**012 - Waste Management. Storage and Handling Farm: Ditchford Bank Farm Poultry JP3604MJ**

**Date Feb 2022**

The business will continue to review the waste it produces, the initial aim will be to reduce the amount of waste produced, it will look to recycle or re-use where it is possible and finally continuously consider the disposal options.

**Waste records**

Waste transfer notes are kept on the main business site provided by approved waste contractors for off-site reuse or disposal these records include the nature, origin and volume of the transferred

waste. These records are carefully assessed and filed. Before any contractor is used, their carrier

certification and waste management licenses (where required) are first checked and then recorded.

In this regard Bourne Partners (the operator) are compliant with the requirements of Duty of Care.

**Storage Areas**

The table below details the waste streams generated within the installation, where they are generated and where they are stored.

Waste storage areas are deliberately located away from sensitive boundaries and watercourses. No waste is stored on site for a period in excess of twelve months.

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| **Material** | **Techniques** | **Proposed Improvements** | **Landfill** |
| Mortalities - Carcasses | This waste material is collected by an authorised hauler and transported to a renderer | None proposed | No |
| light bulbs | Consumption is small and these currently are disposed of as hazardous waste | Recycle | No |
| Cardboard, paper & plastic containers | Consumption is small the liners are left in the houses to degrade naturally and are removed with the litter at the end of the cycle. These also act as perches/stimulation for the birds.  Chemical containers are treble washed and are also place in the recycling bin. | Recycled via a contractor. | No |
| Plastic wrapping | Consumption is negligible, suppliers of bedding take away the plastic covering. | None proposed | No |
| Glass | Consumption is small and these currently are disposed of via the council recycling centre. | None proposed | No |
| General waste | Any waste that cannot be recycled is placed in the general waste bin. | None proposed | Yes |
| Scrap metal | Any small quantities produced are re-cycled to an approved facility. | None | No |

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| Oils and lubricants | None used. AU gearboxes on feed delivery systems are sealed for life. | None | No |
| Wash water *I* foot dips | Stored in underground tanks during wash out. Removed by contractor. | None | No |

**Disposal of carcasses**

Poultry carcasses are disposed of in accordance with the Animal By-Product Order of 2003. Mortalities are recorded and removed from the sheds on a daily basis. Currently the unit engages the services of licensed fallen stock contractor.

All farm disposals, both Hazardous and Non-Hazardous waste has been carried out in compliance with Regulations.

Currently, it has been considered, that no further changes will be made.

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