

## About this consultation

### RH5 6HN, Europa Oil & Gas Limited: environmental permit consultation

#### The aim of this consultation is to ask whether you have any comments relevant to the permit application

We want to make the best decision when permitting. Listening to the views of others helps us to take account of concerns, or local environmental factors, that we may not be otherwise aware of.

We are seeking comments on the application for Europa Oil & Gas Limited. Please use the reference number below when making comments on this application.

Environmental Permit for onshore oil and gas.

- Permit Number: EPR/YP3735YK/A001  
EPR/EB3594DF/A001
- Regulated facility type: A30 Mining waste activities  
1.2 Part A(1) (h) Storage and handling of crude oil arising from onshore oil and gas exploration and production activities.  
Handling and storing radioactive substances
- Regulated facility location: Holmwood Well Site, Bury Hill Wood, Coldharbour Lane, RH5 6HN

#### What the response will be used for

We will take your consultation responses into consideration as part of our determination of the permit. If we decide to grant the permit we will explain how we have made our decision and how we have addressed the concerns that were raised.

We will only issue a permit if we believe that harm to the environment, people and wildlife will be minimised and that the operator has the ability to meet the conditions of the permit. Providing a business can prove that the proposed activities meets all the legal requirements, including environmental, technological and health requirements, then we are legally obliged to issue a permit, even if some people do not approve of the decision.

#### How to respond

If you would like to comment online, please use the Online Consultation tool in Citizen Space.

If you would like to send your response by post, please send to:

Environment Agency  
Permitting and Support Centre  
Land Team  
Quadrant 2  
99 Parkway Avenue  
Sheffield  
S9 4WF

customer service line  
03708 506 506

incident hotline  
0800 80 70 60

floodline  
0345 988 1188

[www.gov.uk/environment-agency](http://www.gov.uk/environment-agency)

But if you'd prefer to submit your response by email, or if you'd like to ask for a printed version of the document to be posted to you, please contact Permitting and Support centre on 03708 506 506, or email [PSCpublicresponse@environment-agency.gov.uk](mailto:PSCpublicresponse@environment-agency.gov.uk)

### How we will use your information

We will look to make comments received publicly available at our Environment Agency public facing office.

All comments which are made publicly available will exclude email addresses and telephone numbers. Any comments where confidentiality has been claimed will not appear on the public register.

In accordance with the Freedom of Information Act 2000, we may be required to publish your response to this consultation, but will not include any personal information. If you have requested your response to be kept confidential, we may still be required to provide a summary of it.

### Consultation Principles

We are running this consultation in accordance with the criteria set out in the government's Consultation Principles.

If you have any queries or complaints about the way this consultation has been carried out, please contact:

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