MLA/2015/00088/6

MMO Licence Application

Variation Request 3 ACCEPTED

Request Date

20-SEP-2019

Requested By

Abbey Pennington

Licence(s) to be varied

☑ L/2015/00427/3 (Marine Licence)

What would you like to vary about your current licence(s)/response(s)?

A variation is required to add 2 conditions:

Condition 1- The disposal at sea of material from Billingham Reach cannot be undertaken, as the PCB levels mean that material is not suitable for at-sea disposal.

Condition 2- The disposal activities below the upper boundary of the proposed NGCT footprint (see figure 2) at approximately WGS84 54.607300, -1.163800, within the Tees Estuary must stop until written approval from the MMO is given.

The applicant must provide the full suite of analysis for the samples outlined in SAM/2018/00069 covering the NGCT area. This will be reviewed by the MMO and Cefas to determine if the continuation of disposal activities can be granted.

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Why would you like to vary your licence(s)/response(s) in this way?

The sample analysis submitted has demonstrated that the material from Billingham Reach is unsuitable for disposal at sea, therefore, this must be excluded from the licence until evidence is provided to demonstrate the material is suitable.

A full suite of analysis for the Tees has not been provided, this was meant to be provided before the continuation of dredging in 2019, therefore, the licence holder is in breach and disposal of dredge material cannot continue until a full suite of analysis is provided.

What date would the varied licence(s)/response(s) come into effect?

23-SEP-2019

Closed Date

02-OCT-2019

Closed By

Miss Luella Williamson