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Notice of variation with introductory note

The Environmental Permitting (England & Wales) Regulations 2016

TVWM Limited

Billingham Reach EfW Billingham Reach Industrial Estate Stockton TS23 1PX

Variation application number

EPR/HP3145QD/V002

Permit number

EPR/HP3145QD

Billingham Reach EfW Permit number EPR/HP3145QD

Introductory note

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

The following notice gives notice of the variation of an environmental permit.

The Industrial Emissions Directive (IED) came into force on 7th January 2014 with the requirement to implement all relevant Best Available Techniques (BAT) conclusions as described in the Commission Implementing Decision. The BAT conclusions for incineration were published on 03 December 2019 in the Official Journal of the European Union (L323) following a European Union wide review of BAT, implementing decision 2017/2117/EU of 21 November 2017. This variation has been issued to ensure that the plant cannot operate until a full review has been carried out.

The schedules specify the changes made to the original 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 | | |
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| Description | Date | Comments |
| Permit determined. EPR/HP3145QD/A001 (Billing Reference NP3537YY) | 20/09/2018 | Permit issued to Tees Eco Energy Ltd for a 125MW thermal input RDF waste incinerator. |
| Variation issued EPR/HP3145QD/V002. (Billing Reference UP3332QX) | 10/10/2018 | Varied permit issued to Tees Eco Energy Ltd. |
| Variation determined EPR/NP3537YY/V003 (Billing reference XP3636QQ) | 03/02/2020 | Varied permit issued to Tees Eco Energy Ltd Varied (capacity thermal increase, change to cooling technology, change to site boundary). |
| Transfer determined EPR/HP3145QD/T001. Full transfer of permit EPR/NP3537YY) | 01/11/2022 | Full transfer of permit complete to TVWM Ltd. |
| Application EPR/HP3145QD/V002 (variation) | Duly made 04/10/2023 | Application to vary the permit to add a pre- operational condition. |
| Variation determined EPR/HP3145QD | 04/10/2023 | Notice of variation issued. |
| Regulation 61 notice issued | 18/11/2022 | Regulation 61 Notice requiring information for Statutory review of permit. BAT Conclusions published 03 December 2019. |
| Regulation 61 notice response | 21/11/2022 | Operator elected to defer permit review. |
| Variation issued. EPR/HP3145QD/V002 | 12/10/2023 | Notice of variation issued. |

End of introductory note

Notice of variation

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.

Permit number

EPR/HP3145QD

Issued to

TVWM Limited ("the operator")

whose registered office is

20 North Audley Street London W1K 6LX

company registration number 13598873

to operate a regulated facility at

Billingham Reach EfW
Billingham Reach Industrial Estate
Stockton
TS23 1PX

to the extent set out in the schedules.

The notice shall take effect from 12/10/2023.

| Name | Date |
|------------------------|------------|
| Permitting Team Leader | 12/10/2023 |

Authorised on behalf of the Environment Agency

Schedule 1 – conditions to be added.

The following conditions are added following an Environment Agency initiated variation.

2.5 Pre-operational conditions

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

| Table S1.4 Pre-operational measures | | |
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| Reference | Pre-operational measures | |
| PO13 | Prior to the commencement of any activities authorised by the permit the operator shall submit to the Environment Agency for approval (using the form provided by the Environment Agency) a report that addresses compliance with each BAT conclusion listed in the Waste Incineration BAT Conclusions (Commission Implementing Decision (EU) 2019/2010 of 12 November 2019). The report shall include: i. A list of any BAT conclusions that are not relevant, including justification. ii. A description of how the installation complies with the standards set out in each | |
| | relevant BAT conclusion, including those for new plants. The permitted activities shall only commence once the operator has obtained the Environment Agency's written approval to the report and the Environment Agency has issued a variation | |
| | notice to implement new plant BAT standards. | |