

The Company Director and/or Secretary
Environcom England Limited
Spittlegate Level
Grantham
Lincolnshire
NG317UH

Date: 05 August 2016

Dear Sir or Madam.

Your permit variation to incorporate a newly prescribed activity is complete

Permit reference: EPR/CP3899SDN005

Operator name: Environcom England Limited

Facility name: Spittlegate Level

Our determination of your application to include waste operations in your permit as installation activities is complete. We are satisfied that you can continue to carry out your activities in accordance with the variation, without harm to the environment or human health. This delivers requirements of the Industrial Emissions Directive. I enclose a notice showing the changes to your permit. Please keep this in a safe place with your other permit records.

Since we consulted with you on the content of this variation and in response to growing pressures on the environment from waste fires we have included new conditions in your permit. These conditions are similar in nature to other conditions addressing nuisance risk and specifically focus on the need to take all appropriate measures to prevent fires on site and minimise the risk of pollution from them. The conditions require you, if notified by us that the activities are giving rise to a risk of fire, to submit a fire prevention plan. Guidance on fire prevention plans is available at

<https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/permitted-sites-fire-prevention-plans>

This letter contains web links to other documents. If you are not able to access these please contact our Customer Contact Centre for help on 03708.506 506.

Read the following guides to find out more about complying with your permit:

www.gov.uk/guidance/develop-a-management-system-environmental-permits

www.gov.uk/guidance/control-and-monitor-emissions-for-your-environmental-permit

www.gov.uk/guidance/legal-operator-and-competence-requirements-environmental-permits

Your variation has added an installation to your permit for the first time which introduces the requirements to report into the Pollution Inventory. We have enclosed the pollution inventory letter, notice and fact sheet.

Rights of appeal

If you are not happy with any permit condition that has been imposed by the variation you may appeal to the Secretary of State. If you want to appeal any condition imposed as a result of your application you must make your appeal no later than six months from the date of the variation notice. If you want to appeal any condition we have added as an Environment Agency initiated variation you must make your appeal no later than two months from the date of the notice.

Further information about making an appeal and the forms you will need are available from the Planning Inspectorate website or from the contact details below..

Environment Appeals, Enforcement and Specialist case work division, The Planning Inspectorate, 3/25 Hawk Wing, Temple Quay House, 2 The Square, Temple Quay, Bristol, BS1 6PN. Phone: 0303 444 5584

Email: environment.appeals@pins.gsi.gov.uk

You must send written notice of the appeal and the documents listed below to the Secretary of State to the Planning Inspectorate address above. At the same time you must send us a copy of the notice and documents to

Victoria Douglass, Appeals Coordinator, Environment Agency, National Permitting Service, Knutsford Road, Latchford, Warrington, WA41HG. Phone: 01925 542456

Email : victoria.douglass@environment-agency.gov.uk

The documents are:

- a statement of the grounds of appeal
- a copy of any relevant application
- a copy of any relevant environmental permit
- a copy of any relevant correspondence between the appellant and the regulator
- a copy of any decision or notice which is the subject matter of the appeal; and
- a statement indicating whether you wish the appeal to be in the form of a hearing or dealt with by way of written representations.

You may withdraw an appeal by notifying the Secretary of State in writing and sending a copy of that notification to us.

If you have any questions about this permit phone our Customer Contact Centre on 03708 506 506. They will put you in touch with a local regulatory officer.

Yours faithfully,

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John Goodliffe
Permitting Support Advisor

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Notice of variation and consolidation with introductory note

The Environmental Permitting (England & Wales) Regulations 2010

Environcom England Limited

Spittlegate Level

Grantham

Lincolnshire

NG31 7UH

Variation application number

EPR/CP3899S *DN005*

Permit number

EPR/CP3899SD

Spittlegate Level

Permit number EPR/CP3899SD

Introductory note

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

Under the Environmental Permitting (England & Wales) Regulations 2010 (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.**

The Industrial Emissions Directive (IED) was transposed in England and Wales by the Environmental Permitting (England and Wales)(Amendment) Regulations 2013 on 27 February 2013. This variation implements the changes brought about by the IED for "existing facilities operating newly prescribed **activities**".

Environcom England Limited operates a Waste Electronic Electrical Equipment (WEEE) recycling facility at **Spittlegate Level, Grantham. The closest human receptors are associated with industrial/commercial** properties at <50m distance to the north and south, and a mobile home park approximately 170m north of the site. Woodnock Valley Site of Special Scientific Interest (SSSI) is located approximately 1.7km south-east of the site. The local wildlife sites of River Witham, Saltersford Valley, Grantham BR SKn4, and The Clay Bank are located along the River Witham approximately 600m to the east of the facility.

The site is permitted to accept up to 60,000 tonnes per year. It can accept WEEE products including fridges, **freezers, cookers and small domestic appliances (SDA) for refurbishment and reuse, or recycling where reuse is not possible.**

Recycling of SDA comprises manual dismantling and removal of components containing hazardous substances if required; following this, the waste SDA are shredded and separated into fractions for recovery. Fridges are processed by degassing (stage 1 pre-destruction) followed by shredding and fraction segregation (stage 2 destruction).

The activities undertaken at the facility include physico-chemical treatment of hazardous waste, and the **temporary storage of hazardous waste for recovery. These activities have been varied to installation** activities under the Environmental Permitting (England and Wales)(Amendment) Regulations 2013 Schedule 1 Part 2:

- Section 5.3 Part A(1) a) (ii) *'Disposal or recovery of hazardous waste with a capacity exceeding 10 tonnes per day involving physico-chemical treatment;* and
- **Section 5.6 'Temporary storage of hazardous waste with a total capacity exceeding 50 tonnes pending any of the activities listed in Sections 5.1, 5.2 and 5.3'.**

In addition, the facility can undertake treatment of non-hazardous WEEE and temporary storage of **non-hazardous waste for recovery. These activities have not been varied to installations but remain waste operations.**

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
Application EPR/CP3899SD/A001 (Ref EAWML100699)	Issued 29/04/2009	Permit issued to Environcom England Limited.
Variation EPR/CP3899SDN002 (Ref EAWML100699)	Issued 22/07/2010	Additional waste types added and some minor changes to conditions.
Variation EPR/CP3899SDN003 (Ref EAWML100699)	Issued 18/04/2011	Additional Waste type added.
Variation EPR/CP3899SDN004 (Ref EAWML100699)	Issued 08/01/2014	Additional waste types added.
Application EPR/CP3899SDN005 (variation and consolidation)	Duly made 23/12/2014	Application to vary and update the permit to IED conditions.
Variation determined EPRICP3899SDN005 (Ref EAWML 100699) (Billing ref: KP3837WJ)	04/08/2016	Varied and consolidated permit issued in modern condition format.

End of introductory note

Notice of variation and consolidation

The Environmental Permitting (England and Wales) Regulations 2010

The Environment Agency in exercise of its powers under regulation 20 of the Environmental Permitting (England and Wales) Regulations 2010 varies and consolidates

Permit number

EPR/CP3899SD

Issued to

Environcom England Limited ("the operator")

whose registered office is

Spittlegate Level

Grantham

Lincolnshire

NG31 7UH

company registration number 04980148

to operate a regulated facility at

Spittlegate Level

Grantham

Lincolnshire

NG31 7UH

to the extent set out in the schedules.

The notice shall take effect from 04/08/2016

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/2016

Authorised on behalf of the Environment Agency

Schedule 1

All conditions have been varied by the consolidated permit as a result of the application made by the operator.

Schedule 2 - consolidated permit

Consolidated permit issued as a separate document.

Permit

The Environmental Permitting (England and Wales) Regulations 2010

Permit number

EPR/CP3899S0

This is the consolidated permit referred to in the variation and consolidation notice for application EPR/CP3899SDN005 authorising,

Environcom England Limited ("the operator"),

whose registered office is

Spittlegate Level

Grantham

Lincolnshire

NG31 7UH

company registration number 04980148

to operate an installation and waste operations at

Spittlegate Level

Grantham

Lincolnshire

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

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