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Sent: 22 January 2025 08:40
To: CMBLNC Info Requests <Inforequests.cmblnclnc@environment-agency.gov.uk>
Subject: EIR CB-22-01-25

Dear Rosie,

When I replied to EIR GE37750KR, I gave information on high Temperature incineration being useless against PFAS along with studies on the failures of High Temperature incineration issues in New York state to destroy PFAS.

With this EIR I would like to know if the EA are looking into the incineration issues and whether they have suspended burning of PFAS waste.

Thank you

Mat

From: CMBLNC Info Requests
Sent: 23 January 2025 11:54
To: info@cleaner-bentham.co.uk
Subject: GE38777RI- EIR CB-22-01-25

Dear Mat,

Thank you for contacting the Environment Agency

We have logged your request as a General Enquiry and sent it to the relevant team. We will respond to you as soon as possible.

In the meantime you may wish to look at www.data.gov.uk to see if the data you have requested is available for you online.

For further information on what you can expect from us and our full service commitment to you, please click this link; <https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/environment-agency-customer-service-commitment>

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If you need to contact me in the meantime, please do not hesitate to do so using the details below and quoting reference number GE38777RI.

Kind regards,
Rosie

Rosie Irlam

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From: CMBLNC Info Requests <Inforequests.cmblnc@environment-agency.gov.uk>

Date: Friday, 24 January 2025 at 13:13

To: info@cleaner-bentham.co.uk <info@cleaner-bentham.co.uk>

Subject: RESPONSE: GE38777RI- EIR CB-22-01-25

Good afternoon, Mat,

Thank you for your enquiry received on 22nd January 2025.

Please see below the response from the relevant teams.

Our position remains as previously advised, i.e. high temperature incineration is currently the most appropriate disposal route for AFFF foams containing PFAS, provided that the incinerator is operated at a minimum secondary combustion chamber temperature of 1,100 °C.

We are carrying out regulatory activities at relevant high temperature incinerators to gather further evidence to support this position.

Kind regards,
Rosie

Rosie Irlam
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