

SITE MONITORING REPORT

If you should have any queries or require any photographs taken on site please do not hesitate to contact me.

File Ref: 14 421 37	Date: 14 June 2018	Visit no: 1 of 4
Monitoring Officer: Charlotte Powell/Claire Tomalin Tel No: 03330130469	Time on site: 13:00	Time off site: 14:30
Site Co-ordinator: Charlotte Powell	Tel No: 03330 130469	
Site Name: Crown Quarry (Wick Farm Ardleigh – Reservoir Extension)		
Operator: SRC		
Site Representative: David Hunter		
Permission Number(s):		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ESS/57/04/TEN – Extraction and Reservoir • ESS/57/04/TEN/NMA1 – Changes to the plant and operations area incorporating improved visual screening and increased areas for stockpiling • ESS/57/04/TEN/NMA2 – Enlarged stockpiling area; further bunding/screening; revised access to the silt lagoon area; re-alignment of the landscaping along the north-east boundary; and revised phasing for working • ESS/07/17/TEN – Recycled construction materials 		
Permission Number & Romp Date Due: ESS/57/04/TEN - 25 March 2025		
Constraints:		
Weather:	Dry / Windy / Rain / Snow	
Noise:	Acceptable / Not acceptable N/A	
Approach Roads:	Dry / Dusty / Wet / Muddy / Flooded	
Ground:	Dry / Dusty / Wet / Damp / Muddy / Flooded	
Access:	Obstructed / Not Obstructed / Mud on Road / Ice / Slippery (Scrapping of excess was occurring)	
Wheel Cleaning:	Washer / Spinner / Sweeper / None	
Hose:	In Use / Not In Use / N/A	
Machinery:	Working / Not working	
In correct position:	Yes / No / N/A	
Stockpiles:	Various Heights	
Bunds:	Profiled / Grassed / Weeds / Soil	
From last visit:		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Car park to be reinstated as approved (this was first requested in Dec 2017); • Road chippings to be removed (this was first requested in Dec 2017); • The numerous stockpiles that are located outside the approved area should be relocated into the approved area (this was first raised over 6 months ago but continues and worsens); • Welfare facility for external company to be removed; and • OCL concrete plant to be removed or permission applied for. 		



Inspection Results Summary:

- Material remains stored within the processing area not associated with the quarry.
- Materials remains stockpiled (large volumes) outside the permitted area within the active and completed areas.
- A small concrete plant is operating on site (OCL). This does not have permission.
- The completed part of the reservoir has some water in it, however a large area (near the caravan) remains above approved level, creating a large 'shallow' area within the reservoir.
- The compensation pond area is restored and developing nicely.
- Stage 1 interim restoration is developing nicely, but is not in accordance with original scheme and needs regularisation.
- Working is now taking place in stage 2, phase F

Actions to be taken before next site visit:

- New Planning Application (S73 as discussed) required to amend the restoration profiles and proposed revised phasing of working.
- Processing area to be laid out in accordance with approved plans, remove outside contractors base;
- Stockpiles of processed and unprocessed material are only permitted within the plant area, those outside should be relocated, no assessment of the impacts was carried out for the extraction area to be used for stockpiling;
- OCL concrete plant to be removed or regularised.
- Carry out noise monitoring to show compliance within stage 2

Note: The actions noted in this report are required in order to ensure adequate progress is made and to avoid potential enforcement action against a breach of planning control.