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Our ref: NPWD340152
Date: 08 January 2020

Dear Mr Gottlieb

**Waste Batteries and Accumulators Regulations 2009 (as amended)
Notification of grant of approval of a waste battery exporter**

We have considered your application for approval as a waste battery exporter under The Waste Batteries and Accumulators Regulations 2009 (as amended) (*the Regulations*).

Waste Portable Batteries

We hereby grant approval to Portable Battery Recycling Ltd to operate as an approved battery exporter for waste portable batteries. Your approval extends to the following specified overseas sites only:

ABE operator approval number:	BE2010593BE
Overseas site name & address	Amount of evidence notes (tonnes)
ACCUREC Recycling GmbH Bataverstraße 21 D-47809 Krefeld Germany	Over 15 tonnes
Campine Recycling N.V. Nijverheidsstraat 2 B-2340 Beerse Belgium	Over 15 tonnes
SNAM Rue de la Garenne F-38297 St Quentin Fallavier France	Over 15 tonnes

Your approval is subject to the conditions specified in Part 2 and Part 4 of Schedule 4 to the Regulations. Your approval applies only to the named exporter for the specified overseas sites only.

Your approval is valid from 08 January 2020 and ends on 31 December 2020, unless it is otherwise suspended or cancelled.

The approval allows you to issue evidence notes for waste portable batteries which you export for treatment or recycling at these specified overseas sites. You must issue evidence notes in accordance with the Regulations. You must not issue evidence for batteries unless it can be lawfully sent to and received at the intended site in the country of destination.

Waste Industrial and Automotive Batteries

We hereby grant approval to Portable Battery Recycling Ltd to operate as an approved battery exporter (ABE) for waste industrial and automotive batteries. Your approval extends to the following specified overseas sites and categories only:

ABE operator approval number:		BE2010592BE
Battery category	Overseas site name and address	Limit (tonnes)
Industrial only	ACCUREC Recycling GmbH Bataverstraße 21 D-47809 Krefeld Germany	150 tonnes or less
Automotive & industrial	Campine Recycling N.V. Nijverheidsstraat 2 B-2340 Beerse Belgium	150 tonnes or less
Industrial only	SNAM Rue de la Garenne F-38297 St Quentin Fallavier France	150 tonnes or less

Your approval is subject to the conditions specified in Part 2 of Schedule 4 to the Regulations. Your approval applies only to the named operator for the specified approved overseas sites only.

As your application only detailed how you will export industrial batteries to two of the approved sites, we will require further information detailing how you will accept and treat automotive batteries should you decide to do so.

You have given an undertaking (paragraph 4 of regulation 65) in respect of a tonnage limit, which is indicated for each site in the table above, and consequently you have paid the lower application charge. If you subsequently exceed this tonnage limit you will be liable to pay an additional charge. You must pay the additional charge within 28 days of exceeding the threshold.

Your approval is valid from 01 January 2020 and ends on 31 December 2020, unless it is otherwise suspended or cancelled.

The approval allows you to export waste automotive and industrial batteries for treatment and recycling to these specified approved overseas sites.

Suspension and cancellation of approval

We may suspend or cancel your approval where it appears to us that you have failed, or are likely to fail, to comply with any of the conditions of approval. Suspension or cancellation may extend to one or more of your overseas sites, or may apply to your whole approval. Your whole approval will cease to have effect if you cease to be a battery exporter, or you request that your approval should be cancelled.

You must notify us immediately, in writing, of any changes to the details submitted with your application. If you wish to export to any additional overseas sites you must submit an application to extend your approval to cover these sites, which will incur a charge of £110 per additional site.

You must ensure that all international shipments of waste batteries are in accordance with the Waste Shipments Regulations. More information on this can be found on our website at <https://www.gov.uk/guidance/importing-and-exporting-waste> or by contacting our International Waste Shipments team on 01925 542 265 or emailing to AskShipments@environment-agency.gov.uk.

This approval does not replace any other environmental authorisation that you may have for the sites. You must continue to comply with these and other relevant legislation.

Please contact Joel Lawson on 020 847 476 08 if you have any queries.

Yours sincerely



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