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Good morning Rebecca,

Thanks for consulting the Pollution Team on the planning application CS/26/10114 HCC Consultation Request. Variation of conditions 4, (Operating Hours) 11 & 12 (Noise) of Planning Permission CS/22/92808 at Aquavitrum, 6 Riverside Industrial Estate, Conegar Road, Eastleigh SO50 6RQ.

Condition 4 - Operating hours

"No plant, machinery, equipment or lighting required for handling waste/treated products shall be operated, no arrivals and departures of HGVs to and from the site shall take place and no unloading/loading of waste/treated products from HGVs shall be undertaken within the development hereby permitted except between the following hours: 07:00 to 18:00 Monday to Saturday only. No works shall be undertaken on Sundays or recognised Public/Bank Holidays"

Condition 11 - Noise

"The Rating Level of noise from the premises shall not exceed five decibels below the lowest measured Background Sound Level at the closest noise-sensitive receptors (including Chicken Hall Cottages and dwellings on Campbell Road). The operator shall take such measures as may be necessary to ensure that the above specified Rating Level (noise limit) is not exceeded at all times throughout the duration of the development hereby permitted. Measurements will accord with BS 4142:2014 (as amended) "Method for rating and assessing industrial and commercial sound"."

~~Condition 12—Noise~~

~~*"Not later than three months following the development hereby permitted being brought into use, a detailed Noise Mitigation Scheme to achieve the rating levels required to comply with Condition 11 above shall be submitted to and agreed in writing by the Waste Planning Authority.*~~

~~*Mitigation measures shall ensure that a site Rating Level of at least 5 decibels below the Background Sound Level is achieved at the nearest residential property (in free field conditions, as defined in BS 4142:2014 (as amended)).*~~

~~*The approved Noise Mitigation Scheme shall be implemented as approved throughout the duration of the development. At the reasonable request of the Waste Planning Authority, the approved Noise Mitigation Scheme shall be reviewed and updated to maintain compliance with the premises noise Rating Level limit."*~~

I reviewed the Noise Impact Assessment from Nova Acoustics Reference No: NP-013262 dated 25/02/2026.

It's understood that NOVA Acoustics has previously satisfied Conditions 12 and 13 for application No. CS/22/92808 I was not consultant on this and have no information. Therefore this report is only aiming to discharge condition 4 and 11.

The proposal is for the site to operate continuously for an extended period of 06:00 – 23:00, seven days a week, but with no working on Public/Bank Holidays

The most up to date noise survey was done between the 19th and the 23rd September 2025 (Friday to Tuesday). However, point 2.3 as well as Figure 3 and Figure 4 don't show the required data. To make this decision we require to see background data from 05:30 to 07:00 and from 18:00 to 23:00 typical LA90s not median and must be divided by weekday and weekend.

Otherwise it's not possible to know that the 44dB L90 with 35% occurrence could only happened from 6:30 to 07:00 AM and therefore not representative of the entire period.

Also is not clear if deliveries will also operate during the proposed extension of hours. Surely, we can understand that unloading an HGV full of glass at 06:00 or 22:30 is different than at 17:00. How many deliveries are proposed on these hours? A 4142 penalty should be applied for this deliveries and this is something that we required to understand. The report already demonstrates that the required criteria (5dB below background) is not achieved this will get worse when the corresponded penalties and a more representative background level is used.

For the above reasons I don't believe we have enough information to fully understand the potential noise impact and therefore I would suggest this application not to be accepted until further information is provided.

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