGN M4 – Guidelines for Ash Sampling and Analysis'	
Gasification Ash	Metals (Antimony, Cadmium, Thallium, Mercury, Lead, Chromium, Copper, Manganese, Nickel, Arsenic, Cobalt, Vanadium, Zinc) and their compounds, dioxins/furans and dioxin-like PCBs.		Monthly in the first year of operation. Then Quarterly	Environment Agency Guidance, 'TGN M4 – Guidelines for Ash Sampling and Analysis'	
Gasification Ash	Total soluble fraction and metals (Antimony, Cadmium, Thallium, Mercury, Lead, Chromium, Copper, Manganese, Nickel, Arsenic, Cobalt, Vanadium, Zinc) soluble fractions		Before use of a new disposal or recycling route	Environment Agency Guidance, 'TGN M4 – Guidelines for Ash Sampling and Analysis'	
APC Residues	Metals (Antimony, Cadmium, Thallium, Mercury, Lead, Chromium, Copper, Manganese, Nickel, Arsenic, Cobalt, Vanadium, Zinc) and their compounds, dioxins/furans and dioxin-like PCBs.		Monthly in the first year of operation. Then Quarterly	Environment Agency Guidance, 'TGN M4 – Guidelines for Ash Sampling and Analysis'	
APC Residues	Total soluble fraction and metals (Antimony, Cadmium, Thallium, Mercury, Lead,		Before use of a new disposal or recycling route	Environment Agency Guidance, 'TGN M4 – Guidelines	

Table S3.5 Residue quality					
Emission point reference or source or description of point of measurement	Parameter	Limit	Monitoring frequency	Monitoring standard or method *	Other specifications
	Chromium, Copper, Manganese, Nickel, Arsenic, Cobalt, Vanadium, Zinc) soluble fractions			for Ash Sampling and Analysis'	

* Or other equivalent standard as agreed in writing with the Environment Agency.

Schedule 4 – Reporting

Parameters, for which reports shall be made, in accordance with conditions of this permit, are listed below.

Table S4.1 Reporting of monitoring data			
Parameter	Emission or monitoring point/reference	Reporting period	Period begins
Emissions to air Parameters as required by condition 3.5.1	A1	Quarterly	1 Jan, 1 Apr, 1 Jul and 1 Oct
Emissions to water Parameters as required by condition 3.5.1	W1	Quarterly	1 Jan, 1 Apr, 1 Jul and 1 Oct
Surface water monitoring Parameters as required by condition 3.5.1	SWMP 1 and SWMP2	Quarterly	1 Jan and 1 Jul
TOC Parameters as required by condition 3.5.1	Gasification Ash	Quarterly (but monthly for the first year of operation)	1 Jan, 1 Apr, 1 Jul and 1 Oct
Metals (Antimony, Cadmium, Thallium, Mercury, Lead, Chromium, Copper, Manganese, Nickel, Arsenic, Cobalt, Vanadium, Zinc) and their compounds, dioxins/furans and dioxin-like PCBs Parameters as required by condition 3.5.1	Gasification Ash	Quarterly (but monthly for the first year of operation)	1 Jan, 1 Apr, 1 Jul and 1 Oct
Total soluble fraction and metals (Antimony, Cadmium, Thallium, Mercury, Lead, Chromium, Copper, Manganese, Nickel, Arsenic, Cobalt, Vanadium, Zinc) soluble fractions Parameters as required by condition 3.5.1	Gasification Ash	Before use of a new disposal or recycling route	
Metals (Antimony, Cadmium, Thallium, Mercury, Lead, Chromium, Copper, Manganese, Nickel, Arsenic, Cobalt, Vanadium, Zinc) and their compounds, dioxins/furans and dioxin-like PCBs Parameters as required by condition 3.5.1	APC Residues	Quarterly (but monthly for the first year of operation)	1 Jan, 1 Apr, 1 Jul and 1 Oct
Total soluble fraction and metals (Antimony, Cadmium, Thallium, Mercury, Lead, Chromium, Copper, Manganese, Nickel, Arsenic, Cobalt, Vanadium, Zinc) soluble fractions Parameters as required by condition 3.5.1	APC Residues	Before use of a new disposal or recycling route	
Functioning and monitoring of the incineration plant as required by		Annually	1 Jan

Table S4.1 Reporting of monitoring data			
Parameter	Emission or monitoring point/reference	Reporting period	Period begins
condition 4.2.2			

Table S4.2: Annual production/treatment	
Parameter	Units
Total Wood Waste Co-Incinerated	tonnes
Electrical energy produced	KWhrs
Thermal energy produced e.g. steam for export	KWhrs
Electrical energy exported	KWhrs
Electrical energy used on installation	KWhrs
Waste heat utilised by the installation	KWhrs

Table S4.3 Performance parameters		
Parameter	Frequency of assessment	Units
Electrical energy exported, imported and used at the installation	Quarterly	KWhrs / tonne of waste co-incinerated
Fuel oil/LPG consumption	Quarterly	Kgs / tonne of waste co- incinerated
Mass of Gasification Ash produced	Quarterly	Kgs / tonne of waste co- incinerated
Mass of APC residues produced	Quarterly	Kgs / tonne of waste co-incinerated
Mass of Other solid residues produced	Quarterly	Kgs / tonne of waste co-incinerated
Urea consumption	Quarterly	Kgs / tonne of waste co-incinerated
Activated Carbon consumption	Quarterly	Kgs / tonne of waste co-incinerated
Lime consumption	Quarterly	Kgs / tonne of waste co-incinerated
Water consumption	Quarterly	Kgs / tonne of waste co-incinerated
Periods of abnormal operation	Quarterly	No of occasions and cumulative hours for current calendar year for each line.

Table S4.4 Reporting forms		
Media/parameter	Reporting format	Date of form
Air	Form air 1 or other form as agreed in writing by the Environment Agency	13/05/2016
Water and Land	Form water 1 or other form as agreed in writing by the Environment Agency	13/05/2016
Water and other raw material usage	Form water usage 1 or other form as agreed in writing by the Environment Agency	13/05/2016
Energy usage	Form energy 1 or other form as agreed in writing by the Environment Agency	13/05/2016
Residues	Form residues 1 and 2 or other form as agreed in writing by the Environment Agency	13/05/2016
Other performance indicators	Form performance 1 or other form as agreed in writing by the Environment Agency	13/05/2016

Schedule 5 – Notification

These pages outline the information that the operator must provide.

Units of measurement used in information supplied under Part A and B requirements shall be appropriate to the circumstances of the emission. Where appropriate, a comparison should be made of actual emissions and authorised emission limits.

If any information is considered commercially confidential, it should be separated from non-confidential information, supplied on a separate sheet and accompanied by an application for commercial confidentiality under the provisions of the EP Regulations.

Part A

Permit Number	
Name of operator	
Location of Facility	
Time and date of the detection	

(a) Notification requirements for any malfunction, breakdown or failure of equipment or techniques, accident, or emission of a substance not controlled by an emission limit which has caused, is causing or may cause significant pollution	
To be notified within 24 hours of detection	
Date and time of the event	
Reference or description of the location of the event	
Description of where any release into the environment took place	
Substances(s) potentially released	
Best estimate of the quantity or rate of release of substances	
Measures taken, or intended to be taken, to stop any emission	
Description of the failure or accident.	

(b) Notification requirements for the breach of a limit	
To be notified within 24 hours of detection unless otherwise specified below	
Emission point reference/ source	
Parameter(s)	
Limit	
Measured value and uncertainty	
Date and time of monitoring	
Measures taken, or intended to be taken, to stop the emission	

Time periods for notification following detection of a breach of a limit	
Parameter	Notification period

(c) Notification requirements for the detection of any significant adverse environmental effect	
To be notified within 24 hours of detection	
Description of where the effect on the environment was detected	
Substances(s) detected	
Concentrations of substances detected	
Date of monitoring/sampling	

Part B – to be submitted as soon as practicable

Any more accurate information on the matters for notification under Part A.	
Measures taken, or intended to be taken, to prevent a recurrence of the incident	
Measures taken, or intended to be taken, to rectify, limit or prevent any pollution of the environment which has been or may be caused by the emission	
The dates of any unauthorised emissions from the facility in the preceding 24 months.	

Name*	
Post	
Signature	
Date	

* authorised to sign on behalf of the operator

Schedule 6 – Interpretation

“abatement equipment” means that equipment dedicated to the removal of polluting substances from releases from the installation to air or water media.

“*abnormal operation*” means any technically unavoidable stoppages, disturbances, or failures of the abatement plant or the measurement devices, during which the emissions into the air and the discharges of waste water may exceed the prescribed emission limit values

“accident” means an accident that may result in pollution.

“APC residues” means air pollution control residues

“application” means the application for this permit, together with any additional information supplied by the operator as part of the application and any response to a notice served under Schedule 5 to the EP Regulations.

“authorised officer” means any person authorised by the Environment Agency under section 108(1) of The Environment Act 1995 to exercise, in accordance with the terms of any such authorisation, any power specified in section 108(4) of that Act.

“gasification ash” means char residue from gasifiers;

“CEM” Continuous emission monitor

“CEN” means Comité Européen de Normalisation “bi-annual” means twice per year with at least five months between tests;

“daily average” for releases of substances to air means the average of valid half-hourly averages over a calendar day during normal operation.

“dioxin and furans” means polychlorinated dibenzo-p-dioxins and polychlorinated dibenzofurans.

“disposal”. Means any of the operations provided for in Annex I to Directive 2008/98/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council on waste.

“EP Regulations” means The Environmental Permitting (England and Wales) Regulations SI 2010 No.675 and words and expressions used in this permit which are also used in the Regulations have the same meanings as in those Regulations.

“emissions of substances not controlled by emission limits” means emissions of substances to air, water or land from the activities, either from the emission points specified in schedule 3 or from other localised or diffuse sources, which are not controlled by an emission limit.

“groundwater” means all water, which is below the surface of the ground in the saturation zone and in direct contact with the ground or subsoil.

‘*Hazardous property*’ has the meaning in Annex III of the Waste Framework Directive

‘*Hazardous waste*’ has the meaning given in the Hazardous Waste (England and Wales) Regulations 2005 (as amended)

“incineration line” means all of the incineration equipment related to a common discharge to air location.

“Industrial Emissions Directive” means DIRECTIVE 2010/75/EU OF THE EUROPEAN PARLIAMENT AND OF THE COUNCIL of 24 November 2010 on industrial emissions

“ISO” means International Standards Organisation.

‘*List of Wastes*’ means the list of wastes established by Commission Decision 2000/532/EC replacing Decision 94/3/EC establishing a list of wastes pursuant to Article 1(a) of Council Directive 75/442/EEC on waste and Council Decision 94/904/EC establishing a list of hazardous waste pursuant to Article 1(4) of Council Directive 91/689/EEC on hazardous waste, as amended from time to time

“LOI” means loss on ignition a technique used to determine the combustible material by heating the ash residue to a high temperature

“MCERTS” means the Environment Agency’s Monitoring Certification Scheme.

“PAH” means Poly-cyclic aromatic hydrocarbon, and comprises Anthanthrene, Benzo[a]anthracene, Benzo[b]fluoranthene, Benzo[k]fluoranthene, Benzo[b]naph(2,1-d)thiophene, Benzo[c]phenanthrene, Benzo[ghi]perylene, Benzo[a]pyrene, Cholanthrene, Chrysene, Cyclopenta[c,d]pyrene, Dibenz[ah]anthracene, Dibenz[a,i]pyrene Fluoranthene, Indo[1,2,3-cd]pyrene, Naphthalene

“PCB” means Polychlorinated Biphenyl. Dioxin-like PCBs are the non-ortho and mono-ortho PCBs listed in the table below.

Pests” means Birds, Vermin and Insects.

“quarter” means a calendar year quarter commencing on 1 January, 1 April, 1 July or 1 October.

“recovery” means any of the operations provided for in Annex II to Directive 2008/98/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council on waste.

“shut down” is any period where the plant is being returned to a non-operational state and there is no waste being charged.

“start up” is any period, where the plant has been non-operational, until the waste heat boiler is started to run on syngas and to initiate steady-state conditions as described in the application or agreed in writing with the Environment Agency.

“TOC” means Total Organic Carbon. In respect of releases to air, this means the gaseous and vaporous organic substances, expressed as TOC. In respect of Gasification Ash, this means the total carbon content of all organic species present in the ash (excluding carbon in elemental form).

‘Waste code’ means the six digit code referable to a type of waste in accordance with the List of Wastes and in relation to hazardous waste, includes the asterisk

“Waste Framework Directive” or “WFD” means Waste Framework Directive 2008/98/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council on waste

“year” means calendar year ending 31 December.

Where a minimum limit is set for any emission parameter, for example pH, reference to exceeding the limit shall mean that the parameter shall not be less than that limit.

Unless otherwise stated, any references in this permit to concentrations of substances in emissions into air means:

- (a) in relation to gases from co-incineration plants the concentration in dry air at a temperature of 273K, at a pressure of 101.3 kPa and with an oxygen content of 6% dry

For dioxins/furans and dioxin-like PCBs the determination of the toxic equivalence concentration (I-TEQ, & WHO-TEQ for dioxins/furans, WHO-TEQ for dioxin-like PCBs) stated as a release limit and/ or reporting requirement, the mass concentrations of the following congeners have to be multiplied with their respective toxic equivalence factors before summing. When reporting on measurements of dioxins/furans and dioxin-like PCBs, the toxic equivalence concentrations should be reported as a range based on: all congeners less than the detection limit assumed to be zero as a minimum, and all congeners less than the detection limit assumed to be at the detection limit as a maximum. However the minimum value should be used when assessing compliance with the emission limit value in table S3.1.

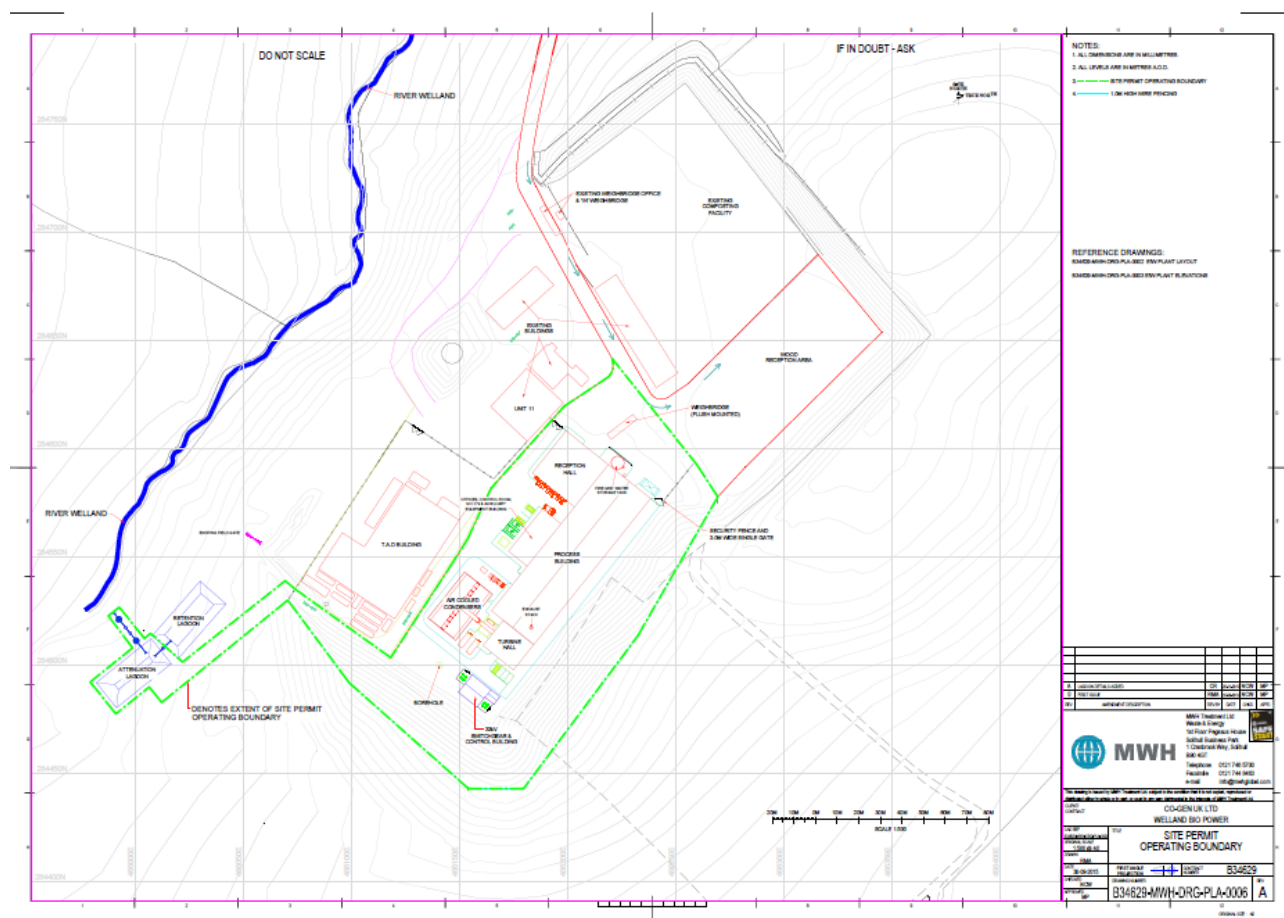
TEF schemes for dioxins and furans				
Congener	I-TEF	WHO-TEF		
	1990	2005	1997/8	
		Humans / Mammals	Fish	Birds

TEF schemes for dioxins and furans				
Congener	I-TEF	WHO-TEF		
	1990	2005	1997/8	
Dioxins				
2,3,7,8-TCDD	1	1	1	1
1,2,3,7,8-PeCDD	0.5	1	1	1
1,2,3,4,7,8-HxCDD	0.1	0.1	0.5	0.05
1,2,3,6,7,8-HxCDD	0.1	0.1	0.01	0.01
1,2,3,7,8,9-HxCDD	0.1	0.1	0.01	0.1
1,2,3,4,6,7,8-HpCDD	0.01	0.01	0.001	<0.001
OCDD	0.001	0.0003	-	-
Furans				
2,3,7,8-TCDF	0.1	0.1	0.05	1
1,2,3,7,8-PeCDF	0.05	0.03	0.05	0.1
2,3,4,7,8-PeCDF	0.5	0.3	0.5	1
1,2,3,4,7,8-HxCDF	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1
1,2,3,7,8,9-HxCDF	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1
1,2,3,6,7,8-HxCDF	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1
2,3,4,6,7,8-HxCDF	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1
1,2,3,4,6,7,8-HpCDF	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.01
1,2,3,4,7,8,9-HpCDF	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.01
OCDF	0.001	0.0003	0.0001	0.0001

TEF schemes for dioxin-like PCBs			
Congener	WHO-TEF		
	2005	1997/8	
	Humans / mammals	Fish	Birds
Non-ortho PCBs			
3,4,4',5-TCB (81)	0.0001	0.0005	0.1
3,3',4,4'-TCB (77)	0.0003	0.0001	0.05
3,3',4,4',5 - PeCB (126)	0.1	0.005	0.1
3,3',4,4',5,5'-HxCB(169)	0.03	0.00005	0.001
Mono-ortho PCBs			
2,3,3',4,4'-PeCB (105)	0.00003	<0.000005	0.0001
2,3,4,4',5-PeCB (114)	0.00003	<0.000005	0.0001
2,3',4,4',5-PeCB (118)	0.00003	<0.000005	0.00001
2',3,4,4',5-PeCB (123)	0.00003	<0.000005	0.00001

TEF schemes for dioxin-like PCBs			
Congener	WHO-TEF		
	2005	1997/8	
	Humans / mammals	Fish	Birds
2,3,3',4,4',5-HxCB (156)	0.00003	<0.000005	0.0001
2,3,3',4,4',5'-HxCB (157)	0.00003	<0.000005	0.0001
2,3',4,4',5,5'-HxCB (167)	0.00003	<0.000005	0.00001
2,3,3',4,4',5,5'-HpCB (189)	0.00003	<0.000005	0.00001

Schedule 7 – Site plan



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