The Company Director and/or Secretary
Ashford East Plating Works
South Stour Avenue
Eastmead Estate
Ashford
Kent
TN23 7RS

Our ref: EPR/BX8173IS/S002

Date: 21 May 2015

Dear Sir or Madam

Your permit surrender is complete

Permit reference: EPR/BX8173IS/S002 Operator: Paramount Plating Limited

Facility: Ashford East Plating Works, South Stour Avenue, Eastmead Trading Estate,

Ashford, Kent, TN23 7RS

I'm pleased to confirm that our determination of your application to surrender your permit is complete. We're satisfied that the necessary measures have been taken to avoid a pollution risk resulting from the operation of the regulated facility, and to return the site of the regulated facility to a satisfactory state, having regard to the state of the site before the facility was put into operation. We therefore accept the surrender. The surrender takes effect from the date of this letter.

If you're entitled to a refund of previously paid subsistence fees our Finance department will arrange this.

If you want to carry out any activities that need an environmental permit you must apply for a new one. If you have any questions about permitting please phone our Customer Contact Centre on 03708 506 506. They will put you in touch with a local area officer.

Yours sincerely

Simon Paterson Principle Permitting Team Leader

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