

Date: 9th March 2022

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Dear Mr Jones,

Acknowledgement of your application for a temporary water abstraction licence.

Application number: PAN-0016645

Thank you for your application for a temporary licence to abstract water from the Afon Tywi near Llanegwad. I confirm that we have now accepted your application and can confirm that you have paid the correct fee.

I also confirm that your application:

- began the formal decision process on 22nd February 2022 and
- The statutory determination date for your application is 22nd March 2022. We will aim to make a decision on your application for the licence by this date, unless you agree in writing to extend this period, or we find that we need more information from you before we can make a decision. As advised previously, given the SAC and SSSI designation of the Afon Tywi additional time may be required to complete the determination.

You may be asked to provide further information to assist us during our determination of your application. Please provide this within the timescales defined within the request to minimise any delay on determination of your application.

It is an offence under Section 206 of the Water Resources Act 1991 to furnish any information or make a statement which is known to be false or misleading, or to recklessly make any statement which is false or misleading. Enforcement action, in line with Natural Resources Wales Enforcement and Sanctions Policy can be taken if it becomes evident that this offence has been committed.

If we cannot make a decision on your licence application by the decision date shown above, or by any agreed extended date, you can appeal to Planning and Environment Decisions Wales using the contact details below.



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Planning and Environment Decisions Wales
Crown Buildings
Cathays Park
Cardiff
CF10 3NQ

Telephone: 0300 0604400
Email: PEDW.Casework@gov.wales

You can get a standard notice for making an appeal from the address above. The notice of appeal must be sent to Planning and Environment Decisions Wales **within 28 days** of the decision date shown on the previous page (or any agreed extended decision date). The notice must give the reasons for the appeal and you must also send a copy of:

- the application which it relates to;
- any information or reports you sent to us with the application; and
- any other relevant correspondence, including this acknowledgement letter.

You must also send us a copy of your notice of appeal.

You may withdraw an appeal at any time before a decision has been made. In exceptional circumstances, Planning and Environment Decisions Wales has the power to allow a longer period for serving a notice of appeal.

If you have any questions about your application, please contact me on the details provided below.

Yours sincerely

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