

FORM WRA: Applicant details and proposal outline

Application type and fee

Please generate a reference number. It should start with "WR" followed by your organisation or company name and today's date in four-digit format (DDMM) without spaces or punctuation.

Example: WRNATURALRESOURCESWALES1101

Please use this use this number throughout this application. This reference number can also be used for your BACS reference if paying electronically.

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For the application types listed, complete this form and/or the relevant additional forms named below. Tick the type of application you are applying for. Please refer to our Find out if you need a licence web-page (opens in new tab) for an explanation for the different licence types. If your proposal involves multiple licence types, tick all that apply.

See our Charges for abstraction and impoundment applications (opens in new tab) web page for details of application fees and how to pay.

New full abstraction licence. Also complete form WRD.

New impoundment licence. Also complete form WRE.

Please indicate how you wish to pay your application fee. If paying by BACS, please quote the reference number created in question 1 when setting up the bank transfer.

If paying by cheque, please ensure you add the six digit cheque number below.

BACS

Please add your BACS reference below

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Applicant details

Applicant type

Individual

Applicant details

Full Name Richard Bowen

Company, Charity or Trading Name -

Company or Charity Registration Number -

Applicant Registered Address

Line 1 Plas Farm
Line 2 Cilybebyll
Line 3 Pontardawe
Line 4 -
Postcode SA8 3JQ

Applicant Contact details

Office Telephone Number 07968194348
Mobile Telephone Number 07968194348
Email Address richardbowen1@gmail.com

Please indicate who we should contact regarding operation of your site, this should be the person responsible for the day to day running of the operation.

	Applicant	Agent
Site operations contact	X	

Details of agent or individual authorised to act as application contact

Use applicant contact details

No

Application details

Full Name Adam Cropper
Company, Charity or Trading Name Elements Energy Ltd
Position in Company Director

Applicant Registered Address

Line 1 17 Caynham Avenue
Line 2 Penarth
Line 3 -
Line 4 -
Postcode CF64 5RR

Applicant Contact details

Office Telephone Number 07717811107
Mobile Telephone Number 07717811107
Email Address adam@ellergreen.com

For applications for abstraction licences who should we contact for invoices?

Not necessary for temporary or transfer licences.

Applicant

Details of individual authorised to act as abstraction records (returns) contact

Specify who we should contact regarding abstraction records (returns):

Existing returns contact

Entitlement to apply (not required for impoundment licence applications)

Does the applicant have a legal right of access to the point of abstraction?

Occupier of land / has a right of access

Site map showing abstraction points

- File: Cilybebyll Layout RevA 24.11.25.pdf - [Download](#)

Other supporting documents

- File: 2024-02-06_title_plan_WA409147_GOV.UK.pdf - [Download](#)

For abstraction licence applications where you are the occupier or have rights of access, please also provide the additional evidence as outlined above.

Please tick here to show that you have done this.

Pre-application number

Have you undertaken a pre-application enquiry or had any previous discussions with us?

No

Remediation work

Is this proposal as a result of a Restoring Sustainable Abstraction programme or other work requested by us?

No

Source of supply

State where you intend to abstract from

Surface Water. e.g. Stream, leat, spring

Provide a 12 digit National Grid Reference for the proposed or existing abstraction or impoundment point (e.g. ST 19057 76826)

SN 75553 04360

Source of supply (name of watercourse or aquifer)

River Clydach

Site name / reference
(e.g. Tŷ Mawr Farm)

Cilybebyll Hydro

Proposal summary

Please provide an outline of your proposal, including any sketches.
As a guide, you should include: a description of the activities which (will) take place at your site, the means of abstraction/impoundment proposed, if the proposal is related to another licence or permit (i.e. an Environmental Permit to Discharge Water) and details of any survey work undertaken. For changes to existing licences, summarise the changes proposed. Sketches or photographs that will aid our understanding of your proposal can be uploaded below.

See design and access statement.

In summary a run of river hydro project, which shares a powerhouse with Plas Farm Hydro.

Summary of proposal

- File: CYBH-DOC-Design and AccessStatement-A-290725-ARC.pdf - [Download](#)

Declaration

By signing below, you are declaring that, to the best of your knowledge; the information given in this form, on any map and in any supporting or additional information; is true.

Signed Richard Bowen

Print name Rlchard Bowen

Position Owner

Date

* 24/11/2025

Submit your application

Enter your email address to get a copy of your application

adam@ellergreen.com