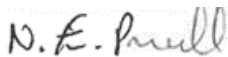


Planned or unplanned outage of abatement equipment

Permit Number	EPR/BL7108IM
Name of operator	Tata Steel
Location of Facility	Port Talbot Steel Works
Date & time of when the planned or unplanned outage commenced (Please state if planned or unplanned)	Outage to commence 27/10/2023 @ 06:00 Planned outage

(PART A)	
Reference or description of the location of the event	A1 Sinter Main Stack North Fan outage
Reason for the outage	Sinter stocks are increasing and there is a need to balance and reduce overall Sinter stocks. Therefore, the Sinter plant will revert to single fan operation/production and reduce volumes, which will reduce stock naturally whilst also maintaining Blast Furnace stability. The blank will also be inserted into the North windmain.
Immediate action taken to mitigate environment incident (if applicable)	The stock reduction plan will be managed by the Carbon department and reviewed with the Sinter department. Standard for Single Fan Operations communicated to shift teams
Has the abatement equipment been reinstated? (If yes state date and time)	No
If no confirm planned date to reinstate abatement equipment	North Fan is aiming to be brought back into service in Week 46.
Was further correspondence required to notify NRW that the abatement equipment has been reinstated?	Yes
Reference	A1 Sinter Plant 136_271023
(PART B) Any more accurate information on the matters notified under Part A (Specifically if the outage of the abatement equipment has increased)	
Date abatement equipment returned to service	
Name	Nicola Parnell
Post	Environment Lead, Air Quality & UK ETS
Signature	

Date	26/10/2023
Reference	A1 Sinter Plant 136_271023