

Surrender notice with introductory note

The Environmental Permitting (England & Wales) Regulations 2016

ZF Automotive UK Limited

**ZF Automotive UK Limited –
Pontypool Site
New Road
New Inn
Pontypool
Torfaen
NP4 0TL**

Surrender application number

EPR/DP3430LX/S005

Permit number

EPR/DP3430LX

ZF Automotive UK Limited – Pontypool Site

Permit number EPR/DP3430LX

Introductory note

This introductory note does not form a part of the notice

The following notice gives notice of the surrender in part of an environmental permit.

The drum brake anodising process, which was listed under a Section 2.3 Part A(1)(a) activity on the permit, has been surrendered. The Section 2.3 Part A(1)(a) activity will stay listed on the permit following the partial surrender as it also includes the Caliper anodising process which is to remain. The capacities of the activity will be reduced, and the air emission point (A7) associated with the drum brake anodising process is removed from the permit. The installation boundary has been varied, removing the building where the process used to take place.

The registered office address has also been updated.

Any changes made as a result of the part surrender are set out in the schedules.

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 DP3430LX	Received 15/02/2006	
Request for additional information	08/03/2006	
Additional information received	20/03/2006	Application Site Report and emergency spill procedures
Permit determined	31/07/2006	Permit issued to TRW Automotive Limited
Variation application EPR/DP3430LX/V002	Duly made 30/07/2013	Application to add a zinc-nickel plating process and a new effluent treatment plant
Additional information received	25/10/2013	Updated point sources emission point plan
Variation determined EPR/DP3430LX/V002	05/12/2013	Varied permit issued
Variation application PAN-000051	23/02/2016	Amended site plan requested
Additional information received	26/02/2016	Amended site plan received
Variation determined EPR/ DP3430LX/V003	18/03/2016	Varied permit issued
Variation application EPR/DP3430LX/V004	10/06/2020	
Request for additional information	06/07/2020	
Variation application EPR/DP3430LX/V004	Duly Made 07/07/2020	
Variation Determined EPR/DP3430LX/V004	17/07/2020	
Part surrender application (PAN-022045) EPR/ DP3430LX /S005	Duly made 06/06/2023	Application to surrender the drum brake anodising process
Part surrender determined EPR/ DP3430LX /S005	01/09/2023	Part surrender complete. Registered address updated.

End of introductory note.

Notice of surrender

The Environmental Permitting (England and Wales) Regulations 2016

The Natural Resources Body for Wales (“Natural Resources Wales”) in exercise of its powers under regulation 25 of the Environmental Permitting (England and Wales) Regulations 2016 accepts the surrender in part of

Permit number
EPR/DP3430LX

issued to
ZF Automotive UK Limited (“the operator”)

whose registered office is

**The Hub Central Boulevard
Shirley
Solihull
West Midlands
United Kingdom
B90 8BG**

company registration number **00872948**

to operate a regulated facility at

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to the extent set out in the schedules.

The notice shall take effect from 01/09/2023.

Signed

Date

Holly Noble

01/09/2023

Authorised on behalf of Natural Resources Wales

Schedule 1 – conditions to be deleted

None.

Schedule 2 – conditions to be amended

The following conditions are amended as detailed, as a result of the application made by the operator.

Table 1.1.1. is amended to change the description of the specified activity to reduce the listed capacities for the Section 2.3 Part A(1)(a) activity as follows:

Table 1.1.1		
Activity listed in Schedule 1 of the EPR Regulations / Associated Activity	Description of specified activity	Limits of specified activity
Section 2.3 Part A(1)(a)	Surface treating metals using an electrolytic or chemical process where the aggregated volume of the treatment vats is more than 30m ³ .	Receipt of raw materials to despatch of finished product.
	Zinc plating and anodising with a capacity of 77m ³	
	Zinc-nickel plating with a capacity of 168m ³	
	Aggregated volume of treatment tanks is 245m ³	
Section 5.4 Part A(1)(a)(ii)	Disposal of non-hazardous waste with a capacity exceeding 50 tonnes per day involving physico-chemical treatment.	Receipt of effluent from surface treatment processes to joint point of discharge to sewerage undertaker's sewer.
	Effluent treatment plant servicing the surface treatment processes.	
Directly associated activities		

Table 2.2.1 is amended to remove emission point 'A7' as follows:

Table 2.2.1 : Emission points to air		
Emission point reference or description	Source	Location of emission point
A1	Zinc acid plating – Caustic Tanks lip extraction	Within area labelled '2 - Zinc Plant' on Site Layout Plan in Schedule 4
A2	Zinc acid plating tank - Acid Pickle Tank lip extraction	Within area labelled '2 - Zinc Plant' on Site Layout Plan in Schedule 4
A8/1 and A8/2	Zinc-nickel plating tanks - lip extraction from the zinc-nickel plating process	Within area labelled '3 - Zinc Nickel Plant' on Site Layout Plan in Schedule 4
A9	Caustic and acid treatment tanks- lip extraction from the aluminium anodising process	Within area labelled '4 – Caliper Anodise Plant' - Zinc Plant' on Site Layout Plan in Schedule 4

Schedule 3 – conditions to be added

None.

Schedule 4 – amended plan

The area of the site is reduced to that shown in the attached amended plan.

