

# Public Notices

## WATER RESOURCES ACT

### ENVIRONMENT AGENCY—THAMES REGION

#### *Notice of application to vary a licence to abstract water*

Notice is hereby given that an application is being made to the Environment Agency, Thames Region by Thames Water Utilities Ltd., Nugent House, Vastern Road, Reading, Berkshire RG1 8DB, to vary a licence to abstract water from underground strata, gravels, at Little Marlow, Buckinghamshire National Grid Reference SU 874 875.

The quantities to be varied for are to increase the peak hourly rate from 13.64 cubic metres per hour to 25 cubic metres per hour, the peak daily rate from 109.11 cubic metres per day to 200 cubic metres per day and the annual rate from 31,822 cubic metres per year to 73,000 cubic metres per year. The water is required for process use in an odour removal plant. The licence variation is required for 3 years after which period water will be used from a newly built plant, enabling use of washwater from treated final effluent.

A copy of the application and of any map, plan or other document submitted with it may be inspected, free of charge, at Bourne End Post Office, 18 Furlong Road, Bourne End SL8 5DG, at all reasonable hours during the period beginning on 15th August 1997 and ending on 15th September 1997.

Any person who wishes to make representations about the application should do so in writing to the Regional Technical Manager, Environment Agency, Thames Region, Kings Meadow House, Kings Meadow Road, Reading, Berkshire RG1 8DQ, before the end of the said period.

*J. R. Sexton*, on behalf of Thames Water Utilities Ltd.  
15th August 1997. (529)

### ENVIRONMENT AGENCY—NORTH EAST REGION

#### *Notice of application for consent for the purposes of section 88*

Notice is hereby given, in accordance with Schedule 10 to the Water Resources Act 1991 (as amended by the Environment Act 1995), that an application has been made to the Environment Agency by Yorkshire Water Services Ltd., 2 The Embankment, Sovereign Street, Leeds LS1 4BG, for consent to discharge sewage effluent under storm conditions from three combined sewer overflows into non tidal Kearsley Brook at SK 5097 9785, from land at Kearsley Lane, Burcroft, Conisborough.

Details for the proposed discharge are as follows:

- To discharge up to a maximum of 4,320 cubic metres per day of sewage effluent under storm conditions at the combined sewer overflow at SK 5096 9846.
- To discharge up to a maximum of 4,060 cubic metres per day of sewage effluent under storm conditions at the combined sewer overflow at SK 5087 9838.
- To discharge up to a maximum of 4,406 cubic metres per day of sewage effluent under storm conditions at the combined sewer overflow at SK 5087 9796.

This application is for the replacement of existing storm overflow structures and forms part of a capital investment scheme.

Any person who wishes to make representations or objections with respect to the application should do so in writing to the Environment Agency, North East Region, Olympia House, Gelderd Lane, Gelderd Road, Leeds LS12 6DD, for the attention of Gerard Morris, not later than 25th September 1997.

A copy of the application may be inspected, free of charge, at the Environment Agency Offices at Bramworth Road, Hexthorpe, Doncaster DN4 0HZ, on weekdays between 9 a.m. and 5 p.m. up to 25th September 1997.

(516) *G. M. Morris*, Water Resources and Quality Manager

### ENVIRONMENT AGENCY

#### *Notice of application for a licence to abstract water*

Take notice that C. R. Dowsland of Free Range Farm, York Road, Barnby Moor, Yorkshire YO4 5HU, is applying to the Environment Agency for a licence to abstract water from a catchpit in the drift sands and gravels at National Grid Reference SE 752 508 at Blackthorne Farm, Bolton Lane, Wilberfoss, Yorkshire YO0 5NX, in the parish of Wilberfoss in the East Riding of Yorkshire.

The proposal is to abstract water at the following rates: 45 cubic metres per hour, 675 cubic metres per day and 12,190 cubic metres between 1st April and 31st October each year.

The water will be used for spray irrigation. This application is to replace an existing abstraction licence which expires later this year.

A copy of the application and any map, plans and other documents submitted with it may be inspected, free of charge, at all reasonable hours at Free Range Farm, between 14th August and 14th September 1997.

Any person who wishes to make representations about the application should do so in writing to the Environment Agency, Licensing Section, Dales Area, Coverdale House, Aviator Court, Clifton Moor, Yorkshire YO3 4UZ, before the end of the said period.

*C. R. Dowsland*  
6th August 1997. (481)

### ENVIRONMENT AGENCY

#### *Notice of application for a licence to abstract water*

Take notice that The Snack Factory Ltd., of Pennine Place, Skelmersdale, Lancashire, is applying to the Environment Agency for a licence to abstract water from a borehole into the mudstone at National Grid Reference SD 4914 0442, at Pennine Place, Pimbo, Skelmersdale, Lancashire.

The proposal is to abstract water at the following rates: 9.09 cubic metres per hour, 218.18 cubic metres per day, 79,636.36 cubic metres per year. The water will be used for potato processing prior to crisp frying and boiler feed water.

A copy of the application and any map, plans and other documents submitted with it may be inspected, free of charge, at all reasonable hours at Pennine Place, Skelmersdale, Lancashire, between 14th August 1997 and 21st September 1997.

Any person who wishes to make representations about the application should do so in writing to the Environment Agency, Richard Fairclough House, Knutsford Road, Warrington WA4 1HG, before the end of the said period.

*S. Whitter*, of J.P. Whitter (Water Well Engineers) Ltd., on behalf of The Snack Factory Ltd.  
15th April 1997. (482)

### ENVIRONMENT AGENCY

#### *Notice of application for a licence to abstract water*

Take notice that Salt Union Ltd., of Mersey View Road, Weston Point, Runcorn, Cheshire, is applying to the Environment Agency for a licence to abstract water from a borehole into the sandstone at National Grid Reference SJ 4955 8174, at Mersey View Road, Weston Point, Runcorn, Cheshire.

The proposal is to abstract water at the following rates: 70 cubic metres per hour, 1,500 cubic metres per day, 476,000 cubic metres per year. The water will be used for one pass cooling and wash down water.

A copy of the application and any map, plans and other documents submitted with it may be inspected, free of charge, at all reasonable hours at Mersey View Road, Weston Point, Runcorn, Cheshire, between 14th August 1997 and 21st September 1997.

Any person who wishes to make representations about the application should do so in writing to the Environment Agency, Richard Fairclough House, Knutsford Road, Warrington WA4 1HG, before the end of the said period.

*S. Whitter*, of J.P. Whitter (Water Well Engineers) Ltd., on behalf of Salt Union Ltd.  
8th August 1997. (483)