

**SUSPENSION NOTICE AND  
REQUIREMENT TO TAKE STEPS**

To: Transwaste Recycling and Aggregates Limited  
Melton Waste Park  
Gibson Lane  
Melton  
East Yorkshire  
HU14 3HH

Company Number 03863280

**Environmental permit – EPR/BL9518IE**

**Regulated facility: Jameson Road Phase 2 Landfill Site, Jameson Road, Fleetwood, Lancashire, FY7 8TW**

Under Regulation 37(1) & (5) of the Environmental Permitting (England and Wales) Regulations 2016, we may suspend an environmental permit if we consider that the manner of operating a regulated facility contravenes an environmental permit condition and that such contravention involves a risk of pollution.

We consider the operation of the regulated facility involves a contravention of a permit condition, namely,

**Condition 2.10.1:**

The operator shall take appropriate measures, including, but not limited to, those specified in any approved landfill gas management plan, to (a) collect landfill gas; and (b) control the migration of landfill gas.

**because,**

You are not taking all appropriate measures to collect and manage landfill gas, notably

- a. Cells 1,2,& 5 are inadequately covered to prevent the emission of landfill gas.
- b. The uncapped areas of Cells 1,2,& 5 are producing landfill gas which is not being effectively collected in the landfill gas management system.

**and** that such contravention involves a risk of pollution, namely high levels of offsite landfill gas causing:

- offence to human senses through the intense and persistent smell of landfill gas, and

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- interference with legitimate uses of the environment, including the impact of odour on businesses and residential properties in the local community.

The Environment Agency has decided to suspend the environmental permit to the extent specified in Schedule 1 with effect from 13:00 on 28 May 2024, until this notice is withdrawn.

In addition:

- you are required to take the steps specified in Schedule 2 to remedy the contravention of your permit and remove the risk of pollution.
- as this notice has the effect of preventing waste of a specified description, namely non-hazardous waste (other than inert wastes) being accepted at the above named regulated facility, you are required to display appropriate signs, namely

“We are unable to accept any non-hazardous waste (other than inert wastes) at the site until further notice”

These signs must be displayed at a prominent height at all vehicle and pedestrian site entrance and access points.

Date 24 May 2024

Signed



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**John Bunn –Waste Regulatory  
Team Leader**

Environment Agency  
Lutra House  
Dodd Way  
Walton Summit  
Preston  
Lancashire  
PR5 8BX

**Please see over for notes.**

## General

1. This notice suspends the environmental permit to the extent specified in Schedule 1 because we consider that the manner of operating the regulated facility contravenes an environmental permit condition and that contravention involves a risk of pollution.
2. It is an offence to contravene any requirements of this notice.
3. You remain bound by any conditions of the environmental permit that are not specified in Schedule 1. Failure to comply with these conditions is an offence and legal action may be taken against you.
4. Under the Environmental Permitting Charging Scheme, you must pay additional subsistence charges relating to the work we undertake in connection with the suspension notice from the time we decide to issue the notice. For further details on these charges, see:  
<https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/environmental-permits-and-abstraction-licences-tables-of-charges>  
You will now be invoiced for the additional regulatory work to be undertaken.
5. You may wish to seek independent legal advice.

## Appeal provisions

You are entitled to appeal against this notice under Regulation 31(1)(f) of the Environmental Permitting (England and Wales) Regulations 2016. Notice of appeal must be made within two months of the date of this notice. An appeal does not affect the requirements of this notice.

You must send written notice of the appeal and the documents listed below to:

Secretary of State  
The Planning Inspectorate  
Room 3A Eagle Wing  
Temple Quay House  
2 The Square  
Bristol  
BS1 6PN

At the same time, you must send a copy of the appeal notice and documents to us.

The required documents are:

- a statement of the grounds of appeal;
- a copy of any relevant application;
- a copy of any relevant environmental permit;
- a copy of any relevant correspondence between the appellant and the regulator;
- a copy of any decision or notice which is the subject matter of the appeal; and
- a statement indicating whether you wish the appeal to be in the form of a hearing or dealt with by way of written representations.

You may withdraw an appeal by notifying the Secretary of State in writing and sending a copy of that notification to us.

Further information about making an appeal and the forms that you will need are available from the Planning Inspectorate.

In addition, you can request an independent internal review of our decision to issue this notice. Asking us to review our decision will not affect the time limits within which any statutory appeal must be made. We expect any request to review a regulatory decision to be made promptly, usually within 14 days.

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**SCHEDULE 1**

**EXTENT TO WHICH THE ENVIRONMENTAL PERMIT IS SUSPENDED**

The permit is suspended to the extent that it authorises the acceptance and deposit of non-hazardous wastes, other than inert wastes.

<b>SCHEDULE 2 STEPS TO BE TAKEN</b>	
<b>Steps to be taken to remove risk of pollution</b>	<b>By date</b>
<p>1. Install engineered temporary capping on all uncapped areas in Cells 1, 2 &amp; 5, in accordance with your own approved CQA plan <i>JRP2 Temporary Capping Works Quality Assurance Method Statement Jameson Road Landfill Site . Report No. K0539-ENV-R003 April 2024. Revision 01</i> For clarity the capping must cover the area marked <b>orange</b> in the plan attached as Appendix 1 of this notice.</p> <p>The engineered temporary cap shall be capable of preventing air ingress to the waste mass and minimising odour emissions for a period of at least 12 months and the design and construction must be in accordance with Environment Agency guidance <a href="http://www.gov.uk/guidance/landfill-operators-environmental-permits-design-and-build-your-landfill-site">Landfill operators: environmental permits - Design and build your landfill site - Guidance - GOV.UK (www.gov.uk)</a></p>	<p>5pm on 9 July 2024</p>
<b>Steps to be taken to remedy the permit contravention</b>	<b>By date</b>
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Appendix 1

