

Notice of variation with introductory note

Environmental Permitting (England & Wales) Regulations 2010

Yorkwold Pigpro Limited

Ancholme Unit
Common Farm
Bridge Road
Broughton
Brigg
DN20 0BN

Decoy Unit
Common Farm
Bridge Road
Broughton
Brigg
DN20 0BN

Variation notice number
EPR/DP3630UR/V002

Permit number
EPR/DP3630UR

Pig Units at an installation comprised of Ancholme and Decoy Pig Units, Common Farm Permit Number EPR/DP3630UR

Introductory note

This introductory note does not form a part of the notice

The following notice gives notice of the variation of an environmental permit.

Following the recent clarification by the Environment Agency that served gilts should be counted as sows and not served gilts should be counted as production pigs for the purposes of calculating stock numbers, the permit holder has confirmed that there are gilts (>30kg reared at the installation that haven't been included in either the permitted >30kg production pig places or sow places).

This variation is to amend the number of pig places in table S1.1 of this permit to incorporate 120 non served gilt pig places that were previously omitted. This change involves a decrease in the total number of sow places by 120 places, from 1150 to 1030 and an increase in the total number of production pigs over 30kg by 120 places, from 1800 to 1920.

An assessment of the effect of these changes to overall ammonia emissions from the installation indicates the increase of emissions will be less than 10%. Therefore it has been agreed that a detailed ammonia assessment does not need to be completed.

In addition, the keeping of production pigs over 30kg (below the threshold) has been included as a directly associated activity, as it was previously omitted in error as a DAA in the original permit.

The schedules specify the changes made to the original permit.

The status log of a permit sets out the permitting history, including any changes to the permit reference number.

Status log of the permit		
Description	Date	Comments
Application received EPR/DP3630UR/A001	Duly made 23/01/07	Application for an intensive farming pig installation permit
Permit determined EPR/ DP3630UR	30/10/07	Original permit issued to Yorkwold Pigpro Limited
Gilts variation request form received EPR/ DP3630UR /V002	29/11/2012	Agency initiated application to re- assess permit with gilts included under new definition.
Variation determined EPR/ DP3630UR	12/12/2012	Varied permit issued to Yorkwold Pigpro Limited

End of introductory note

Notice of variation

Environmental Permitting (England and Wales) Regulations 2010

The Environment Agency in exercise of its powers under regulation 20 of the Environmental Permitting (England and Wales) Regulations 2010 varies

Permit number
EPR/DP3630UR

issued to:
Yorkwold Pigpro Limited ("the operator")

whose registered office is

Field House Farm
Scarborough Road
Driffield
YO25 5UY

company registration number **1046828**

to operate a regulated facility at

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to the extent set out in the schedules.

The notice shall take effect from 12/12/2012

Name

Date

Helen Smith

12/12/2012

Authorised on behalf of the Environment Agency

Schedule 1 – conditions to be deleted

None

Schedule 2 – conditions to be amended

The following table is amended as detailed, following an Environment Agency initiated variation

Table S1.1 Activities		
Activity listed in Schedule 1 of the EP Regulations	Description of specified activity	Limits of specified activity
Installation comprised of Ancholme and Decoy Pig Units, Common Farm		
Section 6.9 A(1)(a)(iii) Rearing of pigs intensively in an installation with more than 750 places for sows	Rearing of pigs intensively in an installation with a capacity for 1030 sow places comprising; Ancholme: 680 sow places. Decoy: 350 sow places.	Keeping of sows and served gilts for production of piglets, from receipt of raw materials and fuels on to the site to removal of sows and associated wastes from site
Directly Associated Activity		
Rearing production pigs (over 30kg) (below the threshold)	Rearing of pigs intensively in an installation with a capacity (below the threshold) for 1920 production pig places comprising: Ancholme: 1850 production pigs places. Decoy: 70 production pigs places.	Keeping of production pigs and not served gilts (over 30kg), including from receipt of raw materials and fuels on to the site to pigs and associated wastes being removed from site.
Rearing of pigs (up to 30kg)	Rearing of 1000 pigs to 30kg at Ancholme. Rearing of 2500 pigs to 30 kg at Decoy	From weaning of pigs and receipt of raw materials and fuels on to the site up to pigs reaching 30kg and removal of pigs and associated wastes from site

Schedule 3 – conditions to be added

None