

1st January 2021

Mrs Heather Morrison
Planning Department
Copeland Borough Council
The Copeland Centre
Catherine Street
Whitehaven
Cumbria, CA28 7SJ

Your ref:
Our ref: PLC/BCC/2004

Dear Heather,

Planning (Hazardous Substances) Act 1990 / Planning (Hazardous Substances) Regulations 2015 / Planning (Hazardous Substances) (Amendment) Regulations 2017- Hazardous Substances Consent application for the Sellafield site

Sellafield Ltd operates a number of processes on the Sellafield nuclear licensed site, some of which involve the storage and use of hazardous substances. Following discussions with the relevant regulator, the Health & Safety Executive (HSE), Sellafield Ltd wish to apply for a variation to the existing Hazardous Substances Consent.

The substances, which are the subject of the application, have been used on the Sellafield site for many years. Accordingly, there is minimal change to the types or volumes of hazardous substances used on the Sellafield site recorded by the submission of this application. This application is formalisation of the HSE request to include further hazardous substances used at the Sellafield site on the face of a consent.

Additionally, following the commissioning of new fuel storage facilities at the CHP plant, the plant operators have been required by the HSE to update their associated COMAH Major Accident Hazard Report Annexes under the appropriate regulations. As the capacity of the new storage facilities is lower than the original facilities, Sellafield Ltd also wishes to update the Hazardous Substances Authorisation for the Sellafield site accordingly.

Accordingly, I attach:

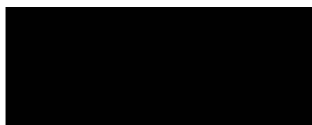
1. The completed "Application for modification or removal of condition(s) attached to a hazardous substance consent" form;
2. The site map 1 BE 3032289 Rev A;
3. The notices required by regulations 6 and 7 of the Regulations.
 - Copy of public notice (advertised in the Whitehaven News on Thursday 10th of December 2020)
 - Form 1 Certificate A
 - Form 2 Certificate B

4. The chemical storage general location plan ("Chemical Areas Map Updated November 2020"). **Please note this plan is marked OFFICIAL-SENSITIVE and must not be published into the public domain.**

The fee of £200.00 payable under regulation 21(1)(c), will be sent separately.

If you require any further information, please contact me.

Yours sincerely



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