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Non-technical Summary

Summary of Application for Waste Treatment Facility

Our facility is a waste treatment centre located in Farlington, Portsmouth, at PO6 1SS. The primary operation conducted at our facility is the reconditioning of steel and plastic drums as well as Intermediate Bulk Containers (IBCs).

Facility Operations

We handle contaminated empty packaging, specifically in the form of steel and plastic drums. Our facility receives these items through our own transportation system, utilizing Heavy Goods Vehicles (HGVs) to ensure efficient and controlled delivery.

Treatment Process

Upon arrival at our facility, the steel and plastic drums undergo a rigorous washing and decontamination process. This is achieved using specialized drum washing equipment designed to thoroughly cleanse and restore the drums to a reusable state.

End Products and By-products

The main outputs of our process are reconditioned drums and IBCs. These reconditioned containers are then resold back into various industries, promoting a circular economy by extending the life cycle of the packaging materials.

As part of our operations, we also generate by-products in the form of scrap metal drums and scrap plastic. These by-products are not discarded as waste but are instead taken to recycling facilities where they can be processed and reused in other applications.

Commitment to Compliance and Best Practices

Our facility is committed to maintaining high standards of environmental compliance and operational excellence. We continuously monitor our processes and update our practices to align with the latest regulations and industry best practices, ensuring a safe and sustainable operation.