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Ein cyf / Our ref: BR7321IK
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Dyddiad / Date: 19 September 2017

Dear Peter,

Environmental Permitting Regulations (England and Wales) 2016 ,Colourcoat Line 1, Major Upgrade (COBRA Project).

As you will be aware an extension to the determination period for the substantial permit variation submitted on 10 March 2017 has been requested by Natural Resources Wales (NRW).

On the 9th June 2017 a local agreement was given to operate the following items of plant on colourcoat line 1 for a period of 3 months:-

(Cobra Project Plant)

New intermediate Coater House,
New Intermediate Paint Oven,
New Regenerative Thermal Oxidiser,
New Quench System,
New Bulk Storage Tanks,

The agreement ceased on the 9th September 2017. Following discussion with site, NRW agree to a further extension of this agreement from the date of this letter and that the agreement shall remain in place until the permit variation has been determined by NRW.

The local agreement to run the aforementioned plant is subject to the following conditions:-

Point source emissions from the new regenerative thermal oxidiser for Volatile Organic Compounds and Carbon Monoxide shall not exceed those set out in *DEFRA Sector Guidance Note SG6 (11) Secretary of State's Guidance For Surface Treatment Using Solvents, Integrated Pollution Prevention and Control, February 2011*, i.e

Carbon Monoxide 100mg/m³,
Volatile Organic Compounds 20mg/m³,

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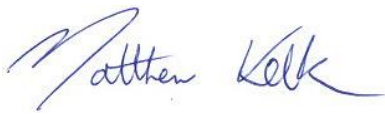
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Correspondence welcomed in Welsh and English

Please note that following the permit variation determination, Emission Limit Values (ELV's) in any issued permit may differ to those mentioned above.

This permission does not preclude Natural Resources Wales from taking enforcement action if pollution occurs from the operation of the upgraded line.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Matthew Kelk". The signature is fluid and cursive, with the first name "Matthew" and the last name "Kelk" clearly distinguishable.

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