

Mr D Williams, Mrs E Williams & Mr J Williams
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22 September 2017

Dear Sir/Madam,

Permit reference: EPR/XP3836MQ
Operator: Mr D Williams, Mrs E Williams & Mr J Williams
Facility: Merrystream Farm

Natural Resources Wales is required to review your permit, following the publication of the revised Best Available Techniques (BAT) Reference Document for the Intensive Rearing of Poultry or Pigs. The associated BAT conclusions to this document were published on the 21 February 2017 in the Official Journal of the European Union. http://eur-lex.europa.eu/legal-content/EN/TXT/?uri=uriserv:OJ.L_.2017.043.01.0231.01.ENG&toc=OJ:L:2017:043:FULL

Natural Resources Wales is required to recover the cost of assessing and issuing varied permits as a result of permit review work. See 'Environmental Permitting Charging Scheme' at <http://naturalresources.wales/media/682402/environmental-permitting-charging-scheme-2017-18.pdf>. The table entitled Installations – Tier 2 bespoke permits (on page 27) shows the charges, which in this case are £379. Payment for regulator initiated variations is due when an invoice is served.

This process is designed to vary your permit to ensure that it delivers compliance with the updated requirements.

The process we will follow will be as follows:

- We will send you an invoice for the variation fee within the next two weeks;
- We will record payment of the fee in our records;
- We will produce the draft variation documents and send this to you for review;

- We will consider your response to the review;
- We will issue the varied permit.

If you have any questions about this please phone me on 03000 653385 or email me at lewis.evans@naturalresourceswales.gov.uk.

Yours sincerely

Lewis Evans

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