

Notice of variation and consolidation with introductory note

The Environmental Permitting (England & Wales) Regulations 2010

Knauf Insulation Limited

Pont Y Felin Insulation Works Pont Y Felin Cwmbran Torfaen NP44 2YQ

Variation application number EPR/BR8212IK/V005

Permit number EPR/BR8212IK

Pont Y Felin Insulation Works Permit number EPR/BR8212IK

Introductory note

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

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

The Industrial Emissions Directive (IED) came into force on 7th January 2014 with the requirement to implement all relevant BAT conclusions as described in the Commission Implementing Decision. The glass manufacture BAT conclusions were published on 8th March 2012 in the Official Journal of the European Union following a European Union wide review of BAT.

This variation incorporates the changes required by the Industrial Emissions Directive following a statutory review of permits in the glass and mineral fibre sector. This includes the amendment of the wording of several permit conditions relating to notifications and also includes the addition of a condition relating to a requirement for monitoring of groundwater and soil. At the same time the permit has been converted into the current EPR Permit format.

This variation and consolidation also corrects errors made in the previous variation.

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.

| Description | Date | Comments |
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| Application BR8212 | Received 16/07/02 | |
| Additional Information Request | 23/08/02 | Response received 20/09/02 |
| Additional Information Request | 08/10/02 | Response received 21/11/02 |
| Additional Information Request | 16/12/02 | Response dated 09/04/03 |
| Determination Extension request | 10/04/03 | Request by The Environment Agency to extend determination to 30 May 2003. Response dated 14/04/03 |
| Permit BR8212 determined | 30/05/03 | Permit issued |
| Application MP3038MP | 19/10/06 | |
| Additional Information Request | 06/12/06 | Response dated 19/12/06 |
| Additional Information Request | 29/12/06 | Response dated 12/01/07 |
| Additional Information Request | 16/01/07 | Response dated 18/01/07 |
| Variation notice MP3038MP determined | 20/02/07 | Variation issued |
| Application EPR/BR8212IK/V003 | Duly made 06/04/09 | |
| Additional information Request | 28/04/2009 | |
| Variation EPR/BR8212IK/V003 determined | 23/09/2009 | Variation issued |
| Regulation 60(1) Notice of request for more information | 27/02/14 | |
| Regulation 60(1) response received | 30/05/14 | Implementation of BAT conclusions under IED |
| Natural Resources Wales Glass Sector Review 2014 Permit EPR/BR8212IK Variation issued EPR/BR8212IK/V004 | 31/07/15 | Varied and consolidated permit issued in modern IED condition format. |
| NRW initiated permit variation and consolidation EPR/BR8212IK/V005 | 03/03/16 | Permit issued to make changes to soil and groundwater conditions and air emission monitoring standards and limits |

End of introductory note

Notice of variation and consolidation

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The Natural Resources Body for Wales ("Natural Resources Wales") in exercise of its powers under regulation 20 of the Environmental Permitting (England and Wales) Regulations 2010 varies and consolidates

Permit number

EPR/BR8212IK

issued to:

Knauf Insulation Limited ("the operator")

whose registered office is:

PO Box 10 Stafford Road St Helens Merseyside WA10 3NS

company registration number: 01926842

to operate a regulated facility at:

Pont Y Felin Insulation Works Pont Y Felin Cwmbran Torfaen NP44 2YQ

to the extent set out in the schedules.

The notice shall take effect from 03/03/16

| Name | Date |
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Eirian Macdonald Authorised on behalf of Natural Resources Wales

Schedule 1

Only conditions 3.1.3, 3.3.5 and Table S3.1 have been varied by the consolidated permit EPR/BR8212IK

- The following conditions were varied as a result of an NRW initiated variation:

Condition 3.1.3 in the permit has been amended to read; *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 systematic appraisal for the risk of contamination.*

The monitoring standard/method by which air emissions are monitored has been changed to; unless otherwise agreed in writing with Natural Resources Wales, Monitoring methods used shall be in accordance with Environment Agency document "Technical Guidance Note M2 Monitoring of stack emissions to air".

A footnote has been amended in the air emission monitoring table (S3.1) in relation to monitoring equipment and reads; *Note 4:CEM's which meet the MCERTS requirements should also follow the principles of EN 14181 (i.e. QAL2/AST and QAL3) but a reduced number of parallel measurements may be accepted (subject to NRW approval)*

Air Emissions table S3.1 has been amended to alter ELV's for emission point (A3) following operator improvement condition;

| Parameter | Current Permit (A3) | Rounded |
|--------------|---------------------|---------|
| PM | 35 | 47 |
| Phenol | 10 | 9 |
| Formaldehyde | 5 | 5 |
| Ammonia | 50 | 60 |
| VOC | 35 | 27 |
| Amines | No Limit Set | 3 |

A note has been added to Schedule 6 – Interpretation, to explain Note 4 of the emission to air table (as mentioned above); BS EN 14181 is applicable to large combustion plant (LCP) and waste incineration installations (WID) under the international Industrial Emissions Directive standard (IED). For other processes that are not classified as being WID or LCP, the monitoring standards for Continuous Emission Monitoring Systems (CEMS) should follow the principles of BS EN 14181 (i.e. QAL1, QAL2/AST & QAL3); however these procedures may be modified with written agreement from NRW. Further guidance on BS EN 14181, and its application, is contained in Environment Agency Technical Guidance Note M2 – Monitoring of stack emissions to air.

Schedule 2 – consolidated permit

Consolidated permit issued as a separate document.