

Permitting decisions- Surrender

We have decided to accept the surrender of the permit for **Unit 2 Forward Works** operated by **Altrad Environmental Services Onshore Limited**

The permit number is **EPR/AP3431YA**

We are satisfied that the necessary measures have been taken to avoid any pollution risk and to return the site to a satisfactory state. We consider in reaching this decision that we have taken into account all relevant considerations and legal requirements.

Purpose of this document

This decision document provides a record of the decision-making process. It

- highlights key issues in the determination
- summarises the decision-making process in the decisions considerations section to show how all relevant factors have been taken into account

Key issues of the decision

This is a full surrender

The operator name has changed from original permit in 2018. The new operator name is Altrad Environmental Services Onshore Limited ; name on permit in 2018 is Cape Environmental Services Onshore Limited.

We have checked companies house and the operator is the same legal entity with the same registration number and hence there is no requirement for a transfer.

The installation is a low impact installation operating a chemical facility. The site has never operation since the original permit was granted in 2018. There are no environmental concerns with respect to pollution linked to this installation.

Our site inspector has confirmed that they are satisfied that operations have never taken place within installation and they are satisfied for permit to be surrendered.

In addition there is no record of any baseline monitoring carried out for this installation.

Decision considerations

Confidential information

A claim for commercial or industrial confidentiality has not been made.

The decision was taken in accordance with our guidance on confidentiality.

Identifying confidential information

We have not identified information provided as part of the application that we consider to be confidential.

The decision was taken in accordance with our guidance on confidentiality.

Pollution risk

We are satisfied that the necessary measures have been taken to avoid a pollution risk resulting from the operation of the regulated facility.

Satisfactory state

We are satisfied that the necessary measures have been taken to return the site of the regulated facility to a satisfactory state, having regard to the state of the site before the facility was put into operation.

Growth duty

We have considered our duty to have regard to the desirability of promoting economic growth set out in section 108(1) of the Deregulation Act 2015 and the guidance issued under section 110 of that Act in deciding whether to accept this permit surrender.