

NOISE MANAGEMENT PLAN

DEVELOPMENT:	Erection of an 8,000 bird free range poultry unit	extension

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LOCATION: Gwynfaes

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The birds at Gwynfaes are to be housed within the poultry house proposed for free range laying birds where levels of noise would be at their highest concentration. Birds will range upon the land at Gwynfaes but the noise levels will be dispersed as birds scatter across the range area.

The above reduces the risk of the noise levels increasing for receptors close to the site boundary, as the birds would be housed within a sealed and insulated building for the majority of the time.

The main noise sources or noise operations are listed below;

- 1) Ventilation fans
- 2) Feed deliveries to the units
- 3) Egg Collection
- 4) Feeding systems
- 5) Fuel deliveries
- 6) Alarm systems
- 7) Bird catching
- 8) Cleaning out
- 9) Maintenance and repairs
- 10) Set up and placements
- 11) Generator testing

POTENTIAL NOISE PROBLEMS	TECHNIQUES TO LIMIT LEVELS OF NOISE	IN PLACE YES/NO	COMPLETION DATE
Ventilation Fans	1) Noise to be assessed	YES	
	twice per day at 07:00 -		
	10:00 hrs and 16:00 –	VEC	
	19:00 hrs	YES	
	High velocity fans reducing the number of	YES	
	fans	TLS	
	3) Fans operated on an	YES	
	intermittent system		
	4) Regular end of cycle	YES	
	maintenance by qualified		
	Electrician.		
	Any noisy fans isolated		
	and Electrician notified.		
Feed Deliveries	Delivery lorries and vehicles fitted with silencers	YES	
	2) Larger capacity vehicles	YES	
	delivering to installation		
	reducing number of		
	deliveries or collections		
	3) Road maintenance		
	4) Time restrictions on		Cantinua
	deliveries and collections	YES	Continuous
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Feeding Systems	1) Daily inspections of bin stocks to prevent augers running empty 07:00-10:00 hrs 16:00-19:00 hrs	YES	
	2) Internal feeders checked twice per day to ensure correct operation of systems 07:00-10:00 hrs 16:00-19:00 hrs	YES	
	3) Regular end of cycle maintenance by qualified electrician.	YES	
Fuel Deliveries	Restrict time if required		
Alarm Systems	Use of mobile phones or pagers	YES	
Bird Catching	 Fully trained and advised teams of the need to keep noise to a minimum. 	YES	
	2) Crates to be placed carefully on concrete yard prior to house entry3) Lorries scheduled to	YES	
	minimise duration of catch	YES	
	Doors operated for entry and exit of forklift	YES	
	5) Lorries parked as close as possible to doors to reduce forklift travel	YES	

	6) Screen curtains fitted to		
Clean Out	lorries 1) Litter removal during normal working hours	YES	
	Trailers parked as close as possible to the doors to reduce loader travel	YES	
	Large trailers used to reduce traffic	YES	
	4) Washing done during normal working hours	YES	
	Normal working hours		
Maintenance and Repair	 During normal working hours with the exception of breakdowns/emergencies Routine end of cycle servicing 	YES	
	Normal Working hours	YES	
Set Up	Normal Working hours	YES	
Generator (Standby)	Test run during normal working hours	YES	

NOISE COMPLAINT FORM GWYNFAES

REFEERNCE NUMBER

DATE RECEIVED

Name and address of the caller	
Telephone number	
Location of caller to installation	

Time and date of complaint	
Callers description of noise	
Other comments from caller	
Weather conditions	
Wind direction/speed	
Any previous complaints relating to noise	

Any other comments	
Other information	
Potential source of noise	
Operations being carried out at time of complaint	
Follow up date and time caller contacted	
Action Taken	

Amendments required to the plan	

Completed By

Dated

Signed