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Environmental and Regulatory Manager

European Metal Recycling Group Limited

Sent Via email to: nancy.gray@emrgroup.com**Our ref: EPR/DP3421SN/A001****Date: 10/07/2024**

Dear Nancy

Your environmental permitting application is duly made**Application reference:** EPR/DP3421SN/A001**Applicant:** EUROPEAN METAL RECYCLING LIMITED**Facility:** EMR Middlesbrough Granulation

I'm writing to let you know that your application, received on 13/05/2024, is duly made as of 13/05/2024. Duly made means that we have all the information we need to begin determination. Determination is where we assess your application and decide if we can allow what you've asked for. If we have to refuse your application, we'll explain why.

We may need to ask you for more information during determination. If we do, we'll write to you to explain what we need and how long you have to reply.

We want to give you a decision as quickly as possible, but the time it takes depends on what's in the application.

You can expect us to determine your application within the timescales below. This is provided you have sent all the information we need and there are no complicating factors.

Permit application type	Determination time
Transfer or partial transfer	Two months
Standard permit (other than installations)	Three months
Mobile plant permit	Three months
Variations (without public consultation)	Three months
Surrender or partial surrender	Three months

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Permit application type	Determination time
Applications with public consultation: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • standard permit for installations; • bespoke permit; and • variations 	Four months

We explain more about public consultation in our Public Participation Statement:
<https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/environmental-permitting-public-participation-statement>

We may need to agree a longer timescale with you if:

- the application is complex;
- we need to ask you for more information about the technical aspects of your application; or
- there's a considerable level of interest from the public or other organisations.

Additional charges apply if:

- we have to carry out extra assessments due to the proposed activity and location;
- we have to issue three or more information notices relating to the same issue; or
- you want to amend your application in such a way that requires further public consultation.

You can find further information on charging, including when additional charges apply, at:
<https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/environmental-permitting-ep-charges-scheme>

If we haven't spoken to you about when to expect our decision, one of our officers will contact you soon to explain this.

If your application contained a request for confidentiality, we will write to you separately about our decision on that.

If you have any questions in the meantime, please feel free to contact me on 07917 019009 or email me on Robert.carter2@Environment-agency.gov.uk

Yours sincerely,

Robert Carter
Permitting Officer