



Cyfoeth Naturiol Cymru Natural Resources Wales

c/o Director and/or Company Secretary
SOUTH WEST WOOD PRODUCTS LTD
Unit A4
Pacific Road
Compass Business Park
Cardiff
CF24 5HL

Our ref: EPR-QB3093HE

Date: 27 July 2020

Warning letter

Dear Mr Dunn,

Environmental permit: EPR-QB3093HE

Regulated Facility: South West Wood Products (SWWP) Limited, Newport Docks yard, Newport, NP20 2NP

We believe that South West Wood Products Limited has committed the following offence:

Offence: Regulation 38 (2) of the Environmental Permitting (England and Wales) Regulations 2016. Failed to comply with or to contravene an environmental permit condition.

Date: On Friday 09 July 2020

Excessive stockpiling of wood waste was witnessed at the above site on this date. This material storage was contrary to fire prevention and mitigation plan guidance, which increased the risk of fire.

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

- the Company have committed earlier offences;
- the environmental impacts of this offence are greater than we presently understand them;
- the offences are continuing or have been repeated;
- the Company have committed other offences of which we are presently unaware.

We will take this offence into account if we consider that the Company is involved in any

future offending.

This warning does not:

- prevent any other prosecuting authority taking action against you/the Company; or
- affect our right to issue enforcement, clear-up or remediation notices, or seek recovery of costs or damages according to law.

If you have any further queries please do not hesitate to contact us.

Yours sincerely,



Alex Bowder (Acting Team Leader)

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