



Knowsley Council

Application for a Part B permit

Environmental Permitting (England and Wales) Regulations 2010

Introduction

When to use this form

If you are sending an application to a Local Authority under the The Environmental Permitting (England and Wales) Regulations 2016 and the installation requires an air pollution control permit (known as "Part B" installations).

Before you fill in this form

Do please read relevant parts of the Defra general guidance manual. Chapter 4 is about making an application, Chapter 7 is about how permits are decided, and Chapter 12 gives the meaning of Best Available Techniques (BAT). Other chapters introduce the Regulations and give information about various issues.

You also need to read the relevant process guidance note to see what standards and requirements are likely to be expected of your installation. Local Air Pollution Prevention and Control (LAPPC): process guidance notes - GOV.UK

Pre-application discussions

It is usually sensible to talk to one of our pollution control officers before you complete and submit the application. Contact Ian Gaskell, [REDACTED] or email ian.gaskell@knowsley.gov.uk

Which parts of the form to fill in

Please fill in as much of it as possible and enclose the appropriate fee. Then send it to:

*Rachel Gibson
Environmental Health Service Manager
Knowsley Metropolitan Borough Council
Huyton Municipal – Second Floor
Archway Road
Huyton. L36 9YU.*

Other documents you may need to submit

You will need to send us various other documents. The application form tells you which ones. It will be simplest for all concerned if you give a reference number for each document and record it on both this form and on the document itself. Please use any existing documents where you can, if they are suitable.

Using continuation sheets

Feel free to use a continuation sheet, but you need to clearly identify where you have done so.

Copies - *not relevant for e-applications*

If you are submitting a paper application, please send the original and 2 copies of the form and all other supporting material, for consultation purposes.

| LAPPC application form: to be completed by the operator | | |
|---------------------------------------------------------|-------------------|---------------|
| For Local Authority use | | |
| Application reference | Officer reference | Date received |

A The basics

A1 Name and address of the installation

SIP Building Systems Limited
Unit 1 Hammond Road
Knowsley Industrial Park
Merseyside

Postcode L33 7UL

Telephone 0151 420 1404

A2 Details of any existing environmental permit or consent *(for waste operations, please include planning permission for the site, including established use certificates, a certificate of lawful existing use, or why the General Permitted Development Order)*

| Reference no. | Issuing regulator | Type of permit |
|---------------|-------------------|----------------|
| N/A | | |

A3 Operator details

Name SIP Building Systems Limited

Trading name, if different

Registered office address

The Bond, Unit 1, Hammond Road, Knowsley Business Park, Liverpool L33 7UL

Principal office address, if different

Company registration number 05308155

A4 Any holding company?

Is the operator a subsidiary of a holding company within the meaning of section 1159 of the Companies Act 2006? If "yes" please fill in details of the ultimate holding company.

Yes ☒

No ☐

Name SIP Group Holdings Ltd

Trading name, if different

Registered office address

c/o Resource Ltd, Wentloog Corporate Park, Wentloog Road, Rumney,
Cardiff CF3 2ER

Principal office address, if different

Company registration number 13929556

A5 Who can we contact about your application?



B The installation

What activities are or will be carried on at the installation? Please include "directly associated activities" – this term is explained in Annex III in Part B of the general guidance manual

| Main activities | Section in Schedule 1 to the EP Regulations |
|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Chemical manufacturing – Production of polyurethane foam panels for building materials which uses more than 5 tonnes of di-isocyanate in a 12 month period. | Schedule 1, Part 2, Chapter 4, Section 4.1, Part B(a) of Schedule 1, Part 2 of the Environmental Permitting (England and Wales) Regulations 2016. |

| Directly-associated activities (including waste operations) | Schedule 1 references (if any) |
|-------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------|
| N/A | |

B2 Why is the application being made?

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New installation

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Change to existing installation means it now needs a permit

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Existing process operating without permit

B3 Site maps

Please provide:-

- A location map showing with a red line round the boundary of the installation

Doc reference: B3 SIP Process Powerpoint inc. site maps.

- A site plan or plans showing where all the relevant activities are on site, including storage areas, emission/discharge points, and any directly associated waste operations

Doc reference: B3 SIP Process Powerpoint inc. site maps

C The details

C1 How will the installation operate?

See document reference: C1 Process Description

C2 Emissions, techniques and monitoring?

What pollutants (including odour) and how much are expected to be emitted into the atmosphere? Please say which stage of the process each emission will come from and also whether from a particular chimney, vent or other source (fugitive). Please include emissions during starting and shutting down the plant, and from possible breakdowns or accidents identified by a risk assessment. *(Using process flow diagrams may help to simplify this.)*

What techniques will be used to minimise each emission in line with BAT? What monitoring has been undertaken (give results) and what monitoring is proposed?

See document reference: C2 Emissions, techniques and monitoring

C3 Environmental management?

What environmental management procedures and policy will you deploy?

See document reference C3 Environmental Management

C4 Impact on the environment?

1. what are the potential significant local environmental effects (including nuisance) of the foreseeable emissions?

See document reference C4 Impact on the environment

2. are there any sites of special scientific interest (SSSIs) or European protected sites nearer than any of the following distances to the proposed installation:
 - 2km - where the installation includes Part B combustion, incineration (not cremation), iron and steel, or non-ferrous metal activities
 - 1km - where the installation involves mineral or cement and lime activities
 - ½ km - in all other cases?

Yes ☐ No ☒

3. if "yes", is the installation likely to have a significant effect on these sites and, if so, what are the implications for the purposes of the Conservation (Natural Habitats etc) Regulations 1994 (see appendix 2 of Annex XVII of the general guidance manual)
4. has an environmental impact assessment been carried out for the installation under planning legislation or for any other purpose. If so, please provide a copy

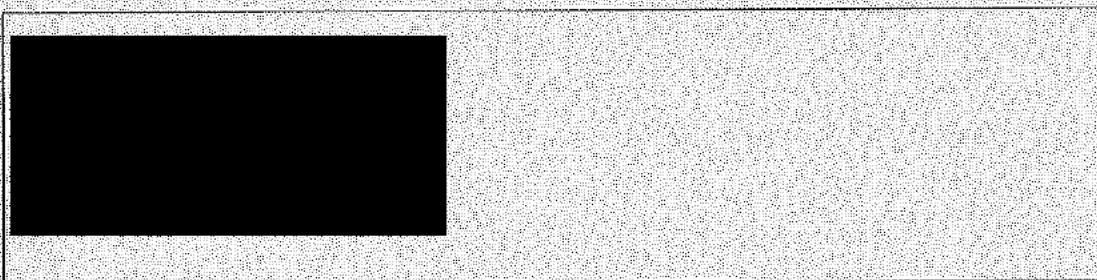
D **Anything else?**

Please tell us anything else you would like us to take account of.

Doc Reference: COSHH Assessments attached 1.2.3

E **Application fee**

You must enclose the relevant fee with your application. If your application is successful you will also have to pay an annual subsistence charge, so please say who you want invoices to be sent to.



F **Protection of information**

G1 **Any confidential or national security info in your application?**

If there is any information in your application you think should be kept off the public register for confidentiality or national security reasons, please say what and why. General guidance manual chapter 8 advises on what may be excluded. *(Don't include any national security information in your application. Send it, plus the omitted information, to the Secretary of State or Welsh Ministers who will decide what, if anything, can be made public.)*

NO

Doc Reference:

G2 **Please note: data protection**

The information you give will be used by the Council to process your application. It will be placed on the relevant public register and used to monitor compliance with the permit conditions. We may also use and or disclose any of the information you give us in order to:

- consult with the public, public bodies and other organisations,
- carry out statistical analysis, research and development on environmental issues,
- provide public register information to enquirers,
- make sure you keep to the conditions of your permit and deal with any matters relating to your permit
- investigate possible breaches of environmental law and take any resulting action,
- prevent breaches of environmental law,
- offer you documents or services relating to environmental matters,

- assess customer service satisfaction and improve our service.

We may pass on the information to agents/representatives who we ask to do any of these things on our behalf.

G3 Please note: it is an offence to provide false etc information

It is an offence under regulation 38 of the EP Regulations, for the purpose of obtaining a permit (for yourself or anyone else), to:

- make a false statement which you know to be false or misleading in a material particular,
- recklessly make a statement which is false or misleading in a material particular
- intentionally to make a false entry in any record required to be kept under any environmental permit condition
- with intent to deceive, to forge or use a document issued or required for any purpose under any environmental permit condition.

If you make a false statement

- we may prosecute you, and
- if you are convicted, you are liable to a fine or imprisonment (or both).

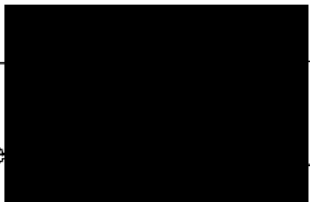

H Declarations A and B for signing, please

These declarations should be signed by the person listed in answer to question A3. Where more than one person is identified as the operator, all should sign. Where a company or other body corporate is the operator, an authorised person should sign and provide evidence of authority from the board.

Declaration A: I/We certify

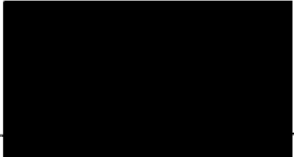
EITHER- No offences have been committed in the previous five years which are relevant to my/our competence to operate this installation in accordance with the EP Regulations.

OR- The following offences have been committed in the previous five years which may be relevant to my/our competence to operating this installation in accordance with the regulations:

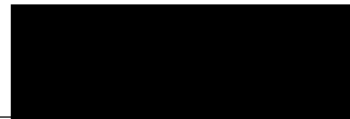
Signature  Name 
Position MANAGING DIRECTOR Date 12/5/25

Declaration B: I/We certify that the information in this application is correct. I/We apply for a permit in respect of the particulars described in this application (including the listed supporting documentation) I/we have supplied. *(Please note that each individual operator must sign the declaration themselves, even if an agent is acting on their behalf.)*

Signature



Name



Position

MANAGING DIRECTOR

Date

12/5/25

Signature

Name

Position

Date