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The Company Secretary
Murco Petroleum Limited
4 Beaconsfield Road
St Albans
Hertfordshire
AL1 3RH

Our ref: EPR/DP3195LV/EAWML
34029/Closure Notice

Your ref:
Dyddiad/Date: 15th March 2010

Dear Sir/Madam

Closure Notice for Landfarm 7, Murco Petroleum Limited, Milford Haven Refinery, Milford Haven, Pembrokeshire, SA73 1DR – Permit EPR/DP3195LV (previously EAWML 34029).

Please find attached a Closure Notice in relation to the Landfarm 7 site at Milford Haven Refinery, it has been issued following the transfer of the permit from Total Milford Haven Refinery Ltd to Murco Petroleum Limited, and replaces any previous Closure Notices issued for the former address.

The Notice requires the provision of information to the Environment Agency to support progression of the landfarm status into 'aftercare' and eventual surrender (pending our approval). The contents of the Notice have been discussed with Dafydd Williams (Environmental Engineer) at the Milford Haven Refinery.

Should you have any queries on the contents of the Notice, please contact me at the address below.

Yours faithfully

Michelle Walker
PPC Regulatory Officer

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**Environmental Permitting (England and Wales) Regulations 2007
Regulation 35(d)
Schedule 10, Paragraph 10(1)**

LANDFILL CLOSURE NOTICE

To: The Company Secretary
Murco Petroleum Limited
4 Beaconsfield Road
St Albans
Hertfordshire
AL1 3RH

Environmental Permit number: EPR/DP3195LV

**Regulated Facility: Murco Petroleum Limited
Landfarm 7
Milford Haven Refinery
Milford Haven
Pembrokeshire
SA73 1DR**

The Environment Agency ("the Agency") following the submission of a conditioning plan by the operator of the site, has decided that there is no reasonable prospect of the landfill meeting the relevant requirements of the Landfill (England and Wales) Regulations 2002 (the Regulations) and requires you to initiate closure of the landfill site at: Murco Petroleum Limited, Landfarm 7, Milford Haven Refinery, Milford Haven, Pembrokeshire SA73 1DR.

The reason for this decision is set out in Schedule 1 to this notice.

In exercise of its powers under the above Regulations, we require you to take the steps specified in Schedule 2 to this notice with immediate effect.

Date 15th March 2010

Signed Gavin Bown
Gavin Bown
PPC Team Leader

The Environment Agency
Maes Newydd,
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Please see over for notes.

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Notes:

1. Paragraph 10(1) of Schedule 10 of the Environmental Permitting (England and Wales) Regulations 2007 requires us to set out this decision in a closure notice. Accordingly, this Notice requires you to close your landfill for the acceptance of waste from the date specified and take the steps specified in Schedule 2.
2. Closure of the landfill does not relieve you of your liability to comply with the conditions of your Environmental Permit. Failure to comply with these conditions is an offence and legal action may be taken against you.
3. Failure to comply with this Notice is an offence under Regulation 38(1)(c) of the Environmental Permitting (England and Wales) Regulations 2007 and may result in legal action being taken against you.
4. The Agency may take proceedings in the High Court under Regulation 42 of the Environmental Permitting (England and Wales) Regulations 2007 for the purpose of securing compliance with this notice.
5. You may wish to seek independent legal advice.

Appeal provisions

You are entitled to appeal against this Notice under Regulation 31(1)(e) of the Environmental Permitting (England and Wales) Regulations 2007. Notice of appeal must be made by May 17th 2010. An appeal does not affect the requirements of this Notice.

Welsh Ministers
Environmental Protection Division
Crown Buildings
Cathays Park
Cardiff
CF10 3NQ

At the same time you must send a copy of the appeal notice and documents to us.

The required documents are:

- a statement of the grounds of appeal;
- a copy of any relevant application;
- a copy of any relevant environmental permit;
- a copy of any relevant correspondence between the appellant and the regulator;
- a copy of any decision or notice which is the subject matter of the appeal; and
- a statement indicating whether you wish the appeal to be in the form of a hearing or dealt with by way of written representations.

You may withdraw an appeal by notifying the Welsh Ministers (for Wales) in writing and sending a copy of that notification to us.

Further information about making an appeal and the forms that you will need are available from The Environmental Protection Division (for Wales).

Public Registers

A copy of this notice will be placed on the public registers held by the Local Authority in whose area the installation is located and by the Agency.

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<p>SCHEDULE 1 REASONS FOR DECISION</p>
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Closure Notices: Schedule 4 paragraph 1(6)(b) and Regulation 16 (The Landfill (England and Wales) Regulations 2002). The Agency must serve a Closure Notice when it decides, following submission by the operator of a conditioning plan, that there is no reasonable prospect of the landfill or part of it meeting the relevant requirements of these Regulations. Waste disposal has already ceased at the site.

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<p style="text-align: center;">SCHEDULE 2 STEPS TO BE TAKEN TO INITIATE CLOSURE</p>

1. Do not recommence the acceptance of waste for disposal at the landfill.
2. Maintain, monitor and control the landfill as required by the conditions of the permit
EPR/DP3195LV
3. Provide by 31st March 2011 reports to demonstrate:
 - a. A plan identifying the area(s) of the site which are to be considered definitely closed;
 - b. Evidence that the waste mass is stable;
 - c. Procedures for the management and control of landfill gas, leachate, groundwater and surface water;
 - d. Procedures for monitoring; landfill gas, leachate, groundwater and stability/ settlement during the aftercare phase for that/ those area(s);
 - e. A procedure for reporting any significant environmental effects during the aftercare phase.

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<p style="text-align: center;">ANNEX 1 ADDITIONAL CONTROLS FOR WASTE DISPOSAL</p>

Not applicable