

Rolls of Monmouthshire Limited
The Hendre
Monmouthshire
NP25 5HG

6th November 2025

Warning Letter

We believe that you have committed the following offences:

Offence: Contravention of the **Water Resources Act 1991, Section 24(4)(b)**. In that you did not comply with a condition imposed by the provisions of the licence. In this case, abstraction records show that there was an over abstraction of 1766 m3 (the limit is 2190 m3. The actual water abstracted was 3956 m3). Location, at grid reference: SO 4630 1400.

Date: 1st April 2022 to 31st October 2022.

We have issued this **Warning Letter** as a response to the above offences on this occasion. However, our decision could change if any further relevant information comes to light, including, but not restricted to, information that:

- You have committed earlier offences;
- The environmental impacts of these offences is greater than we presently understand them;
- The offences are continuing or have been repeated;
- You have committed other offences of which we are presently unaware.

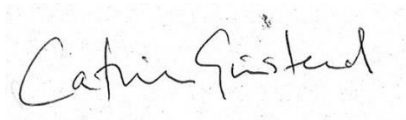
The offence in this case relates to a period of sustained dry weather. I understand the pressures the business must face in times of low rainfall and drought. However, limits on groundwater abstractions (and other permits) are crucial for sustainable management of water resources, including:

- Ecological protection – safeguarding freshwater and groundwater dependent ecosystems
- Balancing the needs of all users
- Ensuring water security during droughts

The exceedance is a significant over abstraction (80%). However, given the time that has elapsed since the permit breach occurred, we have decided to issue a Warning Letter only in this instance. We will take this offence into account if we consider that you are involved in any future offending, and further enforcement will be considered for future permit breaches. This warning does not:

- Prevent any other prosecuting authority taking action against the Company; or
- Affect our right to issue enforcement, clear-up or remediation notices.

Yours faithfully,

A handwritten signature in black ink, reading 'Catrin Grimstead'. The signature is written in a cursive style with a small '3' above the 'i' in 'Grimstead'.

Catrin Grimstead

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Should you wish to discuss the matters contained in this letter please contact:

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