

243 / 0964

Water Resources Act 1991
as amended by the Environment Act 1995
Consent to Discharge
Certificate of Holder



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Part A

To: Durham County Waste Management Group
Aykley Heads Business Centre
Aykley Heads
Durham
DH1 5TS
FAO Mr Ashley Cooper

The **Environment Agency** ("the Agency") hereby confirm that the above named person is a/the registered holder of consent reference 243/0964

Nature of Discharge(s); Treated Trade and Site Drainage
at Joint Stocks Waste Disposal Site, Coxhoe, County Durham

Note: This certificate should be kept with the consent document for future reference. If you transfer responsibility for the discharge to somebody else you must pass the consent to them and tell the Agency within 21 days. **Responsibility for the consent cannot be disclaimed by the holder but the registration of holder may be transferred to a successor.** To do this please complete the form below, then tear it off and return it to the address shown. If you fail to transfer the consent, even though you are no longer on the site, you may still be liable for prosecution for pollution. If you transfer the consent but do not tell us, you will be committing an offence. In case of any queries please contact your local Environment Agency office.

Part B Please complete in block capitals or type.

To: The Environment Agency, Tyneside House, Skinnerburn Road, Newcastle Business Park, Newcastle Upon Tyne, NE4 7AR

Water Resources Act 1991: Notice of transfer of consent to discharge

Consent 243/0964

Name:

Address:

I/We hereby serve notice on the Agency that I/we am/are no longer a/the Holder of the above consent which will be/was transferred to:

• delete as appropriate

Name(s) of new holder(s):

Address:

Post Code:

Date of Transfer to new Holder(s);

Signed:..... **Dated:**

Name (block capitals):..... **Position:**



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**WATER RESOURCES ACT 1991
(as amended by the Environment Act 1995)**

SECTION 88 - SCHEDULE 10

NOTICE OF MODIFICATION OF CONSENT TO DISCHARGE

TO: DURHAM COUNTY WASTE MANAGEMENT GROUP
AYKLEY HEADS BUSINESS CENTRE
AYKLEY HEADS
DURHAM
DH1 5TS

FAO MR ASHLEY COOPER

WHEREAS the Agency in pursuance of its powers under the Water Resources Act 1991 GRANTED CONSENT to the making of a discharge of Treated Trade Effluent and Site Drainage (Consent Reference 243/0911) on the 5th day of October 1994

FROM: SETTLEMENT LAGOONS

AT: COXHOE QUARRY AND JOINT STOCKS WASTE DISPOSAL SITE,
COXHOE, COUNTY DURHAM

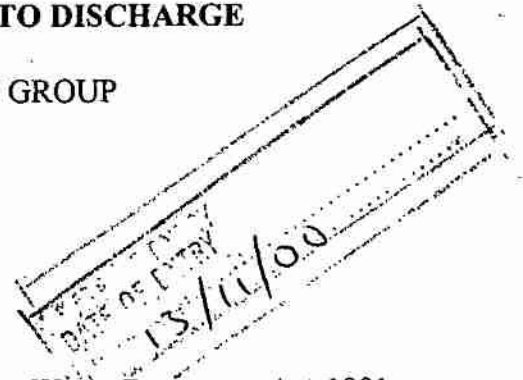
NOTICE IS GIVEN that all conditions specified in the above consent is hereby modified and replaced by the attached Schedule.

Subject to the provisions of paragraphs 7 and 8 of Schedule 10 of the Water Resources Act 1991 (as amended by the Environment Act 1995), no notice shall be served by the Agency, which alters the modifications made by this notice, without the agreement in writing of the discharger, during a period of 4 years from the date this notice is served.

Dated this 9th day of November 2000

Signed

J E BURNS - ENVIRONMENT PLANNING MANAGER
On behalf of the Environment Agency



CONSENT NO:	243/0964
SCHEDULE NO:	243/0964-01
DATE ISSUED:	9/11/00

**SCHEDULE OF CONDITIONS RELATING TO THE DISCHARGE OF
TREATED TRADE EFFLUENT AND SITE DRAINAGE**

1 GENERAL

- i) The discharge shall not contain any poisonous, noxious or polluting matter or solid waste matter.
- ii) Provided that the discharge hereby consented is made in accordance with the following conditions of this consent, such discharge shall not be taken to be in breach of condition (i) above by reason of containing substances or having properties identified in and controlled by those conditions.
- iii) As far as is reasonably practicable, the treatment facilities shall be operated so as to prevent:
 - a) any matter being present in the discharge to such an extent as to cause the receiving waters, or any waters of which the receiving waters are a tributary, to be poisonous or injurious to fish in those waters, or to the spawning grounds, spawn of food of fish in those waters, or otherwise cause damage to the ecology of those waters; and
 - b) the discharge from having any other adverse environmental impact.

2 NATURE AND SOURCE

The discharge shall consist solely of treated trade effluent and site drainage derived from settlement lagoons serving Coxhoe and Joint Stocks Waste Disposal Site, Coxhoe.

3 LOCATION

The discharge shall be made at the place specified as:

- i) discharging to an unnamed tributary of Tursdale Beck (River Wear)
- ii) at National Grid Reference NZ 3243 3687 shown marked "Consent point" on the plan attached to this consent.

4 RATE OF DISCHARGE

The rate of the discharge from the settlement lagoon shall not exceed 40 litres per second (l/s).

5 VOLUME

The volume of the Discharge shall not exceed 3500 cubic metres in any period of 24 consecutive hours.

6 SAMPLING POINT

The following sample points shall be provided and maintained, so that representative samples of the discharge may be obtained. The consent holder shall ensure that all constituents of the Discharge pass through the said sampling point at all times and in any legal proceedings it shall, for the purposes of Section 10 of the Rivers (Prevention of Pollution) Act 1961, be presumed, until the contrary is shown that any sample of the Discharge taken at the said sampling point is a sample of what was discharging into controlled waters.

Sample Point	National Grid Reference
Sample Point A	NZ 3243 3687
Sample Point B	NZ 3303 3624

7 NATURE AND COMPOSITION

A) For all samples taken from Sample Point A the following conditions shall be met.

- i) the pH value shall be not less than 5 and not greater than 9.
- ii) No sample of the discharge shall contain more than 45 milligrams per litre (mg/l) of suspended solids (measured after drying at 105 degrees Celsius).
- iii) No sample of the discharge shall contain more than 10 mg/l of total ammonia (expressed as N).
- iv) The discharge shall contain no significant trace of visible oil or grease.
- v) The discharge shall contain no Substance in such quantities as to cause the receiving (or downstream) waters to contain concentrations of a Substance which lead it to exceed an Environmental Quality Standard specified in The Surface Waters (Dangerous Substances) (Classification) Regulations 1997, The Surface Waters (Dangerous Substances) (Classification) Regulations 1998 or the Department of the Environment Circular 7/89.

B) Samples shall be taken from Sample Point B on a routine basis by the consent holder and analysed to assess with condition 7(iii). If an exceedance of this condition should occur treatment shall be necessary before conveyance of flows to the consent point and Sample Point A

8 RECORDS AND MONITORING

All records of monitoring shall be maintained and made available for inspection by an Officer of the Agency within reasonable working hours.

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NOTES ATTACHED TO CONSENT

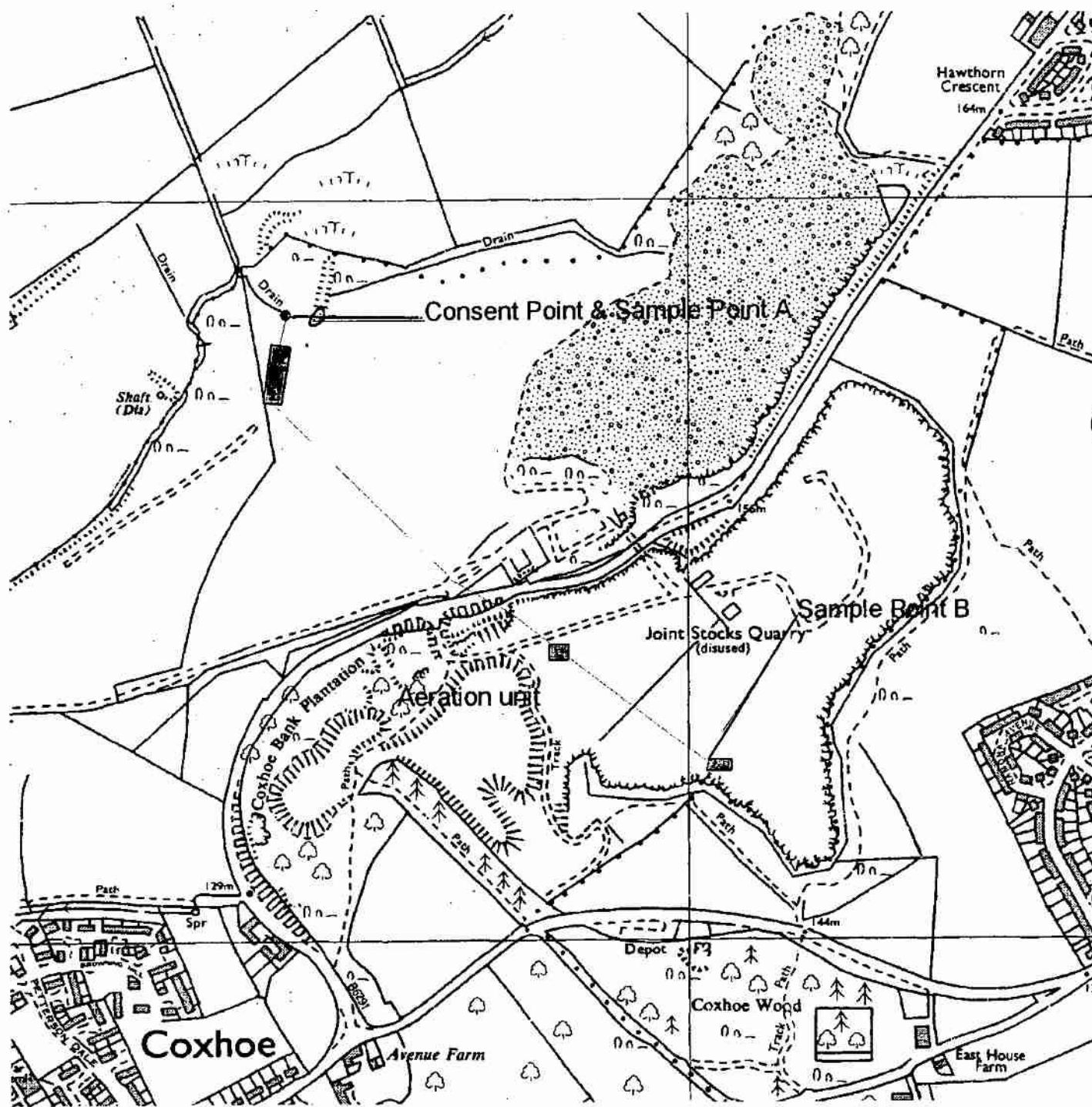
1. This consent does not exempt the discharger from obtaining any consent required by, or from complying with, any other statutory provisions, statutory instruments or bye-laws.
2. There should be no departure from the proposals as described in the application submitted, without prior consultation with the Agency.
3. This consent is given on the understanding that the relevant treatment facilities will be operated and maintained in a satisfactory manner.
4. The Agency shall continue to monitor the organic component of the discharge and if concentrations warrant the inclusion of a Bio-chemical oxygen demand condition the consent shall be modified to reflect this.
5. Under paragraph 2 of Section 91 of the Act, you may appeal to the Secretary of State for the Environment if you consider any of the conditions of this consent to be unreasonable. Any appeal should be sent to:-

The Planning Inspectorate
Room 10/13
Tollgate House
Houlton Street
Bristol
BS2 9DJ

Notice of an appeal must be given in writing within three months of this notification and must be accompanied by a statement of the grounds of appeal.

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A Schematic Plan of Coxhoe and Joint Stocks Waste Disposal Site, Coxhoe



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