

Notice of variation and consolidation with introductory note

The Environmental Permitting (England & Wales) Regulations 2016

South Caernarfon Creameries Limited

**South Caernarfon Creamery
Rhyd-y-Gwystl
Pwllheli
Gwynedd
LL35 6SB**

Variation number

EPR/BL9941IC/V006

Permit number

EPR/BL9941IC

South Caernarfon Creamery

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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.

This variation extends the installation boundary to the west, south east and north. A new site plan has been added to the permit to reflect this change.

A new whey plant will be located in the extended land parcel to the south east which will replace the existing whey plant on the site.

Additionally, the variation adds a new 'directly associated activity' for a new ammonia-based refrigeration system which will replace the existing discreet refrigeration systems and serve the whey plant and existing cheese processing plant. The system will be closed loop and as such no ammonia will be stored on site.

'Directly associated activity' "A6 Effluent treatment plant" has been removed as this is now covered under the existing Schedule 1 Activity (S5.4 A (1) (a) (i)) following a previous variation (V004).

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/BL9941IC	09/10/2002	
Response to request for information.	Request dated 20/01/2003	Response dated 06/03/2003
Response to request for more information.	24/04/2003	Response dated 17/12/2003
Response to request for information	Request dated 14/05/2003	Request accepted 19/05/2003
Request to extend determination	Request dated 03/10/2003	Request accepted 14/10/2003
Request to extend determination	Request dated 06/01/2004	Request accepted 07/01/2004
Response to request for information	Request dated 05/04/2004	Response dated 04/05/2004
Request to extend determination.	Request dated 21/05/2004	Request accepted 25/05/2004
Permit determined	28/05/2004	
Agency variation determined EPR/BL9941IC/V002	22/03/2013	Agency variation to implement the changes introduced by IED.
NRW initiated variation (EPR/BL9941IC/V003)	07/07/2014	NRW initiated variation to consolidate and add requirements for monitoring so that BAT standards are met.
Application for a minor technical variation (EPR/BL9941IC/V003 – combined with NRW initiated variation)	Duly Made 21/09/2015	Application to include new cheese making plant in east area of site to replace existing cheese making facilities in west area of site.
Variation application determined (EPR/BL9941IC/V003 - combined with NRW initiated variation)	22/12/2015	Permit issued to South Caernarfon Creameries Limited.
Regulation 61 Notice sent to the Operator	24/04/2020	Issue of a Notice under Regulation 61(1) of the EPR. Natural Resources Wales initiated review and variation to vary the permit following the publication of the revised Best Available Techniques (BAT) Reference Document (BRef) for the Food, Drink and Milk Industries.
Application EPR/BL9941IC/V004	Duly Made 02/07/2020	
Regulation 61 Notice response	15/10/2020	Response received from the operator.
Variation EPR/BL9941IC/V004 determined	05/11/2021	Permit issued to South Caernarfon Creameries Limited.

Status log of the permit		
Description	Date	Comments
NRW initiated variation determined EPR/BL9941IC/V005	04/02/2022	Varied permit issued to Operator. Natural Resources Wales initiated review and variation to vary the permit following the publication of the revised Best Available Techniques (BAT) Reference Document (BRef) for the Food, Drink and Milk Industries.
Application EPR/BL9941IC/V006	Duly made 14/03/2022	Application to extend site boundary and add ammonia-based refrigeration system.
Variation determined EPR/BL9941IC/V006	09/06/2022	Permit issued to South Caernarfon Creameries Limited.

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 2016 varies and consolidates

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EPR/BL9941IC

issued to
South Caernarfon Creameries Limited (“the operator”),
whose registered office is

Rhyd-y-Gwystl
Pwllheli
Gwynedd
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company registration number **IP12227R**
to operate an installation at

South Caernarfon Creamery
Rhyd-y-Gwystl
Pwllheli
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LL35 6SB

to the extent set out in the schedules.

The notice shall take effect from 09/06/2022.

Signed

Date

Holly Noble

09/06/2022

Authorised on behalf of Natural Resources Wales

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.