

Notice of variation and consolidation with introductory note

The Environmental Permitting (England & Wales) Regulations 2016

WEPA UK Ltd

**Bridgend Paper Mill
Llangynwyd
Bridgend
CF34 9RS**

Variation number

EPR/EP3738NG/V005

Permit number

EPR/BL1096IB

Bridgend Paper Mill

Permit number EPR/EP3738NG

Introductory note

This introductory note does not form a part of the notice.

The following notice gives notice of the variation and consolidation of an environmental permit.

This substantial variation is for a new paper machine called 'Neptune' within the current permitted installation boundary of the Bridgend paper Mill. The variation also includes the inclusion of an existing and new converting line. Converting is a directly associated activity in the existing permit.

These changes have been consolidated into permit.

The schedules specify the changes made to the permit.

The status log of a permit sets out the permitting history, including any changes to the permit reference number.

Status log of the permit		
Description	Date	Comments
Application EPR/BJ5805IX	received 27/02/01	
Response to request for information in 1 st Schedule 4 Notice	Request dated 14/05/01	Response dated 25/06/01.
Response to request for information in 2 nd Schedule 4 Notice	Request dated 18/06/01	Response dated 25/06/01.
Response to request for information in 3 rd Schedule 4 Notice	Request dated 31/07/01	Response dated 03/08/01.
Permit BJ5805IX	Determined 27/11/01	
Application for Variation BR8042	Received 06/03/02	Standard variation – to amend completion dates of improvement condition 9.4 a) and b) EPR/BJ5805IX/V002.
Variation BR8042	Determined 29/04/02 Effective 06/05/02	Introduced sampling on A3 and A4.
Application for variation XP3235SE	22/11/04 and supplementary information dated 14/02/05	EPR/BJ5805IX/V003 – addition of PVA coating to Jupiter paper machine.
Request by Environment Agency to extend determination date from 18/02/05 to 01/04/05	Request dated 11/02/05	Request accepted 15/02/05.

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Description	Date	Comments
Request by Operator to extend determination date from 01/04/05 to 09/05/05	Request dated 16/03/05	Request accepted 21/03/05.
Variation XP3235SE	Determined 29/04/05	Introduced 3 improvement conditions (9.12 – 9.14) to assess effect of process on River Llynfi and reduce impact. New VOC emission point (A5) linked to paper-machine modification.
Variation KP3634LB Environment Agency Initiated	Determined 06/06/06	EPR/BJ5805IX/V004 – lowers maximum temperature limit on discharged effluent, further reduce ammonia limit, adds limit for VOC emissions from A5 stack, additional improvement condition (9.24) to install active cooling on effluent discharge.
Transfer application EPR/SP3639KA/T001 (full transfer of base permit EPR/BK6122IE and subsequent variations)	Duly Made 29/05/09	
Transfer EPR/SP3639KA	Determined 23/07/09	
Environment Agency Paper and Pulp Sector Review 2011 Variation determined EPR/BJ5805IX/V005	Determined 28/10/11	Multi-permit consolidation of EPR/BJ5805IX and EPR/SP3639KA. EPR/BJ5805IX is the base permit going forward. Varied and consolidated permit issued in modern condition format.
Application EPR/SP3431CN/T001 (full transfer of consolidated permit EPR/BJ5805IX)	Duly made 16/07/12	Application to transfer the permit in full to SCA Hygiene Products Tissue Limited.
Transfer determined EPR/SP3431CN	19/07/12	Full transfer of permit complete.
Agency variation determined EPR/SP3431CN/V002	25/03/13	Agency variation to implement the changes introduced by IED.
Application EPR/EP3738NG/T001 (full transfer of permit EPR/SP3431CN)	Duly made 16/05/13	Application to transfer the permit in full to Northwood & Wepa Limited
Transfer determined EPR/EP3738NG	18/06/13	Full transfer of permit complete.
Variation application EPR/EP3738NG/V002	Duly made 02/12/13	Addition of two paper converting lines and IED conditions
Additional Information Received	18/02/14	Updated site plan and plan of air emission point locations (drg 050-BR-081).
Variation determined EPR/EP3738NG/V002	24/02/14	Varied permit issued
Regulation 60(1) Notice of request for information	01/12/14	
Regulation 60(1) response received	27/03/15	Implementation of BAT conclusions under IED
Additional information received	22/03/16	Further information in respect of levels of phosphorus in effluent

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Additional information received	31/03/16	Clarification of compliance with BATc 17
Natural Resources Wales Paper, Pulp and Board Sector Review 2015 Permit EPR/EP3728BH Variation issued EPR/EP3738NG/V003	31/03/16	Varied and consolidated permit issued in modern IED condition format.
Variation application EPR/EP3738NG/V004	03/07/18	Admin variation to change company name from Northwood Wepa Limited to WEPA UK Ltd.
Variation determined EPR/EP3738NG/V004	04/09/18	Variation issued to WEPA UK Ltd.
Variation application EPR/3738NG/V005 (PAN-013155) Further information Air Quality 23/08/21	Duly Made 24/08/2021	Substantial Variation to include new paper machine called 'Neptune' and 2 converting lines.
Additional Information in support of permit variation received on 22/09/2021	22/09/2021	E-mail from operator 22 September 2021 regarding fuel oil
Variation Determined EPR/3738NG/V005	DD/MM/YY	Variation Issued

End of introductory note

Notice of variation and consolidation

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The Natural Resources Body for Wales (“Natural Resources Wales”) in exercise of its powers under regulation 20 of the Environmental Permitting (England and Wales) Regulations 2016 varies and consolidates;

Permit number
EPR/EP3738NG

issued to

WEPA UK Limited (“the operator”)

whose registered office is

**Bridgend Paper Mill
Llangynwyd
Maesteg
Mid Glamorgan
Wales
CF34 9RS**

company registration number **08347876**

to the extent set out in the schedules.

The notice shall take effect from [\[DD/MM/YYYY\]](#)

Signed

Date

[name of authorised person]	[DD/MM/YYYY]
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Authorised on behalf of Natural Resources Wales

Schedule 1

All conditions have been varied by the consolidated permit as a result of the application made by the operator.

Schedule 2 – consolidated permit

Consolidated permit issued as a separate document.

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