

# Apply to renew or change an abstraction or impoundment licence (WRI)

## Type of variation/renewal

Indicate the change(s) you wish to make to your licence(s) here.

Same terms renewal (where no environmental or other concerns have been raised in your renewal reminder letter)

## The licence(s) you want to change/renew

Provide the licence serial number(s) which the proposed change/renewal relates to

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## Application fee

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

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

NRW internal application

Is this proposal as a result of a Restoring Sustainable Abstraction programme or other work remediation work, to prevent and reduce environmental damage requested by us?

No

Are you making this application as part of an agreement to trade water rights? Water rights trading is where a Licence Holder sells all or part of their abstraction licence rights, permanently or temporarily, to another person.

No

Provide details below

The Licence application is for a renewal of the current borehole abstraction, same terms, to provide water to Cynrig Hatchery to supply the various rearing systems that require a clean sterile supply of water

## Existing Licence Holder details

Provide details of the existing Licence Holder.

<b>Full Name</b>	Cynrig Hatchery
<b>Company, Charity or Trading Name</b>	Natural Resources Wales
<b>Company or Charity Registration Number</b>	N/A

#### Registered Address

<b>Building and street</b>	Llanfrynach -
<b>Town and City</b>	Brecon
<b>County</b>	powys
<b>Postcode</b>	LD37AX
<b>Office Telephone Number</b>	01874665212
<b>Mobile Telephone Number</b>	07917072574
<b>Email Address</b>	john.taylor@naturalresourceswales.gov.uk

## Details of individual or agent authorised to act as a point of contact

This is who we will correspond with unless otherwise informed. If an agent signs on behalf of an applicant, a letter of authorisation from the applicant is required

<b>Full Name</b>	John Taylor
<b>Company, Charity or Trading Name</b>	Natural Resources Wales
<b>Company or Charity Registration Number</b>	N/A

#### Registered Address

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Specify who we should contact with regard to

	Applicant	Agent
Operations (on site) contact	X	
Invoice contact	X	

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

Specify who we should contact regarding abstraction records (returns)

New returns contact

Please provide name and address of new returns contact

**Name** Haydn Probert  
**Line 1** Cynrig Hatchery  
**Line 2** Llanfraynch, Brecon  
**Line 3** Powys  
**Postcode** LD37AX

Please provide telephone numbers and email address of new returns contact.

**Office telephone** 01874665212  
**Mobile telephone** 07977931866  
**Email** haydn.probert@naturalresourceswales.gov.uk

Are you applying to apportion your licence? Find an explanation of apportionment on our website (opens in new tab).

No

Are you applying for a simple change (opens in new tab)?

No

## Same terms renewal

Are you applying for a same terms renewal?

Yes

Use this section to show us how you have calculated the amount of water you require. This should include details of your operational regime (for example, number of hours and days you intend to abstract, number of units produced or area to be irrigated). We use this information to determine if the volumes you propose to abstract are appropriate for the purpose. Depending which industry you are in, you may need to provide additional information below.

If your water usage has been lower than your licensed volumes, you will need to provide additional information to demonstrate your continued need for the water, for example, additional justification or a Business Case.

The borehole supply is the most biosecure, highest water quality supply on site and is consequently used for systems where there is a need to avoid outside pathogens (crayfish system), and provide silt free water of optimum temperature for topping up the various recirculation systems for rearing salmonids, crayfish and Freshwater Pearl Mussels. The top up supply should be between 5-10% of the system volume per hour. This equates to:

Broodstock re-circulation system - 4.5 cubic m per hour

Crayfish 1 0.3 cubic m per hour

Crayfish 2 0.3 cubic m per hour

Freshwater Pearl Mussel 1 0.3 cubic m per hour

Freshwater Pearl Mussel 2 0.3 cubic m per hour

Aquaponic system 0.3 cubic m per hour

1.25m rearing tank 0.6 cubic m per hour

#### For agricultural use

	Livestock type	Number of animals	Maximum daily quantity of water used (cubic metres)	Comments
	salmonids	100-200	129.6	Used in 3 separate systems
	Crayfish	up to 2000	14.4	Used in 2 separate systems
	Freshwater Pearl Mussels	2-5000	14.4	Used in 2 separate systems

Provide details of what measures you provide to ensure efficient use of water. This could include water storage, re-use or recirculation, monitoring and checking for leaks, undertaking water audits or other industry specific good practise.

All of the systems above are re-circulation systems with a small top up of borehole water, saving approximately 90% of the water if was continually abstracted

## Different terms renewal

Are you applying for a different terms renewal

No

**Signatures: existing Licence Holder (for all changes), and proposed Licence Holder(s) for Transfers and Apportionments**

#### Existing Licence Holder's signature

**Full Name** John Taylor  
**Position** Senior Aquaculture Officer  
**Signature** JTaylor  
**Date** 22/01/2026

#### Proposed new Licence Holder's signature, if applicable

**Full Name** John Taylor  
**Position** Senior Aquaculture Officer  
**Signature** JTaylor  
**Date** 22/01/2026

## Submit your application

Enter your email address to get a copy of your application

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