





WALSALL METROPOLITAN BOROUGH COUNCIL

CONTROL OF POLLUTION ACT 1974

DISPOSAL LICENCE

Walsall Metropolitan Borough Council in pursuance of the powers conferred by the Control of Pollution Act 1974, hereby license Severn Trent Water Ltd, Tame District, Park Lane, Minworth, Sutton Coldfield, West Midlands, B76 9BL (hereinafter called the "licence holder") to operate a waste treatment facility on land at Walsall Wood Sewage Treatment Works, Green Lane, Walsall Wood, WS9 9BG 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 attached hereto.

Dated this

1774

day of NOVEMBER 1993

Signed

Director of Environmental Health and Consumer Services

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



NOTES

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

This licence permits the treatment of certain wastes and is not intended to permit the sorting, storing, transfer or treatment of any waste except to the extent expressly referred to in the Schedules.

Definitions of certain words and phrases used in this licence are to be found in Schedule B of this licence.

This licence relates only to the requirements of the Control of Pollution Act 1974 for the deposit of waste and the use of plant or equipment subject to the conditions set out in the Schedules 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 Acts, and all relevant water protection and environmental health legislation.

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 Waste Disposal Authority who has the right to decline to accept the new licence holder.

If the licence holder wishes to cancel this licence, he must return it to the Waste Disposal Authority together with a notice stating 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.

Section 3

Prohibits under penalty the deposit 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 may lead to prosecution under this Section. A person who contravenes Section 3 subsection (1) shall, subject to subsection (4), be guilty of an offence and liable on summary conviction to a fine of an amount not exceeding £5,000 (at the date of issue of this licence), or on conviction on indictment to imprisonment for a term not exceeding two years or a fine or both.



Section 9

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

Section 16

The licensing 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, or the undertaking of such works as are required to reduce or eliminate the consequences of such deposits.



Conditions for Waste Treatment Facility on land at:-

Walsall Wood Sewage Treatment Works Green Lane Walsall Wood WS9 9BG

Licence Holder:-

Severn Trent Water Ltd
Park Lane
Minworth
Sutton Coldfield
West Midlands
B76 9BL

Licence No:-

SL 1316

Schedule A

- 1.(a) The statement of intended methods of operation and accompanying drawings entitled "Reception of Waste at Walsall Wood S.T.W." received 16th September 1993 and submitted as part of the application for this licence shall be referred to as the working plan.
 - (b) No operations shall take place at the facility unless the working plan has been approved in writing by the Waste Disposal Authority ('the WDA').
 - (c) Any proposed change in the working plan shall be notified in writing to the WDA and the proposed change shall not be implemented until it has been approved in writing by the WDA.
 - (d) Any reference in this licence to the working plan shall include a reference to any changes to the statement or the drawings which have been approved in writing by the WDA.
 - (e) Subject to the terms of this licence, the facility shall be operated in accordance with the working plan.
- 2.(a) The types of waste deposited at the facility shall consist only of:
 - sewer jetting residues;
 - road sweepings;
 - gully cleansing waste.
 - (b) Waste other than that specified in 2(a), which arrives inadvertently at the facility shall be dealt with as detailed in the working plan.
 - (c) Any waste referred to in 2(b) which is liable to give rise to an environmental hazard shall be removed from the facility as soon as practicable and in any case within one working day of receipt.



- 3.(a) The deposit, handling and removal of waste shall take place only on Mondays to Fridays between the hours of 0730 and 1530. Except in circumstances of emergency no deposit, handling or removal of waste shall take place outside these hours or on Saturdays, Sundays, Good Friday, Christmas Day, Bank Holidays, or other public holidays without the prior approval of the WDA. All circumstances of emergency shall be reported forthwith to the WDA and confirmed in writing within 3 working days.
 - (b) Notwithstanding the above, no deposit, handling or removal of waste shall take place at the facility during the hours of darkness as defined by the Science and Engineering Research Council.
- 4. Gates and fencing shall be provided and maintained as detailed in the working plan. Gates shall be locked outside operating hours and when the facility is unattended and security arrangements shall be implemented to prevent unauthorised access to and/or the unlawful deposit of waste at the facility.
- 5. Within 3 months of the date of issue of this licence, an identification board of durable material and finish shall be permanently displayed at the entrance to the licence holder's adjoining premises. This shall show the name, address and licence number of the site; the name, address and telephone number of the operator and of the WDA and a telephone number through which a responsible person may be contacted in the event of an emergency occurring when the site is unattended.
- 6.(a) The facility, when open, shall be manned and supervised by at least two members of staff.
 - (b) Supervisors shall be able to identify the general types of materials permitted by this licence.
 - (c) Supervisors shall be capable of ensuring compliance with this licence and its conditions and shall be fully conversant with all safety and emergency procedures.
- 7.(a) Waste shall be deposited, processed and stored only at the locations and in the manner detailed in the working plan.
 - (b) Provision shall be made for the storage of waste generated as a result of operations at the facility as detailed in the working plan.
- 8. The maximum quantity of waste deposited daily at the facility shall not exceed 60 cubic metres. Notwithstanding this, waste shall only be deposited at the facility when capacity is available and at no time shall the total quantity of waste being treated exceed 60 cubic metres.
- 9. Incoming waste and material removed from the facility shall be checked and recorded as detailed in the working plan.
- 10. If required by the WDA, any waste stored at the facility shall be removed forthwith.



- 11. No liquids shall be allowed to accumulate within the facility. All liquids arising at the facility shall pass to the treatment plant for disposal as detailed in the working plan.
- 12. The facility shall be surfaced in an impermeable material, inspected for defects and maintained in good repair at all times as detailed in the working plan .
- 13. Provision shall made within the confines of the facility for the parking, loading and unloading of vehicles using the facility.
- 14. Areas designated in the working plan as roadways for access/egress and vehicle movement within the facility shall be maintained in sound condition and kept clean and clear of obstructions at all times.
- 15.(a) Plant and equipment shall be provided at the facility as detailed in the working plan.
 - (b) Plant and equipment shall be used and maintained to carry out operations at the facility as detailed in the working plan.
- 16. The WDA shall be informed forthwith of any plant or vehicle breakdown or emergency at the facility which requires the implementation of standby operating and disposal arrangements and this shall be confirmed in writing within 3 working days. A record of the time and date of any such breakdown or emergency shall be kept at the facility and this shall be made available to any representative of the WDA for inspection at the facility at any reasonable time.
- 17. No waste material shall be disposed of by fire within the confines 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 Fire Service and WDA immediately. Fire fighting equipment shall be provided and maintained as detailed in the working plan.
- 18. The facility and its immediate environs shall be kept clean and tidy at all times. Any loose material shall be collected up and disposed of as detailed in the working plan.
- 19. The facility shall be inspected each working day and action shall be taken to deal effectively with any vermin at the facility as detailed in the working plan. A record shall be kept of any treatment undertaken.
- 20. Measures shall be taken, as detailed in the working plan, to prevent the deposit of mud or debris on any surrounding roadway by vehicles leaving the facility.
- 21. Measures, including proper maintenance and use, shall be taken to control the noise of machinery and vehicles operating at the facility, as detailed in the working plan.

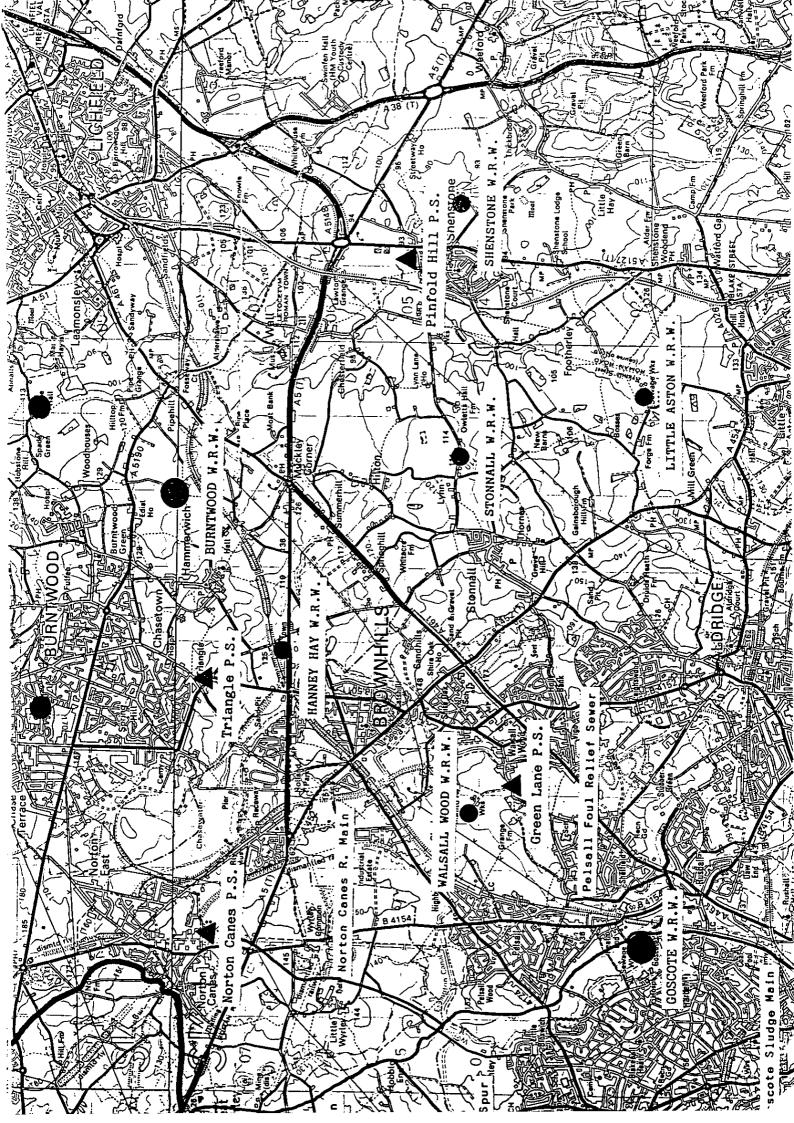


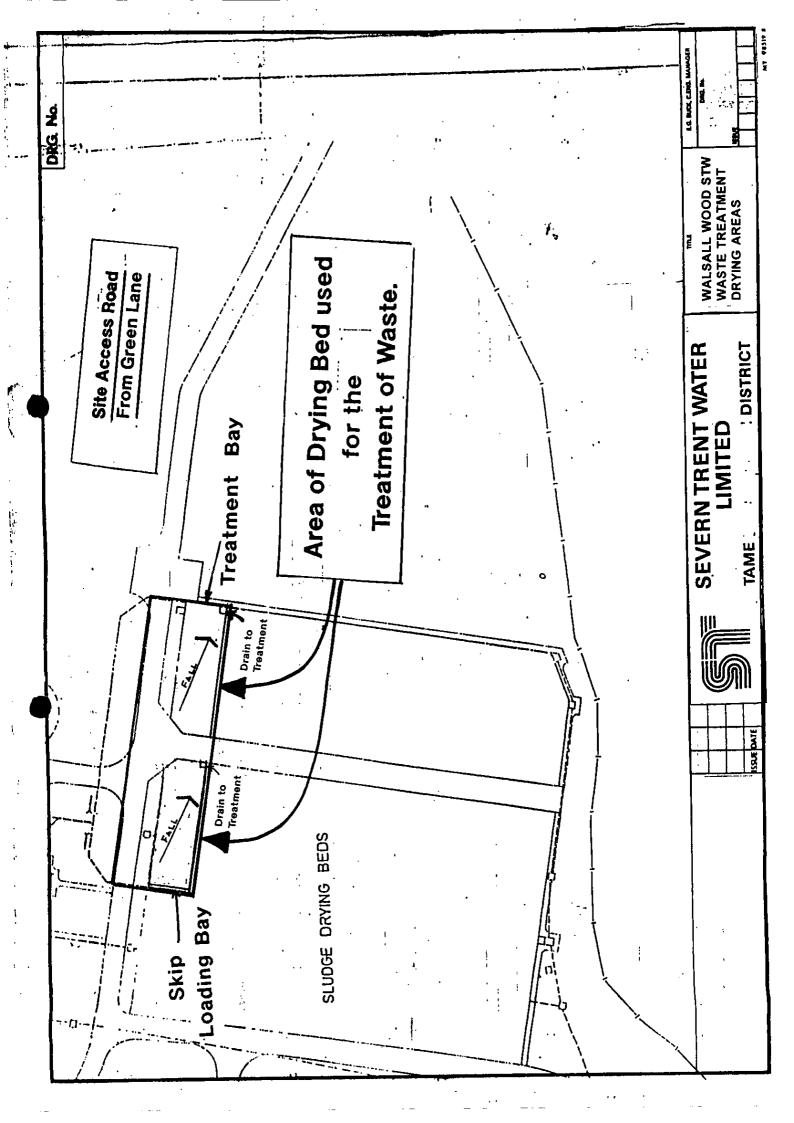
- 22. Provision shall be made to allow safe access to the facility at all reasonable times by any representative of the WDA for the purpose of monitoring conditions at the facility.
- 23. A record summarising the quantities of waste deposited at and materials removed from the facility shall be kept in the form specified by the WDA. Copies shall be sent to the WDA once a month or at a frequency specified by the WDA. These records and those detailed in the working plan shall be made available to any representative of the WDA for inspection at the facility at any reasonable time.
- 24. In the event of a cessation of operations for a period in excess of 1 month not less than 14 days notice shall be given to the WDA of the date on which operations are due to re-commence.
- 25. A copy of any notice or instruction received 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 3 working days of the receipt of such notice or instruction.
- 26. The terms of this licence and the details in the approved working plan and any approved amendments to either document shall be made known to any person who is given responsibility for the management or control of the facility. A copy of all these documents shall be available at the facility at all times.

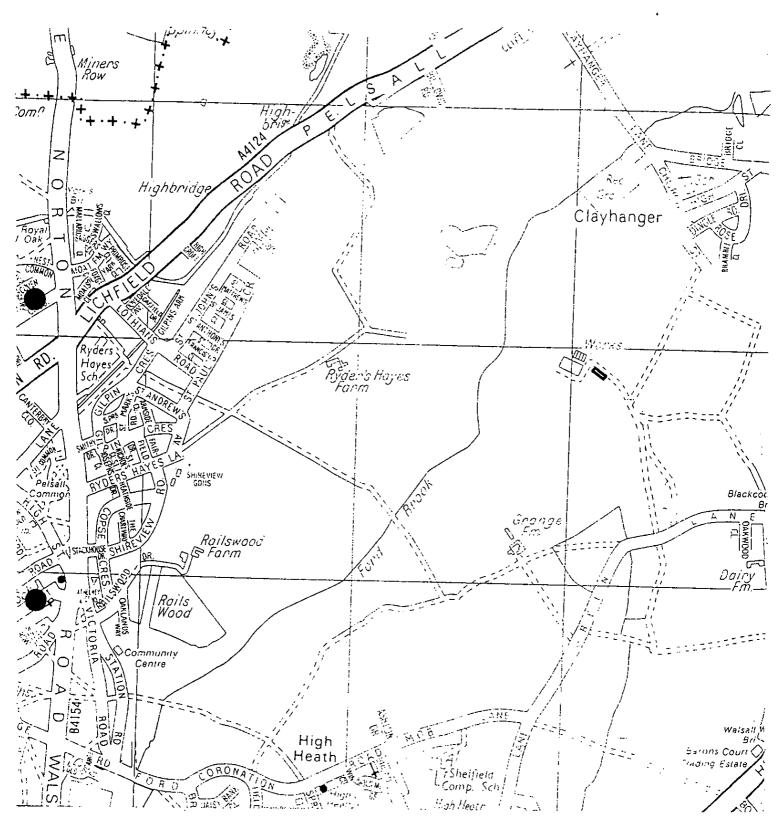
Schedule B

- 1. In this licence, an emergency is defined as a case where a person suspects that circumstances exist which are likely to endanger life or health or cause damage to property or pollution of water.
- 2. In this licence, forthwith and immediately shall mean as soon as practicable.
- 3. In this licence, a representative of the WDA includes any officer of the Environmental Health and Consumer Services Department and any officer of the West Midlands Hazardous Waste Unit.

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SITE LOCATION PLAN SL 1316 WALSALL WOOD S.T.W