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LETTER-2

WEST MIDLANDS COUNTY COUNCIL

CONTROL OF POLLUTION ACT 1974

LICENCE TO DISPOSE OF WASTE

The County Council of West Midlands in pursuance of the powers conferred on them by the Control of Pollution Act 1974 hereby licence Target Industrial Services Limited, of Unit 4, 17B Middlemore Lane West, Aldridge, West Midlands (hereinafter called the "licence holder") to operate a transfer station in accordance with the conditions specified herein at Unit 4, 17B Middlemore Lane West, Aldridge, West Midlands which is shown edged red on the drawing attached to this licence being land occupied by the licence holder

This licence is granted subject to the conditions set out in the schedules hereto

Dated this 11th day of October, 1983

M. Jackson

County Waste Disposal Officer

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The licence holder's attention is drawn to the notes overleaf



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NOTES

These notes are for the general guidance of the licence holder and they do not constitute an authoritative statement of the law.

1. This licence only relates to the requirements in the Control of Pollution Act 1974 for the deposit of controlled waste or the use of plant or equipment subject to the conditions set out in the Schedule and does not constitute a consent required by any other legislation. In particular it is the responsibility of the licence holder to comply with any requirements of the Health and Safety at Work etc. Act 1974; the Radioactive Substances Act 1960; The Town and Country Planning Act, Water Protection, Environmental Health and Fire Safety Legislation.
2. If the licence holder ceases to occupy the land specified above, then he may transfer the licence to the new occupier after giving notice to the County Waste Disposal Officer that he proposes to transfer the licence on a day specified in the notice. The County Council has the right to decline to accept the new licence holder.
3. If the licence holder wishes to cancel this licence, he must return it to the County Waste Disposal Officer together with a notice stating that he no longer requires the licence. Cancellation of the licence will not affect any outstanding liability of the licence holder under the conditions of the licence.

Contravention of Licence Conditions

Your attention is drawn to the provisions of Sections 3, 9 and 16 of the Control of Pollution Act, 1974 appended hereto.

Section 3

Prohibits under penalty, the depositing of waste or the use of plant or equipment otherwise than in accordance with the terms of a licence. This Section applies to all the conditions contained herein, including any which may be the subject of appeal to the Secretary of State under Section 10 of the Act.

Any deposit which takes place without compliance with all the licence conditions is illegal and will lead to prosecution under this Section.



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Section 9

Non compliance with any licence conditions may lead to the revocation of this licence.

Section 16

The licencing authority is empowered to require the removal of any controlled waste deposited in circumstances where any of the conditions contained in this licence are not being complied with.

Penalties under Section 3

A person who contravenes any of the above provisions subject to Sub-Section (4) shall be guilty of an offence and liable on summary conviction to a fine of an amount not exceeding £1,000 or on conviction on indictment to imprisonment for a term not exceeding five years or a fine or both.



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Conditions for Transfer Station at:- Unit 4, 17B Middlemore Lane West
Aldridge,
West Midlands.

Licence Holder:-

Target Industrial Services.

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Schedule A

1. The facility shall not be operated until an operational plan has been approved by the Waste Disposal Authority (hereinafter called the WDA) giving details of how operations are to be conducted at the facility and the licence holder shall obtain approval from the WDA for any proposed change in the actual conduct of the operations from the proposals approved in the operational plan, as altered by any previously approved changes, before the proposed change is implemented.
2. The operational plan referred to in Condition 1 above shall include the following details.
 - a) Details of handling procedures and any other operational procedures, including standby operating and disposal arrangements referred to in Condition 20 to be utilised in the operation of the facility and the transfer of wastes to or from the facility.
 - b) Details of parking, loading and unloading areas for vehicles transporting wastes to and from the facility.
3. The following wastes shall be specifically excluded from delivery to the facility without the prior written approval of the WDA:-
 - (a) Medical, surgical and veterinary wastes or wastes derived from experimental processes contaminated with viable pathogenic organisms.
 - (b) Substances within the control of the Radioactive Substances Act 1960 and subsequent amendments.



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- (c) Waste containing material controlled by the Misuse of Drugs Act 1971 to which the restrictions of the Misuse of Drugs Regulations 1973 and subsequent amendments apply.
 - (d) Percussives and explosives and other substances with similar characteristics, excepting where such wastes are in such a form or state where the percussive or explosive properties are or will remain ineffective.
 - (e) Wastes containing compounds specified in the Carcinogenic Substance Regulations 1967 and subsequent amendments.
4. Wastes stored pending removal shall only be stored in the drum storage compound, flammable waste compound and tank compound, as shown edged green on the map attached to this licence.
 5. ~~No more than 25,000 litres of waste shall be stored in the drum storage compound at any one time and this waste shall be contained in containers no greater than 200 litres capacity. See Mob 1.~~
 6. No more than 16,500 litres of waste shall be stored in the flammable waste storage compound at any one time and this waste shall be contained in containers no greater than 200 litres capacity.
 7. No more than 60,000 litres of waste shall be stored in static tanks in the tank compound. No drums or any other containers shall be stored in this area.
 8. Static tanks used for the storage of liquid wastes shall be bunded and the areas surrounding them shall be contoured to ensure that spillages are contained and shall be drained to a blind sump which shall be emptied when necessary either by means of a syphon or by means of a lockable valve. The minimum capacity of the bund shall be equal to the volume of the largest tank plus ten percent.
 9. The static tanks specified in condition 8 shall be of a type and construction suitable for the waste they contain and shall be labelled to show their contents. They shall also conform, where necessary, to the standards required for the storage of flammable liquids and gases.



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10. Flammable wastes shall only be stored in the flammable wastes compound. Any containers or drums used for the storage of flammable wastes shall be of a type and construction suitable for the waste they contain and shall be labelled to show their contents. They shall also conform, where necessary, to the standards required for the storage of flammable liquids and gases.
11. The flammable waste storage compound and the drum storage compound shall consist of bunded areas, the floors and walls of which shall be impervious and shall be drained to a blind sump which shall be emptied when necessary, either by means of a syphon or by means of a lockable valve. The minimum capacity of these bunds shall be equal to the volume of the largest container plus ten percent.
12. Capacitors and/or transformers and/or other components containing polychlorinated biphenyls shall only be stored in the drum storage area and they shall not be drained or filled at the facility.
13. Except in the case of an emergency, waste shall only be delivered to and removed from the facility between 0730 and 1800 hours on weekdays, between 0730 and 1300 hours on Saturdays and at no time on Sundays or Bank Holidays. All circumstances of emergency shall be reported forthwith in writing to the WDA.
14. As soon as wastes arrive at the facility they shall be checked by the chemist for compatibility with existing chemicals in storage. Wastes shall be stored in suitable containers and segregated to ensure that different types of waste do not inter-react.
15. Waste shall not be mixed or bulked in such a manner that their combined chemical properties give rise to adverse reactions resulting in fumes, fires or to any other environmental hazard.
16. Lighting to the satisfaction of the WDA shall be provided for those operations which are to be carried out during the hours of darkness. The hours of darkness shall be those covered by the statutory lighting up times published by the Science Research Council.
17. The gates, walls and fencing shall be maintained to the satisfaction of the WDA and all reasonable precautions shall be taken to prevent unauthorised access.



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18. An identification board of durable material and finish shall be erected at the entrance. This shall show the hours of operation and shall give the name of the facility, the name, address and telephone number of the operator and of the WDA.
19. A record shall be kept of the types and quantities of waste delivered to and removed from the facility, giving details of the final destination, including materials inadvertently delivered to and subsequently removed from the facility. The record shall comprise full details, as required on forms supplied by the WDA and copies shall be sent to the WDA once a month or at a frequency as may be requested by the WDA. These records must be made immediately available to any representative of the WDA for inspection at the facility at any reasonable time.
20. The facility shall be manned and supervised by at least two persons during operating hours and during all maintenance operations. Such persons must be capable of identifying the general categories of waste allowed by this licence.
21. Provisions shall be made, to the satisfaction of the WDA, for any unacceptable waste inadvertently delivered to or left at the facility. The WDA shall be informed forthwith of any such occasion.
22. Standby operating and disposal arrangements shall be implemented in the case of a breakdown or other emergency developing at the facility. The WDA shall be informed forthwith whenever these arrangements are implemented.
23. All site drainage facilities shall be so designed and maintained so that water does not accumulate at the facility and shall prevent any run off from the waste storage areas into the adjacent canal.
24. The surfacing of the yard areas at the facility shall be maintained to the satisfaction of the WDA.
25. Precautions shall be taken to deal effectively with any vermin and insects at the facility. All pesticides, pesticidal products and where appropriate pest control techniques, shall have been cleared for their intended use through the Pesticides, Safety Precautions Scheme (viz DOE Circular 90/76 of 24th September 1976).



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26. The terms of these conditions shall be made known to any person who is given responsibility for the management or control of the facility, and a copy of these conditions shall be displayed at a prominent point within the facility.
27. The facility shall be maintained and operated so that no statutory or common law nuisance, by way of fumes, odour, dust, noise or otherwise, shall be caused to local residents or the occupants of adjacent premises.
28. The facility and its immediate environs shall be kept clean and tidy at all times so that both it and its operations are aesthetically compatible with the surrounding area.
29. Provisions shall be made within the confines of the facility for the parking, loading and unloading of vehicles transporting wastes to and from the facility.
30. Measures shall be taken to the satisfaction of the WDA to ensure that mud, debris or any other material is not deposited on any surrounding roadway by vehicles leaving the facility. These measures shall include the sweeping of the yard and entrance at regular intervals.
31. No waste material shall be burnt within the boundaries of the facility. Any fire occurring within the confines of the facility shall be treated as an emergency and immediate steps shall be taken to extinguish it. All such fires shall be reported to the WDA and Fire Service immediately. Fire fighting equipment shall be provided and maintained regularly to the satisfaction of the WDA.
32. Access to the satisfaction of the WDA shall be made through the boundary adjacent to the canal to allow the Fire Service to draw water from the canal.
33. Not less than 14 days notice shall be given to the WDA of the date on which operations at the facility are to commence.
34. All cessations of operations which require the transfer or diversion of waste delivered to the facility to facilities elsewhere shall be notified forthwith to the WDA.



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35. A copy of any notice or instruction received in respect of the facility from any authority, other than the WDA which in any way relates to the use of the facility, shall be given to the WDA within three days of the receipt of such notice or instruction.



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Schedule B

1. In this licence any reference to circumstances of emergency is a reference to a case where a person removing or depositing waste or carrying out operations has reasonable cause to believe that circumstances exist which are likely to endanger life or health or cause damage to property or pollution of water unless the removal, deposit or operation is carried out without delay.