

Kirsty Trafford

From: steve raasch <stephenraasch@gmail.com>
Sent: 19 January 2026 11:45
To: Kirsty Trafford
Subject: Re: Application EPR/DP3937MG/V008 - Pershore Poultry Unit - We Need More Information About Your Application

Hi Kirsty

Stack grid reference 397707,250441
Bird place split 13-17 44800 each House 18 42462.

Regards

Steve

On Mon, 19 Jan 2026 at 09:24, Kirsty Trafford <kirsty.Trafford@environment-agency.gov.uk> wrote:

Hi Steve,

Thank you for the additional information. I'm just reviewing and have some follow up questions:

- Please can you include the exact grid reference of the stack for the new biomass boiler. The existing one was located at 397686, 250431 but we require confirmation of the NGR for this application.
- Could you check and confirm the bird split numbers for houses 13-17 and 18 as I get 266,460 total bird places, which is 2 places less than the number provided at pre-application (266,462 bird places in houses with high velocity ventilation).

Many thanks,

Kirsty

From: steve raasch <stephenraasch@gmail.com>
Sent: 06 January 2026 14:26
To: Kirsty Trafford <kirsty.Trafford@environment-agency.gov.uk>

Subject: Re: Application EPR/DP3937MG/V008 - Pershore Poultry Unit - We Need More Information About Your Application

Hi Kirsty

Boiler document and certificate attached.

It's not on the form but SO is $20\text{mg/mj} = 9.66\text{mg/nm}^3$

Regards

Steve

On Tue, 23 Dec 2025 at 15:13, Kirsty Trafford <kirsty.Trafford@environment-agency.gov.uk> wrote:

Dear Steve,

Application reference: EPR/DP3937MG/V008

Operator: Multiple operators

Facility: Pershore Poultry Unit, Long Lane, Throckmorton, WR10 2JH

Thank you for your application received on 05/12/2025, and application charge received on 12/12/2025.

We need to ask you for some missing information before we can do any more work on your application. Please provide us with more information to the following question:

1. Poultry housing

Please confirm the split of birds within each poultry house.

2. Biomass boiler

This application includes replacing an existing biomass boiler with a new one (1.047 MWth), which will burn Grade A wood. Please provide the following information:

- a. Confirm the capacity of the boiler which will burn the wood in kg/hour.
- b. The source of the wood.
- c. The storage capacity for the wood.
- d. Complete the attached biomass boiler requirement form with the required information.

Note: Only complete the additional information required in this form if you know the boiler will not screen out using the criteria at [Intensive farming risk assessment for your environmental permit - GOV.UK](#).

You must send us the information by **09/01/26**.

If we do not receive this by this deadline we will return your application.

If we receive what is missing by the deadline, we will continue to check your application. We'll check to see if there's enough information for the application to be 'duly made'. 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.

We'll let you know by email whether your application can be duly made. If it can't be duly made, we'll return your application to you.

If we do have to return your application we'll send you a partial refund of your application payment. We'll retain 20% of the correct application charge to cover our costs in reviewing your application. This maximum amount we'll retain is capped at £1,500. Further information on charging can be found at: <https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/environmental-permits-and-abstraction-licences-tables-of-charges>.

Note: Our email system has a file size limit of 25MB, if your returns exceed this limit you will have to arrange an online file transfer. Please ensure the file transfer link does not have a time limit on it.

If you have any questions, please contact me.

Kind regards,

Kirsty

Kirsty Trafford

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