

**SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS TO VARY ENVIRONMENTAL PERMIT**

**Trafalgar Farm Poultry Unit  
Trafalgar Farm  
Gainsborough Road  
Northorpe  
Gainsborough  
DN21 4AN**

**Permit Number: DP3033UZ  
Grid Ref: 491912,395992**

**May 2024**

## **APPLICATION TO VARY AN ENVIRONMENTAL PERMIT**

### **A 5c Details of Directors**

This is included as part of this Document

### **A App 1 Directors Dates of Birth**

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### **C3.5 2**

Pre application advice Separate Document

### **Summary of the Site**

This is included as part of this document.

### **Management Systems**

This is included as part of this document.

## **A 5c Details of Directors & A App 1 Directors Dates of Birth**

Mr James William Hook

Mr Ranjit Singh Boparan

Mr Mark Roy Wannell

Mr Craig Ashley Tomkinson

## **Summary of the Site / Management plans**

### **Trafalgar**

Trafalgar farm is currently permitted for 351,999 broiler places. The site currently consist of eight poultry houses with roof ventilation.

This application is to increase broiler numbers to 622,000. The additional birds will be housed in an additional 6 houses. (Please see attached plans) The ventilation will be high velocity roof ventilation only (vents greater than 5.5m high, fan efflux velocity at or greater than 9m/s) they will also include gable end fans used for heat extraction during high summer temperatures only.

A pre-application screening request was submitted, and the report attached as part of this application. Following destocking of the poultry houses all litter will be removed by mechanical loaders and placed directly in lorries/trailers which are covered prior to removal from the farm.

Following removal of litter the site is washed and disinfected and the wash water is contained and directed towards storage tanks prior to removal from site.

### **Directly associated activities**

Directly associated activities are listed below: -

**Feed storage** – all feed will be stored in enclosed, purpose-built bins.

**Chemical storage** – there is chemical storage facility on site all stored chemicals are fully banded.

**Dirty water storage** – purpose built storage tanks.

**LPG fuel storage** – LPG (gas) storage tanks

**Diesel storage** – 1500 litre banded diesel tank provides fuel for the on-site generator

**Carcass storage** – carcasses are held in locked bins that prevent water ingress and do not leak.

### **POLLUTION AND DRAINAGE MANAGEMENT PLAN**

**All site personnel are fully aware of the drainage systems on site the whereabouts of diverters the fall of the site discharge points and the flow of any nearby watercourses.**

On site drains are to be managed so that under normal use they all run to the offsite discharge points. These areas are to be kept clean and cleared of any overgrowth at all times.

During cleanout all drains are to be diverted to the catchment tanks, all water on site at this time is to be treated as contaminated and removed from site by approved contractors.

After wash down all the drains are to be jetted clean under high pressure, all diverters are to be turned back to the clean position.

- **It is the farm manager's responsibility to ensure the drain diverters are in the correct position at all times and that all drains are clean and flowing correctly.**
- **It is the farm manager's responsibility to ensure catchment tanks are to be regularly checked and monitored so that risk of pollution to clean waters is kept to a minimum.**

### **EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT PLAN FOR MINOR INCIDENTS**

If a drain on site becomes contaminated diverters must immediately be changed to the dirty positions, the spillage is to be cleared up by either site personnel or by contractors, any contaminated drains are to be flushed clean and put back to the clean position with the offsite discharge point closely monitored for signs of pollution.

### **EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT PLAN FOR MAJOR INCIDENTS**

If a major pollution risk occurs on site, then the area team must be informed immediately who will liaise with the environment agency and any contractors required on cleaning up the pollution.

## **POTENTIAL ON SITE POLLUTION RISKS**

- Fuels / Oils
- Wash water / Slurry
- Feed / Dust
- Dust
- Litter
- Disinfectants / chemicals

## **SITE CLOSURE PLAN**

This plan indicates how buildings, infrastructure, and any remaining used litter and wastes will be dealt with when the site is closed or decommissioned.

This will be used in conjunction with a record of any pollution incidents, such as spillage of oil, leaking stores etc, which have occurred during the operation of the permitted site, together with the steps taken to remedy that pollution at the time. This will help to establish whether the site is in a satisfactory state when poultry production ceases and the EPR Permit is surrendered.

The closure plan will be carried out as follows:-

Buildings, stores and facilities which are to remain in place, will be cleaned thoroughly internally and externally to avoid any potential risk of pollution. If these buildings, stores or facilities are to continue in use for activities for which the EPR Permit is no longer required, a suitable programme of works and timescale for completion will be agreed in writing with the Environment Agency to achieve the best environmental outcome and to minimise waste.

Wastes, including unused chemicals and fuels will be disposed of following the Duty of Care.

The dirty water tanks will be emptied, with the contents being taken off-site.

Where possible, any unused livestock feed will be collected and fed to suitable livestock elsewhere. Spoilt and surplus feedstuffs, and feedstuffs that cannot be recovered by feeding to stock, will be disposed of in accordance with prevailing legislation and Government Codes of Practice.

Infrastructure dedicated to the livestock named in the permit will be removed or taken out of use if no immediate further use is required for it on the site.

Buildings will be cleaned and secured if their use is no longer required.

This plan will be maintained on site, updated as circumstances change and will be reviewed every 4 years