

# Notice of variation and consolidation with introductory note

The Environmental Permitting (England & Wales) Regulations 2016

Hollybush Recycling Limited

Hollybush Farm Warstone Road Shareshill Wolverhampton WV10 7LX

Variation application number

EPR/DB3601HB/V004

Permit number

EPR/DB3601HB

# Hollybush Farm Permit number EPR/DB3601HB

# Introductory note

### This introductory note does not form a part of the notice

Under the Environmental Permitting (England & Wales) Regulations 2016 (schedule 5, part 1, paragraph 19) a variation may comprise a consolidated permit reflecting the variations and a notice specifying the variations included in that consolidated permit.

Schedule 1 of the notice specifies the conditions that have been varied and schedule 2 comprises a consolidated permit which reflects the variations being made. All the conditions of the permit have been varied and are subject to the right of appeal.

#### Changes introduced by this variation notice/statutory review

The Industrial Emissions Directive (IED) came into force on 7 January 2014 with the requirement to implement all relevant Best Available Techniques (BAT) Conclusions as described in the Commission Implementing Decision. Article 21(3) of the IED requires the Environment Agency to review conditions in permits that it has issued and to ensure that the permit delivers compliance with relevant standards, within four years of the publication of updated decisions on Best Available Techniques (BAT) Conclusions. The BAT Conclusions for Waste Treatment (the BREF) was published on 17 August 2018 following a European Union wide review of BAT, implementing decision (EU) 2018/1147 of 10 August 2018.

The scope of the permit review also covers the assessment of:

- the bioaerosols monitoring and compliance with M9 bioaerosols monitoring requirements;
- the design and construction of secondary containment and storage lagoons;
- the available storage facilities and measures to reduce ammonia emissions from storage; and
- information on existing medium combustion plant and/or specified generators on site.

This variation has been issued to update some of the conditions following a statutory review of the permits in the industry sector for biowaste treatment. The opportunity has also been taken to consolidate the original permit and subsequent variations.

#### Brief description of the process

Hollybush Farm facility covers an area of approximately 8 hectares in a rural setting. The site is situated approximately 1 km West of Cheslyn Hay, Staffordshire, centred on National Grid Reference SJ 96501 06801. The site is bounded to the south by the Hollybush Garden Centre and Nurseries, to the west by a track (Hospital Lane) and to the north and east by hedgerows and agricultural land.

Hollybush Farm currently receives green and catering waste. The waste is treated using two complimentary processes, a green waste open windrow composting process and an in-vessel composting (IVC) process. The outputs from both treatment processes are produced to PAS 100 standards and sold to soil blending, horticultural and agricultural markets.

The site is permitted to accept up 305,000 tonnes of biodegradable waste a year and 244,000 tonnes of inert waste. The total quantity of waste in the windrows at any one time is limited to 50,000 m<sup>3</sup>.

Stage 1 of the IVC activity takes place in a building on an impermeable surface with a sealed drainage system. The stage 2 maturation process takes place outside in windrows on an impermeable surface with sealed drainage.

The open windrow process takes place outside in windrows on an impermeable surface with sealed drainage. Run off or leachate from the composting areas is stored in the Phase 1 Tank or lagoon and treated

by reverse osmosis for re-use on the windrows to manage moisture content.

The other activities on site will remain as waste activities – processing of waste inert materials to produce secondary aggregate and soils, and production of fuel pellets and biofuel from waste wood and oversize materials from the composting processes. The site also stores gypsum-based waste material prior to transfer off site for recovery. Surface run off from the inert materials and wood processing areas is discharged to a brook via point SW1 after passing through french drains. The oversize materials are processed on an impermeable surface with a sealed drainage system. Surface run off is stored and treated as per the composting activities.

There are two Special Areas of Conservation (SAC) sites located within 10 km of the installation. There is one Site of Special Scientific Interest (SSSI) located within 5 km of the installation. There are also eight Local Wildlife Sites (LWS), Ancient Woodlands (AW), Local Nature Reserves (LNR) within 2 km of the installation.

The schedules specify the changes made to the permit.

The status log of a permit sets out the permitting history, including any changes to the permit reference number.

Status log of the permit			
Description	Date	Comments	
Waste Management Licence issued 6/H/97/0622	13/11/1997	Original licence issued to Jack Moody Limited.	
Modification issued 6/H/97/0622 (EAWML 42709)	23/08/2000	Delete conditions: A.1, A.4, A.9, C.1, C.2, C.4, C.6, E.7, F.1, F.2, and schedule A. Conditions added: A.13.1, A.13.2, A.14, A.15, C.8, C.9, C.10, E.13.1, E.13.2, F.6.1 and F.6.2.	
Modification issued EAWML 42709	06/11/2003	Table A.13 deleted and replaced with table A.13a in schedule 1.	
Modification issued EAWML 42709	04/12/2003	Condition for financial provision deleted.	
Modification issued EAWML 42709	09/01/2007	Deleted tables A13(a) and A.14, and conditions A.14.1, A14.2, B.7, B.8, B.10, E.9 and E.13.2, Replaced with tables A13(b) and A.14(a) and conditions A14.3, A14.4, B.11, B.12, B.13 and E.14 Added new conditions D.6.1 and D.6.2.	
Environment Agency initiated variation determined EPR/XP3497FV/V002 Previously 6/H/97/0622	29/03/2011	Schedule 1 deleted conditions E.4 and E.12 (i), (i), (ii), (iii). Schedule 3 conditions added E.4, E.4.2, E.12, E.12.1, E.12.1.1, E.12.2, E.12.2.1, F.7, F.7.1, F.7.2, F.8, F.8.1, F.8.2, F.8.3, G.1, G.1.1, G.1.2. Schedule 1 – Emissions and monitoring Schedule 2 – Reporting Schedule 3 – Notification Schedule 4 – interpretation	
Variation application for IED Compliance EPR/XP3497FV/V003	29/09/2014	Permit transferred and varied before this variation was determined. New EPR and suffix in table below.	
Environment Agency initiated variation determined	22/06/2015		

Description	Date	Comments
EPR/XP3497FV/V004		
Environment Agency initiated variation determined EPR/XP3497FV/V005	14/09/2015	
Application EPR/DB3601HB/T001 (full transfer of permit EPR/XP3497FV)	Duly made 27/10/2015	Application to transfer the permit in full to Hollybush Recycling Limited.
Transfer determined EPR/DB3601HB	16/11/2015	Full transfer of permit complete.
Application EPR/DB3601HB/V002 (variation)	Duly made 01/03/2016	Application to vary the permit. Specified waste management operations amended to include wood processing and storage pending recovery and associated waste types.
Variation determined EPR/DB3601HB	08/04/2016	Varied permit issued.
Application for IED Compliance EPR/DB3601HB/V003 (variation and consolidation)	Duly made 29/09/2014	Application to vary the permit to an Installation.
Additional Information	19/12/2016	Clarification of site drainage and annual waste throughput.
Additional Information	20/02/2017	Further clarification of site drainage and location of French drains.
Variation determined EPR/DB3601HB	24/04/2017	Varied and consolidated permit issued in modern condition format.
Regulation 61 Notice sent to Operator	19/07/2019	Regulation 61 Notice requiring information for statutory review of permit.
Regulation 61 Notice response	30/01/2020	Response received from the operator.
Application EPR/DB3601HB/V004 (variation and consolidation)	Environment Agency Initiated Variation	Statutory review of permit occasioned by Waste Treatment BAT Conclusions published on 17 August 2018.
Environment Agency Biowaste Treatment Sector Review	16/09/2020	Varied and consolidated permit issued.
Permit reviewed		
Variation determined EPR/DB3601HB		
(Billing Ref: KP3706BA)		

End of introductory note

# Notice of variation and consolidation

## The Environmental Permitting (England and Wales) Regulations 2016

The Environment Agency in exercise of its powers under regulation 20 of the Environmental Permitting (England and Wales) Regulations 2016 varies and consolidates

#### **Permit number**

EPR/DB3601HB

#### Issued to

Hollybush Recycling Limited ("the operator")

whose registered office is

Hollybush Farm Warstone Road Shareshill Wolverhampton WV10 7LX

company registration number 08196722

to operate a regulated facility at

Hollybush Farm Warstone Road Shareshill Wolverhampton WV10 7LX

to the extent set out in the schedules.

The notice shall take effect from 02/10/2020.

Name	Date
Daniel Timney	02/10/2020

Authorised on behalf of the Environment Agency

#### Schedule 1

All conditions have been varied by the consolidated permit as a result of an Environment Agency initiated variation.

#### Schedule 2 – consolidated permit

Consolidated permit issued as a separate document.

# Permit

## The Environmental Permitting (England and Wales) Regulations 2016

#### Permit number

#### EPR/DB3601HB

This is the consolidated permit referred to in the variation and consolidation notice for application EPR/DB3601HB/V004 authorising,

Hollybush Recycling Limited ("the operator"),

whose registered office is

Hollybush Farm Warstone Road Shareshill Wolverhampton WV10 7LX

company registration number 08196722

to operate an installation and waste operation at

Hollybush Farm Warstone Road Shareshill Wolverhampton WV10 7LX

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

Name	Date
Daniel Timney	02/10/2020

Authorised on behalf of the Environment Agency

# Conditions

# 1 Management

#### 1.1 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.
- 1.1.4 The operator shall comply with the requirements of an approved competence scheme.

## 1.2 Energy efficiency

- 1.2.1 For the following activities referenced in schedule 1, table S1.1 (AR1 to AR10), the operator shall:
  - (a) take appropriate measures to ensure that 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.

#### 1.3 Efficient use of raw materials

- 1.3.1 For the following activities referenced in schedule 1, table S1.1 (AR1 to AR10), 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").
- 2.1.2 For the following activities referenced in schedule 1, table S1.1 (AR1 to AR10), the activities shall be undertaken in accordance with best available techniques.
- 2.1.3 All process plant and equipment shall be commissioned, operated and maintained and shall be fully documented and recorded in accordance with the manufacturer's recommendations.
- 2.1.4 For the following activities referenced in schedule 1, table S1.1 (AR1 to AR10), waste authorised by this permit shall be clearly distinguished from any other waste on the site.

## 2.2 The site

2.2.1 The activities shall not extend beyond the site, being the land shown edged in red 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 or other documentation ("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 tables S2.2, S2.3, S2.4, S2.5 and S2.6; and
  - (b) it conforms to the description in the documentation supplied by the producer and holder.
  - (c) the facility has sufficient free capacity to store and treat the waste.
- 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 pre-acceptance and acceptance procedures shall be undertaken in accordance with best available techniques.

#### 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.

# 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.
- 3.1.2 The limits given in schedule 3 shall not be exceeded.
- 3.1.3 Periodic monitoring shall be carried out at least once every 5 years for groundwater and 10 years for soil, unless such monitoring is based on a systematic appraisal of the risk of contamination.

#### 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.

#### 3.3 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.

## 3.4 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 and S3.2;
  - (b) process monitoring specified in table S3.3;
  - (c) bioaerosols monitoring specified in table S3.4.
- 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), where available, unless otherwise agreed in writing by the Environment Agency.
- 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 and S3.2 unless otherwise agreed in writing by the Environment Agency.

#### 3.6 Bioaerosols

- 3.6.1 The operator shall take all appropriate measures, to prevent or where that is not practicable to minimise the release of bioaerosols. Emissions of bioaerosols from the operational activities shall not exceed the emission action levels specified in table S3.4.
- 3.6.2 The operator shall where the emission action levels are exceeded:
  - (a) notify the Environment Agency and investigate and take remedial action;
  - (b) submit to the Environment Agency for approval within the period specified, a bioaerosols management plan which identifies and minimises the risks of pollution from bioaerosols; and
  - (c) implement the bioaerosols management plan from the date of approval and revise the plan periodically, unless otherwise agreed in writing by the Environment Agency.

## 3.7 Pests

- 3.7.1 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.
- 3.7.2 The operator shall:
  - (a) only use approved products for pest control;
  - (b) treat pest infestations promptly;
  - (c) reject pest-infected incoming waste;
  - (d) 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;
  - (e) implement the pests management plan, from the date of approval, unless otherwise agreed in writing by the Environment Agency.

## 3.8 Fire prevention

3.8.1 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.

# 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 For the following activities referenced in schedule 1, table S1.1 (AR1 to AR10), 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.
- 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.
- 4.2.6 The operator shall submit to the Environment Agency a bi-annual report of the efficiency of the biofilter in the first year of compost operations. This shall include but not be limited to, the assessment of the efficiency to reduce odours, the summary of maintenance and any recommissioning planned or conducted, assessment of back pressure, venting and cracking. Thereafter the operator shall submit the report within one month of the end of each year, unless otherwise agreed in writing by the Environment Agency.
- 4.2.7 The operator shall keep records of non-waste materials leaving the site, including the type of material, the batch number, the date of export off-site and the tonnage exported on that date. These records shall be maintained for at least 2 years.

#### 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 Following the detection of an issue listed in condition 4.3.1, the operator shall review and revise the management system and implement any changes as necessary to minimise the risk of reoccurrence of the issue.
- 4.3.4 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.
- 4.3.5 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.
- 4.3.6 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.
- 4.3.7 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

Activity reference	Activity listed in Schedule 1 of the EP Regulations	Description of specified activity and WFD Annex I and II operations	Limits of specified activity and waste types
AR1 - IVC	S5.4 A(1)(b)(i)R3: Recycling/reclamation of organic substances which are not used as solventsR3: Recycling/reclamation of organic substances which are not used as solventscapacity exceeding 75 tonnes per day (or 100 tonnes per day if the only waste treatment activity is anaerobic digestion) involving biological treatment.		From receipt of waste through to composting and recovery of by-products. Composting of waste under aerobic conditions in closed vessels (stage 1) fitted with appropriate odour abatement on an impermeable surface with sealed drainage system. Maturation in a windrow (stage 2) outdoors on an impermeable surface with a sealed drainage system. Waste types suitable for acceptance are limited to those specified in Table S2.2.
			Total quantity of waste being composted via the IVC process shall not exceed 275 tonnes a day. Total quantity of waste in windrows from the IVC and open windrow processes shall not exceed 50,000 cubic metres at any one time.
AR2 – Open Windrow Process	S5.4 A(1)(b)(i) Recovery or a mix of recovery and disposal of non-hazardous waste with a capacity exceeding 75 tonnes per day (or 100 tonnes per day if the only waste treatment activity is anaerobic digestion) involving biological treatment.	R3: Recycling/reclamation of organic substances which are not used as solvents	From receipt of waste through to composting and recovery of by-products. Composting of waste under aerobic conditions in open systems such as outdoor turned windrows or aerated static piles on impermeable surface with a sealed drainage system. Waste types suitable for acceptance are limited to those specified in Table S2.3.

Activity reference	Activity listed in Schedule 1 of the EP Regulations	Description of specified activity and WFD Annex I and II operations	Limits of specified activity and waste types		
	Directly Associated Activity				
AR3	recovery or disposal	R13: Storage of waste pending the R3 operation (excluding temporary storage, pending collection, on the site where it is produced)	From the receipt of waste to despatch for composting or despatch off site for recovery and/or disposal.		
			Storage of waste in an enclosed building fitted with appropriate odour abatement and on an impermeable surface with a sealed drainage system.		
			<u>Open Windrow Process</u> Storage of waste outdoors on an impermeable surface with a sealed drainage system.		
			Waste types suitable for acceptance are limited to those specified in Table S2.2 and S2.3.		
			Total quantity of untreated biodegradable waste on site shall not exceed 500 tonnes at any one time.		
AR4	Physical treatment for the purposes of recycling	R3: Recycling/reclamation of organic substances which are not used as solvents	From the receipt of waste to despatch for composting or despatch off site for recovery.		
			IVC Process Pre-treatment of waste prior to composting in an enclosed building and on an impermeable surface with a sealed drainage system, including shredding and screening.		
			Post-treatment of processed compost outside on an impermeable surface with a sealed drainage system, including screening to remove contraries.		

Activity reference	Activity listed in Schedule 1 of the EP Regulations	Description of specified activity and WFD Annex I and II operations	Limits of specified activity and waste types
			Open Windrow Process
			Pre-treatment of waste prior to composting outside on an impermeable surface with a sealed drainage system, including shredding and screening.
			Post-treatment of processed compost outside on an impermeable surface with a sealed drainage system, including screening to remove contraries.
			Heat treatment (pasteurisation) for the purpose of recovery.
			Waste types suitable for acceptance are limited to those specified in Table S2.2 and S2.3.
AR5	Raw material storage	Storage of raw materials including lubrication oil, antifreeze, activated carbon, diesel.	From the receipt of raw materials to despatch for use within the facility.
AR6	Storage of finished compost and non-composted fraction	R13: Storage of waste pending any of the operations numbered R1 to R12 (excluding temporary storage, pending collection, on the site where it is produced)	From the receipt of processed uncertified compost and non- composted fraction produced at the facility to treatment on site and despatch for use off-site.
			Storage of processed uncertified compost in an enclosed building fitted with appropriate odour abatement and on an impermeable surface.
AR7	Process water collection and storage	Collection and storage of compost liquor/leachate in the phase 1 storage tank or site lagoon.	From the receipt of composite leachate produced at the facility to despatch for treatment at the facility or despatch off site for recovery or disposal.
AR8	Surface water collection and storage	Collection and storage of uncontaminated roof and site surface water in impermeably lined lagoon.	From the collection of uncontaminated roof and site surface water from non- operational areas only to re-

Activity reference	Activity listed in Schedule 1 of the EP Regulations	Description of activity and V and II operation	VFD Annex I	Limits of specified activity and waste types
				use within the facility or discharge off-site.
AR9	Leachate treatment by Reverse Osmosis	R3: Recycling of organic sub which are not solvents	stances	Treatment of compost leachate pending re-use or site for windrow moisture content management.
AR10	Air treatment	Collection and air from the bu plant using ab system – [biof release to atm	uildings or atement ilters] prior to	From the collection of air from site processes to treatment and release of treated air to atmosphere.
Activity reference	Description of activities for operations	waste	Limits of acti	ivities
AR11: Production of secondary	R3: Recycling/reclamation of organic substances which are not used as solvents R5: Recycling/reclamation of other inorganic compounds R13: Storage of waste pending any of the operations numbered R1 to R12 (excluding temporary storage, pending collection, on the site where it is produced)			ment including sorting, ushing and blending for the covery.
aggregates and soils			hard standing surface with s	nall be treated and stored on or on an impermeable sealed drainage. as specified in Table S2.4.
AR12: Production of fuel pellets and	R3: Recycling/reclamation of organic substances which are not used as solvents R13: Storage of waste pending any of the operations numbered R1 to R12 (excluding temporary storage, pending collection, on the site where it is produced)			ment including screening, d pelletizing for the purpose
biofuel				d storage of waste on an surface with sealed drainage
			and oversize	as specified in Table S2.5 materials from the rocesses (AR1 and AR2).
AR13: Storage of waste containing Gypsum	operations numbered R1 to F	R13: Storage of waste pending any of the operations numbered R1 to R12 (excluding temporary storage, pending collection, on		iste on an impermeable ealed drainage.
pending transfer off site for recovery			Waste types a	as specified in Table S2.6.

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Table S1.2 Operating techniques			
Description	Parts	Date Received	
Application variation EPR/DB3601HB/V003	Technical standards as detailed in application, Table 3 in Part C3 of the application form and supporting documents.	29/09/2014	
Application variation EPR/DB3601HB/V003	Odour management plan in response to section 3B, Table 4 – General Requirements, Part C3 of the application form.	29/09/2014	
Application variation EPR/DB3601HB/V003	Dust management plan in response to section 3B, Table 4 – General Requirements, Part C3 of the application form.	29/09/2014	
Application variation EPR/DB3601HB/V003	Fire and Accident management plan.	29/09/2014	
Additional information	Clarification of site drainage and annual waste throughput.	19/12/2016	
Response to Regulation 61 Notice – request for information dated 19/07/2019	Compliance and operating techniques identified in response to the BAT Conclusions for Waste Treatment published on 17 August 2018.	30/01/2020	

Reference	Requirement	Date
IC1	The operator shall submit a revised odour management plan to the Environment Agency for written approval. The plan shall take into account the appropriate measures for odour control specified in section 2.2.6 of Sector Guidance Note IPPC S5.06 – <i>Guidance for the</i> <i>Treatment of Hazardous and Non Hazardous Waste</i> . The plan shall also incorporate all the required detailed information as specified in the Environment Agency's Horizontal Guidance H4 – <i>Odour Management</i> . The plan must contain dates for implementation of individual measures.	02/04/2021
IC2	<ul> <li>The operator shall develop and submit a fire prevention plan to the Environment Agency in writing. The plan shall take into account the required information as specified in the Environment Agency's technical guidance, Fire prevention plans (dated July 2016). The appropriate measures for fire prevention shall include:</li> <li>the management of storage of feedstock, product and/or waste piles</li> <li>measures to prevent, detect and contain fires; and</li> <li>the management of firewaters.</li> <li>The notification requirements of condition 2.4.2 will be deemed to have been complied with on submission of the written proposals.</li> <li>The operator shall implement the procedures and measures in accordance with the Environment Agency's written approval.</li> </ul>	Completed
IC3	The operator shall submit a written plan to the Environment Agency for written approval. The plan must contain proposals for the provision of an impermeable concrete surface with sealed drainage for the oversize materials processing area, including construction standards and maintenance measures. The plan must contain timescales for the implementation of the work.	02/04/2021

Table S1.3 Ir	nprovement programme requirements	
Reference	Requirement	Date
IC4	The operator shall undertake the works outlined within the plan submitted under Improvement Condition 3 and demonstrate to the Environment Agency for written approval that works have been undertaken in line with the relevant standards.	Within the timescales agreed by the Environment Agency under IC3
Improvemen	t condition for progress report to achieve BAT-AELs	
IC5	The operator shall submit, for approval by the Environment Agency, a report setting out progress to achieving the Best Available Techniques Conclusion Associated Emission Levels (BAT-AELs) where BAT is currently not achieved, but will be achieved before 17 August 2022. The report shall include, but not be limited to, the following: <ol> <li>Current performance against the BAT-AELs.</li> </ol>	Progress reports at six monthly intervals from date of permit issue: 02/04/2021
	<ol> <li>Methodology for reaching the BAT-AELs.</li> <li>Associated targets /timelines for reaching compliance by 17 August 2022.</li> <li>Any alterations to the initial plan (in progress reports).</li> </ol>	02/10/2021 02/04/2022
	The report shall address the BAT Conclusions for Waste Treatment with respect to the following:	
	5) <b>BAT 34 Table 6.7</b> (compliance with BAT-AELs for channelled NH3, odour, dust and TVOC emissions to air from the biological treatment of waste)	
	Refer to BAT Conclusions for a full description of the BAT requirement.	
Improvemen	t condition for progress report to achieve Narrative BAT	
IC6	The operator shall submit, for approval by Environment Agency, a report setting out progress to achieving the 'Narrative' BAT where BAT is currently not achieved, but will be achieved before 17 August 2022. The report shall include, but not be limited to, the following:	Progress reports at six monthly intervals from date of permit
	<ol> <li>Methodology for achieving BAT</li> <li>Associated targets /timelines for reaching compliance by 17 August 2022</li> <li>Any alterations to the initial plan (in progress reports).</li> </ol>	issue: 02/04/2021 02/10/2021 02/04/2022
	The report shall address the BAT Conclusions for Waste Treatment with respect to BAT 1 to 5, 8, 10, 12, 13 to 14, 21 to 23 and 33 to 37.	
	Refer to BAT Conclusions for a full description of the BAT requirement.	
Improvemen	t condition for site risk assessment to prevent soil & groundwater poll	ution
IC7	The operator shall submit to the Environment Agency for approval a risk assessment considering the possibility of soil and groundwater contamination at the installation where the activity involves the use, production or release of a relevant hazardous substance (as defined in Article 3(18) of the Industrial Emissions Directive). The risk assessment shall clearly establish with appropriate evidence whether or not there is a risk of contamination of soil and groundwater and should follow the Defra Guidance – Industrial Emissions Directive EPR Guidance on Part A Installations (Section 5.10-5.15, pages 28-29 - Baseline Reports and Permit Surrender).	02/10/2021 or other date as agreed in writing with the Environment Agency

Table S1.3 Ir	nprovement programme requirements	
Reference	Requirement	Date
IC8	Where the risk assessment carried out under IC7 above establishes a risk to soil and groundwater, the operator shall:	02/10/2021 or other date as
	<ul> <li>a) prepare and submit a baseline report compliant with Article 22 of the Industrial Emissions Directive (IED) containing information necessary to determine the current state of soil and groundwater contamination; or</li> </ul>	agreed in writing with the Environment Agency
	<ul> <li>b) provide a summary report referring to information previously submitted where the operator is satisfied that such information represents the current state of soil and groundwater contamination,</li> </ul>	
	so as to enable a quantified comparison to be made with the state of soil and groundwater contamination upon definitive cessation of activity.	
Improvemen	t condition for primary containment	
IC9	The operator shall submit a written 'primary containment plan' and shall obtain the Environment Agency's written approval to it. The plan shall contain the results of a review conducted, by a competent person, and shall compare the design specification of primary containment systems where all polluting liquids and solids are being stored, treated, and/or handled against the design standards within CIRIA C535 guidance or equivalent.	02/10/2021 or other date as agreed in writing with the Environment Agency
	The review shall include:	
	<ul> <li>physical condition of all primary containment systems (storage and treatment vessels);</li> </ul>	
	• the suitability for providing primary containment when subjected to the dynamic and static loads caused by the vessels' contents;	
	<ul> <li>any work required to ensure compliance with the standards set out in CIRIA C535 or equivalent; and</li> </ul>	
	a preventative maintenance and inspection regime	
	The plan must contain dates for the implementation of individual improvement measures necessary for the primary containment to adhere to the standards detailed/referenced within CIRIA C535 guidance, or equivalent.	
	The plan shall be implemented in accordance with the Environment Agency's written approval.	
Improvemen	t condition for secondary containment design	
IC10	The operator shall submit a written 'secondary and tertiary containment plan' and shall obtain the Environment Agency's written approval to it. The plan shall contain the results of a review conducted, by a competent person, in accordance with the risk assessment methodology detailed within CIRIA C736 (2014) guidance, of the condition and extent of secondary and tertiary containment systems where all polluting liquids and solids are being stored, treated, and/or handled.	02/10/2021 or other date as agreed in writing with the Environment Agency
	The review shall consider, but not limited to, the storage vessels, bunds, loading and unloading areas, transfer pipework/pumps, temporary storage areas, and liners underlying the site.	

Table S1.3 Improvement programme requirements		
Reference	Requirement	Date
	The plan must contain dates for the implementation of individual improvement measures necessary for the secondary and tertiary containment systems to adhere to the standards detailed/referenced within CIRIA C736 (2014) guidance, or equivalent.	
	The plan shall be implemented in accordance with the Environment Agency's written approval.	
Improvemen	t condition for storage lagoon design	
IC11	The operator shall submit a written 'storage lagoon plan' and shall obtain the Environment Agency's written approval to it. The plan shall contain the results of a review conducted, by a competent person, in accordance with the risk assessment methodology detailed within CIRIA C736 (2014) guidance, of the condition and extent of the site lagoon(s) where digestate or compost leachate are being stored, treated, and/or handled.	02/10/2021 or other date as agreed in writing with the Environment Agency
	The review shall consider, but not limited to, the lagoon cover, transfer pipework/pumps, and liners underlying the storage lagoon. The plan must contain dates for the implementation of individual improvement measures necessary for the storage lagoon to adhere to the standards detailed/referenced CIRIA C736 (2014) guidance, or equivalent.	
	The plan shall be implemented in accordance with the Environment Agency's written approval.	
Improvemen	t condition for lagoon cover and operational storage capacity	
IC12	The operator shall provide a written "digestate /compost liquor storage plan" and shall obtain the Environment Agency's written approval to it. The plan shall contain the results of a review of the current storage of digestate and/or compost liquor produced from site operations. The review shall examine site contingency arrangements in the event of closed landspreading periods, extreme weather conditions, site closure, disease outbreak etc.	02/10/2021 or other date as agreed in writing with the Environment Agency
	The storage plan shall include:	
	<ul> <li>Existing cover arrangements on storage lagoons used to store digestate and/or compost liquor to minimise odour, ammonia and methane emissions;</li> </ul>	
	<ul> <li>Additional storage capacity on-site (at least 2 months storage) and storage capacity off-site;</li> </ul>	
	• Identification of alternative outlets for digestate and/or compost liquor – identify companies /permitted waste facilities that would be able to manage the digestate and/or liquor output(s), taking into account their permits and capacity constraints.	
	The plan shall be implemented in accordance with the Environment Agency's written approval.	

Reference	Requirement	Date
	t condition for review of effectiveness of abatement plant	Date
IC13	The operator shall carry out a review of the abatement plant on site, in	02/10/2021 or
	order to determine whether the measures have been effective and adequate to prevent and where not possible minimise emissions released to air including but not limited to odour and ammonia.	other date as agreed in writing with the
	The operator shall submit a written report to the Environment Agency following this review for assessment and approval.	Environment Agency
	The report shall include but not limited to the following aspects:	
	• Full investigation and characterisation of the waste gas streams.	
	<ul> <li>Abatement stack monitoring results (not limited to odour and ammonia)</li> </ul>	
	<ul> <li>Abatement process monitoring results (not limited to odour and ammonia)</li> </ul>	
	• Details of air quality quantitative impact assessment including modelling and a proposal for site-specific "action levels" (not limited to odour concentration, hydrogen sulphide and ammonia).	
	Odour monitoring results at the site boundary	
	Records of odour complaints and odour related incidents	
	<ul> <li>Recommendations for improvement including the replacement or upgrading the abatement plant</li> </ul>	
	Timescales for implementation of improvements to the abatement plant	
	The operator shall implement the improvements in line with the timescales as approved by the Environment Agency.	
Improvemen	t condition for review of abatement plant design	
IC14	The operator shall submit to the Environment Agency a written review report of the design details of the site ventilation system and abatement plant and obtain the Environment Agency's written approval to it.	02/10/2021 or other date as agreed in writing
	The report shall include but not limited to:	with the
	a) Ventilation design performance criteria for effective fugitive odorous emission control	Environment Agency
	<ul> <li>b) Design of the abatement systems that will ensure compliance with the odour condition 3.3. The report shall include a demonstration (whether by a detailed review of technical papers or by trial results) that all odorous chemical compounds and their loading rates expected in the relevant air streams have been considered in the design; and supporting evidence that the odorous compounds will be controlled and/or abated either by operating techniques or by the proposed abatement systems.</li> </ul>	
	<ul> <li>c) Design alarms and triggers for each relevant scenario to alert the operator to the malfunction of both ventilation and abatement systems. The report should further list all relevant contingency mitigation actions to minimise risk of elevated odour pollution from the installation linked to each malfunction scenario and</li> </ul>	

Table S1.3 Improvement programme requirements		
Reference	Requirement	Date
	detail the actions to restore systems to normal operating conditions for effective odour control.	
	Ventilation and abatement systems should be designed by suitably qualified named engineers who can supervise and sign-off on construction quality assurance.	

# Schedule 2 – Waste types, raw materials and fuels

Table S2.1 Raw materials and fuels	
Raw materials and fuel description	Specification

Table S2.2 Permitted waste types and quantities for composting in closed systems	
Maximum quantity	Annual throughput shall not exceed 50,000 tonnes.
Exclusions	<ul> <li>Wastes having any of the following characteristics shall not be accepted:</li> <li>separately collected loads of plastic unless the whole load is certified compostable to BS EN13432</li> <li>co-mingled green and food waste containing more than 5% w/w plastic, unless the plastic is certified compostable to BS EN 13432</li> <li>food wastes containing more than 5% w/w plastic unless there is sufficient technology to remove non-compostable plastic prior to treatment from package food waste to a processing limit of 1% w/w or decreasing year on year by 2025.</li> <li>wastes containing wood-preserving agents or other biocides and post-consumer wood</li> <li>wastes containing Japanese Knotweed or other invasive plant species listed in the Alien Invasive Species Regulations 2014</li> <li>manures, slurries and spoiled bedding and straw from farms where animals have notifiable diseases as stipulated in the Animal By-Products (Enforcement) (England) Regulations 2013.</li> </ul>
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 03	plant-tissue waste
02 01 06	animal faeces, urine and manure (including spoiled straw) only
02 01 07	wastes from forestry (biodegradable only)
02 02	wastes from the preparation and processing of meat, fish and other foods of animal origin
02 02 01	sludges from washing and cleaning (biodegradable only)
02 02 03	materials unsuitable for consumption or processing
02 03	wastes from fruit, vegetables, cereals, edible oils, cocoa, coffee, tea and tobacco preparation and processing; conserve production; yeast and yeast extract production, molasses preparation and fermentation

	d waste types and quantities for composting in closed systems
Maximum quantity	Annual throughput shall not exceed 50,000 tonnes.
Exclusions	<ul> <li>Wastes having any of the following characteristics shall not be accepted:</li> <li>separately collected loads of plastic unless the whole load is certified compostable to BS EN13432</li> <li>co-mingled green and food waste containing more than 5% w/w plastic,</li> </ul>
	unless the plastic is certified compostable to BS EN 13432
	• food wastes containing more than 5% w/w plastic unless there is sufficient technology to remove non-compostable plastic prior to treatment from package food waste to a processing limit of 1% w/w or decreasing year on year by 2025.
	<ul> <li>wastes containing wood-preserving agents or other biocides and post- consumer wood</li> </ul>
	wastes containing persistent organic pollutants
	<ul> <li>wastes containing Japanese Knotweed or other invasive plant species listed in the Alien Invasive Species Regulations 2014</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>manures, slurries and spoiled bedding and straw from farms where animals have notifiable diseases as stipulated in the Animal By-Products (Enforcement) (England) Regulations 2013.</li> </ul>
Waste code	Description
02 03 01	sludges from washing, cleaning, peeling, centrifuging and separation
02 03 04	materials unsuitable for consumption or processing (biodegradable only)
02 04	wastes from sugar processing
02 04 01	soil from cleaning and washing beet
02 05	wastes from the dairy products industry
02 05 01	materials unsuitable for consumption or processing (biodegradable only)
02 06	wastes from the baking and confectionery industry
02 06 01	materials unsuitable for consumption or processing (biodegradable only)
02 07	wastes from the production of alcoholic and non-alcoholic beverages (except coffee, tea and cocoa)
02 07 01	wastes from washing, cleaning and mechanical reduction of raw materials (biodegradable only)
02 07 02	wastes from spirits distillation (biodegradable only)
02 07 04	materials unsuitable for consumption or processing (biodegradable only)
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 – virgin timber only
03 01 05	sawdust, shavings, cuttings, wood and particle board other than those mentioned in 03 01 04 $-$ virgin timber only
03 03	wastes from pulp, paper and cardboard production and processing
03 03 01	waste bark and wood – virgin timber only
03 03 08	wastes from sorting of paper and cardboard destined for recycling
03 03 10	fibre rejects, fibre-, filler- and coating-sludges from mechanical separation
03 03 10	fibre rejects only – virgin timber only
04	Wastes from the leather, fur and textile industries

	d waste types and quantities for composting in closed systems
Maximum quantity	Annual throughput shall not exceed 50,000 tonnes.
Exclusions	<ul> <li>Wastes having any of the following characteristics shall not be accepted:</li> <li>separately collected loads of plastic unless the whole load is certified compostable to BS EN13432</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>co-mingled green and food waste containing more than 5% w/w plastic,</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>unless the plastic is certified compostable to BS EN 13432</li> <li>food wastes containing more than 5% w/w plastic unless there is sufficient</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Todd wastes containing more than 5% w/w plastic differents sufficient technology to remove non-compostable plastic prior to treatment from package food waste to a processing limit of 1% w/w or decreasing year on year by 2025.</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>wastes containing wood-preserving agents or other biocides and post- consumer wood</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>wastes containing persistent organic pollutants</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>wastes containing Japanese Knotweed or other invasive plant species listed</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>in the Alien Invasive Species Regulations 2014</li> <li>manures, slurries and spoiled bedding and straw from farms where animals</li> </ul>
	have notifiable diseases as stipulated in the Animal By-Products (Enforcement) (England) Regulations 2013.
Waste code	Description
04 02	wastes from the textile industry
04 02 10	organic matter from natural products (un-dyed and untreated only)
04 02 21	wastes from unprocessed textile fibres
07	Wastes from organic chemical processes
07 02	wastes from the MFSU of plastics, synthetic rubber and man-made fibres
07 02 13	waste plastic (compostable plastics only, unused and uncontaminated excess production only)
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 01	paper and cardboard packaging (excluding veneers, plastic coatings or laminates) certified to EN 13432 or equivalent standard
15 01 02	plastic packaging – compostable plastics only certified to EN 13432 or equivalent standard
15 01 03	wooden packaging – virgin timber only
15 01 05	composite packaging – only biodegradable organic packaging certified to EN 13432 or equivalent standard
15 01 09	textile packaging (made entirely from biodegradable fibres only)
17	Construction and demolition wastes (including excavated soil from contaminated sites)
17 02	wood, glass and plastic
17 02 01	wood
17 05	soil (including excavated soil from contaminated sites), stones and dredging spoil
17 05 06	dredging spoil other than those mentioned in 17 05 05 (from inland waters only)
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

Maximum quantity	Annual throughput shall not exceed 50,000 tonnes.
Exclusions	<ul> <li>Wastes having any of the following characteristics shall not be accepted:</li> <li>separately collected loads of plastic unless the whole load is certified compostable to BS EN13432</li> <li>co-mingled green and food waste containing more than 5% w/w plastic, unless the plastic is certified compostable to BS EN 13432</li> <li>food wastes containing more than 5% w/w plastic unless there is sufficient technology to remove non-compostable plastic prior to treatment from package food waste to a processing limit of 1% w/w or decreasing year on year by 2025.</li> <li>wastes containing wood-preserving agents or other biocides and post-consumer wood</li> <li>wastes containing Japanese Knotweed or other invasive plant species listed in the Alien Invasive Species Regulations 2014</li> <li>manures, slurries and spoiled bedding and straw from farms where animals have notifiable diseases as stipulated in the Animal By-Products (Enforcement) (England) Regulations 2013.</li> </ul>
Waste code	Description
19 02	wastes from physico/chemical treatments of waste (including dechromatation, decyanidation, neutralisation)
19 02 03	premixed wastes composed only of non-hazardous wastes (waste types listed in this table only)
19 02 06	sludges from physico/chemical treatment other than those mentioned in 19 02 05 (only if derived solely from physical treatment and/or pH adjustment of waste input types listed in this table)
19 05	wastes from aerobic treatment of solid wastes
19 05 03	off-specification compost from a composting process that accepts waste input types listed in this table, made up of previously sanitised batches only
19 06	wastes from anaerobic treatment of waste
19 06 04	digestate from anaerobic treatment of municipal waste from a process that accepts waste input types listed in this table or anaerobic digestion permit, and made up of previously pasteurised and stabilised batches only
19 06 06	digestate from anaerobic treatment of animal and vegetable waste from a process that accepts waste input types listed in this table or anaerobic digestion permit, and made up of previously pasteurised and stabilised batches only
19 12	wastes from the mechanical treatment of waste (for example sorting, crushing, compacting, pelletising) not otherwise specified
19 12 01	paper and cardboard (excluding veneers, plastic coatings or laminates)
19 12 07	wood other than that mentioned in 19 12 06
19 12 12	other wastes (including mixtures of materials) from mechanical treatment of wastes other than those mentioned in 19 12 11 (and only including wastes types listed in this table) and made up of previously sanitised /pasteurised and stabilised batches only
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 01	paper and cardboard (excluding veneers, plastic coatings or laminates) meeting EN 13432 or equivalent certified standard

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Description
biodegradable kitchen and canteen waste
edible oil and fat
wood other than that mentioned in 20 01 37
plastics – compostable plastics only, meeting EN 13432 or equivalent certified standard
garden and park wastes (including cemetery waste)
biodegradable waste
other municipal wastes
mixed municipal waste
waste from markets (biodegradable only)

Maximum quantity	Annual throughput shall not exceed 161,250 tonnes.
Exclusions	<ul> <li>Wastes having any of the following characteristics shall not be accepted:</li> <li>separately collected loads of plastic unless the whole load is certified compostable to BS EN13432</li> <li>co-mingled green and food waste containing more than 5% w/w plastic, unless the plastic is certified compostable to BS EN 13432</li> <li>food wastes containing more than 5% w/w plastic unless there is sufficient technology to remove non-compostable plastic prior to treatment from package food waste to a processing limit of 1% w/w or decreasing year on year by 2025.</li> <li>wastes containing wood-preserving agents or other biocides and post-consumer wood</li> <li>wastes containing persistent organic pollutants</li> <li>wastes containing Japanese Knotweed or other invasive plant species listed in the Alien Invasive Species Regulations 2014</li> <li>manures, slurries and spoiled bedding and straw from farms where animals have notifiable diseases as stipulated in the Animal By-Products</li> </ul>
Waste code	(Enforcement) (England) Regulations 2013. 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 03	plant-tissue waste
02 01 07	wastes from forestry (biodegradable only)
02 04	wastes from sugar processing
02 04 01	soil from cleaning and washing beet
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 – virgin timber only
03 01 05	sawdust, shavings, cuttings, wood and particle board other than those mentioned in 03 01 04 $-$ virgin timber only
03 03	wastes from pulp, paper and cardboard production and processing
03 03 01	waste bark and wood – virgin timber only
03 03 08	wastes from sorting of paper and cardboard destined for recycling
03 03 10	fibre rejects only – virgin timber and biodegradable only
04	Wastes from the leather, fur and textile industries
04 02	wastes from the textile industry
04 02 10	organic matter from natural products (un-dyed and untreated only)
04 02 21	wastes from unprocessed textile fibres
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 01	paper and cardboard packaging (excluding veneers, plastic coatings or laminates)

Maximum quantity	Annual throughput shall not exceed 161,250 tonnes.
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	unless the plastic is certified compostable to BS EN 13432
	• food wastes containing more than 5% w/w plastic unless there is sufficient technology to remove non-compostable plastic prior to treatment from package food waste to a processing limit of 1% w/w or decreasing year on year by 2025.
	<ul> <li>wastes containing wood-preserving agents or other biocides and post- consumer wood</li> </ul>
	wastes containing persistent organic pollutants
	<ul> <li>wastes containing Japanese Knotweed or other invasive plant species listed in the Alien Invasive Species Regulations 2014</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>manures, slurries and spoiled bedding and straw from farms where animals have notifiable diseases as stipulated in the Animal By-Products (Enforcement) (England) Regulations 2013.</li> </ul>
Waste code	Description
15 01 02	plastic packaging – compostable plastics only certified to EN 13432 or equivalent standard – compostable packaging only
15 01 03	wooden packaging – untreated timber only
15 01 09	textile packaging (made entirely from biodegradable fibres only)
17	Construction and demolition wastes (including excavated soil from contaminated sites)
17 02	wood, glass and plastic
17 02 01	wood
17 05	soil (including excavated soil from contaminated sites), stones and dredging spoil
17 05 06	dredging spoil other than those mentioned in 17 05 05 (from inland waters only)
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 05	wastes from aerobic treatment of solid wastes
19 05 03	off-specification compost from a composting process that accepts waste input types listed in this table, made up of previously sanitised and stabilised batches only
19 12	wastes from the mechanical treatment of waste (for example sorting, crushing, compacting, pelletising) not otherwise specified
19 12 01	paper and cardboard (excluding veneers, plastic coatings or laminates) meeting EN 13432 or equivalent certified standard only
19 12 07	wood other than that mentioned in 19 12 06
19 12 12	other wastes (including mixtures of materials) from mechanical treatment of wastes other than those mentioned in 19 12 11 (and only including wastes types listed in this table) and made up of previously sanitised /pasteurised and stabilised batches only
20	Municipal wastes (household waste and similar commercial, industrial and institutional wastes) including separately collected fractions
20 01	separately collected fractions (except 15 01)

Table S2.3 Permitted waste types and quantities for composting in open systems	
Maximum quantity	Annual throughput shall not exceed 161,250 tonnes.
Exclusions	<ul> <li>Wastes having any of the following characteristics shall not be accepted:</li> <li>separately collected loads of plastic unless the whole load is certified compostable to BS EN13432</li> <li>co-mingled green and food waste containing more than 5% w/w plastic, unless the plastic is certified compostable to BS EN 13432</li> <li>food wastes containing more than 5% w/w plastic unless there is sufficient technology to remove non-compostable plastic prior to treatment from package food waste to a processing limit of 1% w/w or decreasing year on year by 2025.</li> <li>wastes containing wood-preserving agents or other biocides and post-consumer wood</li> <li>wastes containing Japanese Knotweed or other invasive plant species listed in the Alien Invasive Species Regulations 2014</li> <li>manures, slurries and spoiled bedding and straw from farms where animals have notifiable diseases as stipulated in the Animal By-Products (Enforcement) (England) Regulations 2013.</li> </ul>
Waste code	Description
20 01 01	paper and cardboard (excluding veneers, plastic coatings or laminates) meeting EN 13432 or equivalent certified standard
20 01 38	wood other than that mentioned in 20 01 37
20 01 39	plastics – compostable plastics only, meeting EN 13432 or equivalent certified standard
20 02	garden and park wastes (including cemetery waste)
20 02 01	biodegradable waste (plant matter only)

Table S2.4 Permitted waste types and quantities for inerts and soils processing					
Maximum quantity	Annual throughput shall not exceed 239,000 tonnes.				
Exclusions	Wastes having any of the following characteristics shall not be accepted:				
	<ul> <li>catering waste or other wastes containing animal by-products covered by the Animal By-Products Regulations Except EWC 02 01 06);</li> </ul>				
	<ul> <li>wastes that are in a form which is liquid;</li> </ul>				
	<ul> <li>wastes containing treated wood, wood-preserving agents or other biocides, persistent organic pollutants, Japanese Knotweed;</li> </ul>				
	hazardous wastes				
Waste code	Description				
01	Wastes resulting from exploration, mining, quarrying, and physical and chemical treatment of minerals				
01 03	wastes from physical and chemical processing of metalliferous minerals				
01 03 08	dusty and powdery wastes other than those mentioned in 01 03 07				
01 04	wastes from physical and chemical processing of non-metalliferous minerals				
01 04 08	waste gravel and crushed rocks other than those mentioned in 01 04 07				
01 04 09	waste sand and clays				
01 04 13	wastes from stone cutting and sawing other than those mentioned in 01 04 07				
10	Wastes from thermal processes				
10 12	wastes from manufacture of ceramic goods, bricks, tiles and construction products				
10 12 01	waste preparation mixture before thermal processing				
10 12 03	particulates and dust				
10 12 06	discarded moulds				
10 12 08	waste ceramics, bricks, tiles and construction products (after thermal processing)				
10 13	wastes from manufacture of cement, lime and plaster and articles and products made from them				
10 13 11	wastes from cement-based composite materials other than those mentioned in 10 13 09 and 10 13 10				
10 13 14	waste concrete and concrete sludge				
17	Construction and demolition wastes (including excavated soil from contaminated sites)				
17 01	concrete, bricks, tiles and ceramics				
17 01 01	concrete				
17 01 02	bricks				
17 01 03	tiles and ceramics				
17 01 07	mixtures of concrete, bricks, tiles and ceramics other than those mentioned in 17 01 06				
17 03	bituminous mixtures, coal tar and tarred products				
17 03 02	bituminous mixtures other than those mentioned in 17 03 01				
17 05	soil (including excavated soil from contaminated sites), stones and dredging spoil				
17 05 04	soil and stones other than those mentioned in 17 05 03				
17 05 08	track ballast other than those mentioned in 17 05 07				

Table S2.4 Permittee	d waste types and quantities for inerts and soils processing					
Maximum quantity	Annual throughput shall not exceed 239,000 tonnes.					
Exclusions	Wastes having any of the following characteristics shall not be accepted:					
	<ul> <li>catering waste or other wastes containing animal by-products covered by the Animal By-Products Regulations Except EWC 02 01 06);</li> </ul>					
	<ul> <li>wastes that are in a form which is liquid;</li> </ul>					
	<ul> <li>wastes containing treated wood, wood-preserving agents or other biocides, persistent organic pollutants, Japanese Knotweed;</li> </ul>					
	hazardous wastes					
Waste code	Description					
17 09	other construction and demolition wastes					
17 09 04	mixed construction and demolition wastes other than those mentioned in 17 09 01, 17 09 02 and 17 09 03					
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 09	minerals (for example sand, stones)					
20	Municipal wastes (household waste and similar commercial, industrial and institutional wastes) including separately collected fractions					
20 02	garden and park wastes (including cemetery waste)					
20 02 02	soil and stones					
20 02 03	other non-biodegradable wastes					

Table S2.5 Permitted waste types and quantities for wood processing				
Maximum quantity	Annual throughput shall not exceed 93,750 tonnes.			
Exclusions	Wastes having any of the following characteristics shall not be accepted:			
	- consisting solely or mainly of dusts (except sawdust), powders, or loose fibres;			
	- catering waste or other wastes containing animal by-products covered by the Animal By-Products Regulations Except EWC 02 01 06);			
	- wastes that are in a form which is liquid;			
	- wastes containing treated wood, wood-preserving agents or other biocides, persistent organic pollutants, Japanese Knotweed;			
	- hazardous wastes			
Waste code	Description			
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 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			

Table S2.5 Permitted waste types and quantities for wood processing				
Maximum quantity	Annual throughput shall not exceed 93,750 tonnes.			
Exclusions	Wastes having any of the following characteristics shall not be accepted:			
	- consisting solely or mainly of dusts (except sawdust), powders, or loose fibres;			
	- catering waste or other wastes containing animal by-products covered by the Animal By-Products Regulations Except EWC 02 01 06);			
	- wastes that are in a form which is liquid;			
	<ul> <li>wastes containing treated wood, wood-preserving agents or other biocides, persistent organic pollutants, Japanese Knotweed;</li> </ul>			
	- hazardous wastes			
Waste code	Description			
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	wood other than that mentioned in 20 01 37			
20 03	other municipal wastes			
20 03 07	bulky waste – wooden items only			

Table S2.6 Permitted waste types for storage pending recovery					
Maximum quantity	Annual throughput shall not exceed 5,000 tonnes.				
Exclusions	<ul> <li>Wastes having any of the following characteristics shall not be accepted:</li> <li>consisting solely or mainly of dusts (except sawdust), powders, or loose fibres;</li> <li>catering waste or other wastes containing animal by-products covered by the Animal By-Products Regulations Except EWC 02 01 06);</li> <li>wastes that are in a form which is liquid;</li> <li>wastes containing treated wood, wood-preserving agents or other biocides, persistent organic pollutants, Japanese Knotweed;</li> <li>hazardous wastes</li> </ul>				
Waste code	Description				
17	Construction and demolition wastes (including excavated soil from contaminated sites)				
17 08	gypsum-based construction material				
17 08 02	gypsum-based construction materials other than those mentioned in 17 08 01				

# Schedule 3 – Emissions and monitoring

Table S3.1 Point source emissions to air – emission limits and monitoring requirements						
Emission point ref. & location	Source	Parameter	Limit (including unit)	Reference period	Monitoring frequency	Monitoring standard or method
A1, A2, A3 and A4 as shown on the site layout plan, drawing No ST13961-001 in application EPR/DB3601HB/V003	Biofilters A1 –A4	Odour concentration	No limit set		Once every 6 months	BS EN 13725
A1, A2, A3 and A4 as shown on the site layout plan, drawing No ST13961-001 in application EPR/DB3601HB/V003	Biofilters A1 –A4	Ammonia	20 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	Hourly average	Once every 6 months	EN ISO 21877
A1, A2, A3 and A4 as shown on the site layout plan, drawing No ST13961-001 in application EPR/DB3601HB/V003	Biofilters A1 –A4	Hydrogen sulphide	No limit set	Hourly average	Once every 6 months	CEN TS 13649 for sampling NIOSH 6013 for analysis

# 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
SW1 on site drainage plan in application EPR/DB3601HB/V003 emission to brook	Uncontaminated site surface water from roofs and non- operational areas only [Note 1]	Oil and grease	No visible oil or grease		Weekly	Visual assessment
Note 1 – Clean surface water from roofs, or from areas of the site that are not being used in connection with storing and						

Note 1 – Clean surface water from roofs, or from areas of the site that are not being used in connection with storing and treating waste can be discharged directly to surface waters, or to groundwater by seepage through the soil via a soakaway.

Emission point reference or source or description of point of measurement	Parameter	Monitoring frequency	Monitoring standard or method	Other specifications
Meteorological conditions	Wind speed, Air temperature, Wind direction	Continuous	As specified in the Environmental Management System	Weather station or anemometer and wind sock

Table S3.3 Process monitoring requirements						
Emission point reference or source or description of point of measurement	Parameter	Monitoring frequency	Monitoring standard or method	Other specifications		
Stock piles prior to composting including screened and shredded material	Temperature	Daily prior to processing	Temperature probe	Monitoring equipment shall be available on		
	Moisture	Daily prior to processing	Squeeze test, or drying oven in accordance with BS EN 13040	site and used as required to maintain aerobic conditions and ensure compliance with this permit.		
	C:N Total Organic Carbon and Total Kjeldahl Nitrogen	As agreed in the Environmental Management System	Total Organic Carbon using recognised industry method Total Kjeldahl Nitrogen in accordance with BS EN 13654-1	Equipment shall be calibrated on a 4 monthly basis, or as agreed in writing by the Environment Agency. Uncontrolled self- heating and decomposition must be prevented in accordance with the Accident Management Plan and/or Fire Prevention Plan. Process shall be controlled in accordance with permit condition 3.3 and the Odour Management Plan. Sampling of waste shall be in accordance with EN14899. Anaerobic conditions shall be prevented.		
	Fly infestation or pupa formation	Daily – for stock piles in storage prior to preparation and stock piles in sanitisation stage Weekly – for stock piles in stabilisation stage	Visual inspection	Records of fly count must be maintained as necessary and infested waste should be rejected in accordance waste acceptance procedures and in accordance with permit condition 3.7.		

Table S3.3 Process monitoring requirements				
Emission point reference or source or description of point of measurement	Parameter	Monitoring frequency	Monitoring standard or method	Other specifications
Representative internal core for each composting batch during sanitisation and stabilisation stage	Temperature	Daily Continuous during sanitisation stage for IVC treating animal by-products	Temperature probe Temperature probe shall record core waste temperature and probe placement must be sufficient to record temperature uniformly.	Monitoring equipment shall be available on site and used as required to maintain aerobic conditions and ensure compliance with this permit. Equipment shall be calibrated on a 4 monthly basis, or as agreed in writing by the Environment Agency.
	Moisture	Daily during sanitisation and stabilisation stage	Squeeze test, or drying oven in accordance with BS EN 13040	Process shall be controlled in accordance with permit condition 3.3
	C:N ratio	As agreed in the Environmental Management System	Total Organic Carbon using recognised industry method. Total Kjeldahl Nitrogen in accordance with BS EN 13654-1	and the Odour Management Plan. Sampling of waste shall be in accordance with EN14899. Anaerobic conditions shall be prevented.
core for each composting batch during further maturation stage	Temperature	Once per week	Temperature probe Temperature probe shall record core waste temperature and probe placement must be sufficient to record temperature uniformly	Process shall be controlled in accordance with permit condition 3.3 and the Odour Management Plan.
	Moisture	Once per week	Squeeze test, or drying oven in accordance with BS EN 13040	

Table S3.3 Process mon	itoring requirements			
Emission point reference or source or description of point of measurement	Parameter	Monitoring frequency	Monitoring standard or method	Other specifications
Internal core for oversize storage piles	Temperature	Once per week	Temperature probe As specified in the Environmental Management System	Uncontrolled self- heating and decomposition must be prevented in accordance permit condition 3.8, the Fire Prevention Plan and/or Accident Management Plan.
Leachate and dirty water storage capacity	Level	At least daily	Visual or capacity measurement	750 mm freeboard must be maintained for storage lagoons.
Waste reception building; Storage tank(s); Maturation area	Odour	Daily	Olfactory monitoring	Odour detection at the site boundary
Storage tank(s)	Integrity checks	Weekly	Visual assessment	
Biofilter A1, A2, A3 and A4.	Surface condition (signs of vegetation and channelling)	Daily	Visual assessment	Odour abatement plant shall be regularly checked
	Gas temperature – inlet	Daily	Temperature probe / Traceable to national standards	and maintained to ensure appropriate temperature and moisture content.
	Biofilter media moisture	Daily	Moisture meter or recognised industry method	Odour abatement plant shall be managed in accordance with permit condition 3.3,
	Thatching /compaction	Weekly	Back pressure	the odour management plan
	Gas flow rate – inlet	Continuous	Gas flow meter / EN 16911-1 and MID for EN 16911-1	and manufacturer's recommendations. Equipment shall be
	pH (biofilter drainage effluent)	Daily	pH metre	calibrated on a 4 monthly basis, or as agreed in writing by
	Efficiency assessment	Annual	Media health, air-flow distribution and emission removal efficiency (BS EN 13725 for odour removal)	the Environment Agency.
	Hydrogen sulphide – inlet and outlet gas stream	Every 6 months or as agreed in writing by the Environment Agency.	CEN TS 13649 for sampling	Action levels to be agreed on completion of IC13 as approved

Emission point reference or source or description of point of measurement	Parameter	Monitoring frequency	Monitoring standard or method	Other specifications
			NIOSH 6013 for analysis	in writing by the Environment Agency.
				Action levels to be achieved in accordance with permit condition 3.2 and the odour management plan.
	Ammonia – inlet	Every 6 months or as agreed in writing by the Environment Agency.	EN ISO 21877	Action levels to be agreed on completion of IC13 as approved in writing by the Environment Agency.
				Action levels to be achieved in accordance with permit condition 3.2 and the odour management plan.
	Odour concentration – inlet and outlet gas stream	Every 6 months or as agreed in writing by the Environment Agency.	BS EN 13725	Action levels to be agreed on completion of IC13 as approved in writing by the Environment Agency.
				Action levels to be achieved in accordance with permit condition 3.2 and the odour management plan.

Table S3.4 Bioaerosols monitoring requirements – ambient monitoring					
Location or description of point of measurement	Parameter	Bioaerosols action levels (CFU m <sup>-3</sup> )	Monitoring frequency	Monitoring standard or method	Other specifications
Upwind of the operational area, as described in the Technical Guidance Note M9	Total bacteria	1000 Note 1	Twice a year, unless otherwise advised in writing by the Environment Agency Note 2	In accordance with Technical Guidance Note M9 – Environmental monitoring of bioaerosols at	As described in the Technical Guidance Note M9, including all the additional data requirements
Downwind of the operational area, as described in the Technical Guidance Note M9	Aspergillus Fumigatus	500 <sup>Note 1</sup>		regulated facilities.	specified therein.
the distance of the	ne nearest sens tigate the impac	levels are only applica itive receptor. Where th t on sensitive receptor	nese action leve	Is are elevated, the	operator must

Note 2. Where the bioaerosols action levels are exceeded, then monitoring will remain quarterly until such time that it is demonstrated that the site has adequate mitigation for a 12 month period.

# 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 from odour abatement plant Parameters as required by condition 3.5.1.	A1, A2, A3 and A4	Every 6 months	1 January, 1 July
Process monitoring Parameters as required by condition 3.5.1	As specified in schedule 3 table S3.3	Every 12 months	1 January
Bioaerosols monitoring Parameters as required by condition 3.5.1	As specified in schedule 3 table S3.4	Twice a year, unless otherwise advised in writing by the Environment Agency	1 January, 1 July
Biofilter efficiency Parameters as required by condition 4.2.6	Biofilters – As specified in schedule 3 table S3.3	Every 12 months	1 January

Table S4.2 Annual production/treatment	
Parameter	Units
Processed compost	tonnes
Non-waste outputs	tonnes

Table S4.3 Performance parameters		
Parameter	Frequency of assessment	Units
Water usage	Annually	tonnes or m <sup>3</sup>
Energy usage	Annually	MWh
Total raw material used	Annually	tonnes

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	02/10/2020
Bioaerosols	As specified in the Technical Guidance Note M9 or other form as agreed in writing by the Environment Agency	
Water usage	Form water usage 1 or other form as agreed in writing by the Environment Agency	02/10/2020

Table S4.4 Reporting forms		
Media/parameter	Reporting format	Date of form
Process monitoring	Form process 1 or other form as agreed in writing by the Environment Agency	02/10/2020
Energy usage	Form energy 1 or other form as agreed in writing by the Environment Agency	02/10/2020
Waste Returns	E-waste Returns Form or other form as agreed in writing by the Environment Agency	

## 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		

(b) Notification requirements for the breach of a limit		
To be notified within 24 hours of detection unless otherwise specified below		
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		
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

"accident" means an accident that may result in pollution.

"accident management plan" means a plan that identifies risks and failures which can have an impact on the environment or have environmental consequences. The plan forms part of the management system. The plan must minimise the potential causes and consequences and identify clearly the roles, responsibilities and action to be taken to minimise the consequences of accidents. This includes measures to prevent and control fires on site, DSEAR assessment and clearly marked zones.

"Animal By-Products Regulations" means The Animal By-Products (Enforcement) (England) Regulations 2013 (SI 2013 No.2952).

"animal waste" means any waste consisting of animal matter that has not been processed into food for human consumption. This does include blood, feathers, uncooked butchers waste and any other animal waste that is not catering waste or former foodstuffs. This does not include faecal matter from animals (e.g. chicken litter or farmyard manure).

"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.

"best available techniques" means the most effective and advanced stage in the development of activities and their methods of operation which indicates the practical suitability of particular techniques for providing the basis for emission limit values and other permit conditions designed to prevent and, where that is not practicable, to reduce emissions and the impact on the environment as a whole:

- a) 'techniques' includes both the technology used and the way in which the installation is designed, built, maintained, operated and decommissioned;
- b) 'available techniques' means those developed on a scale which allows implementation in the relevant industrial sector, under economically and technically viable conditions, taking into consideration the costs and the advantages, whether or not the techniques are used or produced inside the Member State in question, as long as they are reasonably accessible to the operator;
- c) 'best' means most effective in achieving high general level of protection of the environment as a whole.

"bioaerosols threshold limits" means the maximum acceptable bioaerosol concentrations at the nearest sensitive receptor, or at an equivalent distance downwind of the biowaste treatment operations, which are attributable to the biowaste treatment operations. The maximum acceptable concentrations are respectively 1000 and 500 CFU m<sup>-3</sup> for total bacteria and Aspergillus fumigatus.

"biodegradable" means a material is capable of undergoing biological anaerobic or aerobic degradation leading to the production of CO<sub>2</sub>, H<sub>2</sub>O, methane, biomass and mineral salts depending on the environmental conditions of the process.

"building" means a construction that has the objective of providing sheltering cover and minimising emissions of noise, particulate matter, odour and litter.

"capacity" means the potential capacity and not historical or actual production levels or throughput. This means that the designed capacity is the maximum rate at which the site can operate. Biological treatment of waste usually takes place over more than one day, so the physical daily capacity can be calculated by dividing the maximum quantity of waste that could be subject to biological treatment at aby one time by the minimum residence time. For in-vessel composting, the residence time for sanitisation should be calculated separately and then aggregated to the complete composting time.

"channelled emissions" means the emissions of pollutants into the environment through any kind of duct, pipe, stack, etc. This also includes emissions from open top biofilters.

"closed system" means a closed composting reactor or closed area (such as a building) in which waste is fully contained and efficient air management abatement systems are demonstrated. This may cover a wide range of technology and where necessary is in compliance with the Animal By-Products Regulations.

"competent persons and resources" means that a technically competent person accredited to a relevant scheme must attend site and record their attendance, and that all roles and responsibilities are clearly stated in the management systems along with records of operatives' training.

"compost" means solid particulate material that is the result of composting, which has been sanitised and stabilised, and which confers beneficial effects when added to soil, used as a component of growing media or used in another way in conjunction with plants.

"compostable plastics" means plastics that are certified to meet the standards of EN 13432, EN 14995 or equivalent.

"composting" means the biological decomposition of organic materials, under conditions that are predominantly aerobic and that allow the development of thermophilic temperatures as a result of biologically produced heat and that result in compost.

"composting batch" means an identifiable quantity of material that progresses through the composting system and when fully processed has similar characteristics throughout. For composting systems that operate on a continuous or a plug-flow basis, batches will be taken to mean a series of "portions of production".

"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.

"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.

"emissions to land" includes emissions to groundwater.

"EP Regulations" means The Environmental Permitting (England and Wales) Regulations SI 2016 No.1154 and words and expressions used in this permit which are also used in the Regulations have the same meanings as in those Regulations.

"ground water" 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 waste" has the meaning given in the Hazardous Waste (England and Wales) Regulations as amended.

"impermeable surface" means a surface or pavement constructed and maintained to a standard sufficient to prevent the transmission of liquids beyond the pavement surface.

"incidental contamination" means low levels of incidental waste, for example plastic that may be contained within the feedstock waste.

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

"maturation" means a stage when by agitating and turning the compost, it no longer results in reheating and the monitored temperature falls to ambient without the compost being too dry or anaerobic. Phytotoxin that are formed during the active composting phase are metabolised by microorganisms, which will result in the final material not being too harmful to plants. This usually coincides with a drop in pH toward neutral, and the conversion of ammonia into nitrates and recolonization of beneficial microorganisms. The maturation phase may need active management by turning to prevent the material becoming anaerobic.

MCERTS" means the Environment Agency's Monitoring Certification Scheme.

"operational area" means any part of a facility used for the handling, storing and treatment of waste.

"operator" means in relation to a regulated facility:

- (a) the person who has control over the operation of the regulated facility,
- (b) if the regulated facility has not yet been put into operation, the person who will have control over the regulated facility when it is put into operation, or
- (c) if a regulated facility authorised by an environmental permit ceases to be in operation, the person who holds the environmental permit

"pests" means Birds, Vermin and Insects.

"pollution" means emissions as a result of human activity which may-

- (a) be harmful to human health or the quality of the environment,
- (b) cause offence to human sense.
- (c) result in damage to material property, or
- (d) impair or interfere with amenities and other legitimate uses of the environment.

"post-consumer wood" means manufactured treated wooden materials and products that have been discarded.

"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.

"representative internal" means representative monitoring at a point internally of the windrows that will give a representative assessment of temperature. Note: Larger windrows will require more bespoke temperature equipment to adequately assess temperature profiles accurately.

"sanitisation" means the actively managed and intensive stage of composting, lasting for at least five days, characterised by high oxygen demand and temperatures of over 55 °C, during which biological processes, together with conditions in the composting mass, eradicate human and animal pathogens or reduce them to acceptably low levels.

"sealed drainage system" in relation to an impermeable surface, means a drainage system with impermeable components which does not leak and which will ensure that:

- no liquids will run off the surface otherwise than via the system
- all liquids entering the system are collected in a sealed sump, except where liquids may be lawfully discharged to foul sewer.

"secondary containment" – means a systems that is capable of containing loss from all above ground and underground storage tanks and that complies with CIRIA standard 736 or equivalent standard of design and construction.

"stable, stabilised" means the degree of processing and biodegradation at which the rate of biological activity has slowed to an acceptably low and consistent level and will not significantly increase under favourable, altered conditions.

"stabilisation stage" means the stage of composting following sanitisation, during which biological conditions in the composting mass, give rise to compost that is nominally stable. Soluble carbon is usually not fully used and material is still considered to be in treatment. This stage is a managed process to prevent odours, dust and bioaerosols. There is also a residual risk of reheating and leachate breakout.

"treated wood" means any wood that has been chemically treated (e.g. to enhance or alter the performance of the original wood). Treatments may include penetrating oils, tar oil preservatives, water-borne preservatives, organic-based preservatives, boron and organo-metallic based preservatives, boron and halogenated flame retardants and surface treatments (including paint and venner).

"Waste code" means the six digit code referable to a type of waste in accordance with the List of Wastes (England)Regulations 2005, or List of Wastes (Wales) Regulations 2005, as appropriate, 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.

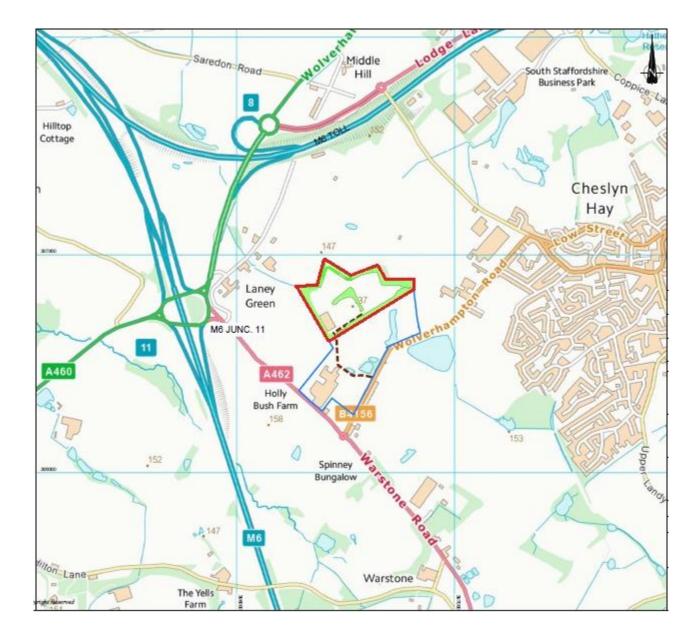
Where a minimum limit is set for any emission parameter, for example pH, reference to exceeding the limit shall mean that the parameter shall not be less than that limit.

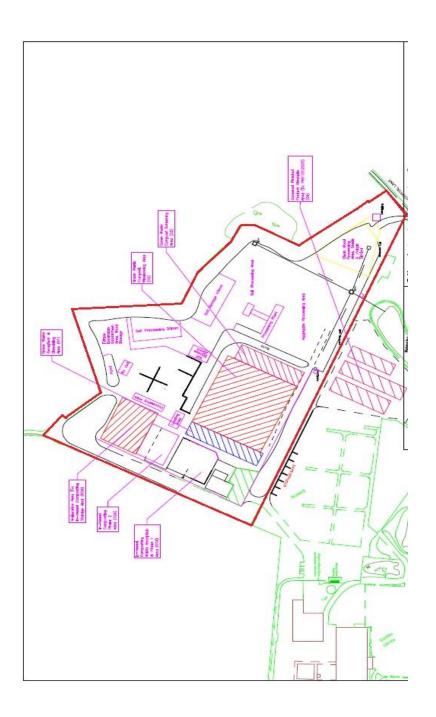
Unless otherwise stated, any references in this permit to concentrations of substances in emissions into air means:

- in relation to emissions from combustion processes, the concentration in dry air at a temperature of 273K, at a pressure of 101.3 kPa and with an oxygen content of 3% dry for liquid fuels and gaseous fuels, 6% dry for solid fuels; and/or
- in relation to emissions from non-combustion sources, the concentration at a temperature of 273K and at a pressure of 101.3 kPa, with no correction for water vapour content.

"year" means calendar year ending 31 December.

### Schedule 7 – Site plan





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