

Notice of request for more information
Environmental Permitting (England and Wales)
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Notice requiring further information

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Application number: PAN-005141/V002

Natural Resources Wales, in exercise of its powers under paragraph 4 of Part 1 of Schedule 5 of the above Regulations, requires you to provide the information detailed in the attached schedule. The information is required in order to determine your application for a permit, dated duly made 29 September 2021. The information requested should be sent to the following address by 15th December 2021.

Information should be sent to:

Wales Permitting Centre
Natural Resources Wales
Cambria House
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Name	Date
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Authorised on behalf of Natural Resources Wales

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Schedule

1. With reference to Section 4.2.1 of 'Environmental Permitting Technical Note PG 5/1(18)' provide a detailed written justification as to how your proposed techniques for fuel storage and moisture control constitute BAT. You should show how your management techniques and outdoor, uncovered storage of fuel gives at least an equivalent level of environmental protection and combustion performance as indoor, covered storage of fuel. Propose any improvements deemed necessary to meet BAT standards.
2. Provide the operating procedure for measuring the moisture content of virgin woodchip fuel
3. Provide the specification for moisture content of virgin woodchip fuel to be used as fuel in combustion (in % moisture)
4. Provide a detailed process flow diagram of the virgin woodchip from storage through to use as fuel in the CHP boiler.
5. As waste wood and virgin wood are stored in immediately adjacent storage bays, confirm how you propose to ensure that there is no contamination between bays and what actions (if any) are taken in the event of contamination of virgin wood with waste wood.
6. With reference to Section 4.10 of 'Environmental Permitting Technical Note PG 5/1(18)' provide sufficient details of the management, storage and disposal arrangements for the bottom ash produced to ensure the escape of bottom ash is prevented. As part of the response, confirm whether an automatic de-ashing system is in place, if it is not, provide a detailed justification as to how an equivalent level of environmental protection is achieved.

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