

The ACT Matrix

ENVIRONMENTAL

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Existing Exemption	Existing Tonnage	Review Date	Qualification and Possible Type of New Exemption	New Exemption Tonnage Restrictions	Available Standard Rules Permit Options	Standard Rule Permit Tonnage	Bespoke Permit Option
Paragraph 6 (Storage and spreading of sewage sludge)		October 2012	NONE will Require a Standard Rules Application		SR2010 No.6 Mobile plant for landspreading of sewage sludge		A Bespoke Permit application is required where tonnages exceed those stated or as a general rule the site falls within the categories listed under Paragraph 9 below
Paragraph 7 (Treatment of land for agricultural improvement or ecological benefit)	250 t/ha, 1500t sugar beet soil, 5000t for dredging spoil	October 2012 or October 2013 (agricultural)	U10 Spreading waste on agricultural land to confer benefit. U11 Spreading waste on non-agricultural land to confer benefit	U10 and U11 Specified Wastes Limited to 50t/ha Dredging Spoil 150t/ha	SR2010 No.4 Mobile plant for landspreading	250t/ha for Wastes Specified in Standard Rules, 1500t for sugar beet soil, 5000t for dredging spoil from inland waters	A Bespoke Permit application is required where tonnages exceed those stated or as a general rule the site falls within the categories listed under Paragraph 9 below
Paragraph 9 (Reclamation, restoration or improvement of land)	20,000 m ³ /ha max depth Zn	October 2013	U1 Use of waste in construction. U11 Spreading waste on non-agricultural land to confer benefit	U1 U11 Specified Wastes Limited to 50 Tonnes per hectare Dredging Spoil 150 Tonnes per Hectare	SR2010 No.5 Mobile plant for the reclamation, restoration or improvement of land	5000t/ha or as agreed in deployment form	A Bespoke Permit application is required where tonnages exceed those stated or as a general rule the site is: a) within 10m of a water course b) 50m/250m of a spring, well or borehole (domestic & food production/other uses) c) within 500m of a European Site, Ramsar or SSSI d) in a groundwater protection zone
					SR2010 No.9 Use of waste for the reclamation, restoration or improvement of land (up to 50,000t)	50,000t max	
					SR2010 No.10 Use of waste for the reclamation, restoration or improvement of land (up to 100,000t)	100,000 tonnes max	
Paragraph 12 (Storage and composting of biodegradable waste)	1,000 m ³ /ha total at any time	October 2012	T23, T24 or T25 Aerobic composting and Anaerobic Digestion	T23 Max 60t lower in some cases. T24 1,250m ³ . T25 50m ³	SR2010 No.14 Composting biodegradable waste (in open and contained systems)	500t in total at any time	
					SR2008 No.16 Composting in open windrows	75,000 tpa	A Bespoke Permit application is required where tonnages exceed those stated or as a general rule the site is: a) within 10m of a water course b) 50m/250m of a spring, well or borehole (domestic & food production/other uses) c) within 500m of a European Site, Ramsar or SSSI d) in a groundwater protection zone
					SR2008 No.17 Composting in closed vessels	75,000 tpa	
					SR2008 No.18 Non hazardous mechanical biological (aerobic) treatment facility	75,000 tpa	
					SR2011 No.01 Composting biodegradable waste (in open and contained systems)	500t in total at any time	
Paragraph 13 (Manufacture of soil, soil substitutes, roadstone and aggregate)	Treatment 500t/day Storage, 50,000t for road plantings, 20,000t any other cases	October 2012 or October 2013 (agricultural)	T5 Screening and blending of waste.	T5 5,000t/3yrs or 10 times that for bituminous mixtures for roadstone. T6 500t over a 7 day Period	SR2010 No.11 Mobile plant for the treatment of waste to produce soil, soil substitutes and aggregate	75,000t per deployment	A Bespoke Permit application is required where tonnages exceed those stated or as a general rule the site is: a) within 10m of a water course b) 50m/250m of a spring, well or borehole (domestic & food production/other uses) c) within 500m of a European Site, Ramsar or SSSI d) in a groundwater protection zone
					SR2010 No.12 Treatment of waste to produce soil, soil substitutes and aggregate (up to 75,000t)	75,000t	
Paragraph 13 (Manufacture and treatment of construction materials and timber products)	20,000t storage	October 2012 or October 2013 (agricultural)	T5 Screening and blending of waste. T6 Treatment of waste wood and waste plant matter by chipping, shredding, cutting or pulverising	T5 5,000t/3yrs or 10 times that for bituminous mixtures for roadstone. T6 500t over a 7 day Period	SR2010 No.13 Use of waste to manufacture timber or construction products	75,000t	A Bespoke Permit application is required where tonnages exceed those stated or as a general rule the site is: a) within 10m of a water course b) 50m/250m of a spring, well or borehole (domestic & food production/other uses) c) within 500m of a European Site, Ramsar or SSSI d) in a groundwater protection zone
					SR2011 No.4 Treatment of waste wood for recovery	75,000tpa max 10,000t storage	
Paragraph 19 (Waste for construction)	Use as agreed with a total storage of 50,000	October 2012 or October 2013 (agricultural)	U1 Use of waste in construction. U3 Use of waste in the construction of entertainment or educational installations etc	U1 Specific limits apply max 50,000t. U3 20t	SR2010 No.7 Use of waste in construction (up to 50,000t)	50,000tpa	A Bespoke Permit application is required where tonnages exceed those stated or as a general rule the site is: a) within 10m of a water course b) 50m/250m of a spring, well or borehole (domestic & food production/other uses) c) within 500m of a European Site, Ramsar or SSSI d) in a groundwater protection zone
					SR2010 No.8 Use of waste in construction (up to 100,000t)	100,000tpa	
Paragraph 25 (Deposit of dredging from inland waterways)	50t/m/day along worked river bank	October 2013 or October 2013 (agricultural)	D1 Deposit of waste from dredging of inland waters	D1 50m ³ /m of worked river bank	SR2010 No.18 Storage and treatment of dredgings for recovery	Storage 125,000m ³	A Bespoke Permit application is required where tonnages exceed those stated or as a general rule the site falls within the categories listed under Paragraph 9 above
Paragraph 45 (Storage and recovery of scrap metal or dismantling of depolluted motor vehicles)	Max 8,000t per seven days with various lower limits for other wastes	October 2013	T9 Recovery of scrap metal	T9 1,000t at any one time	SR2008 No.21 Metal recycling site	75,000tpa	A Bespoke Permit application is required where tonnages exceed those stated or as a general rule the site is: a) within 10m of a water course b) 50m/250m of a spring, well or borehole (domestic & food production/other uses) c) within 500m of a European Site, Ramsar or SSSI d) in a groundwater protection zone
					2008 No.20 Vehicle storage, depollution and dismantling facility.	75,000 tpa	
					SR2011 No.2 Metal Recycling	25,000 tpa	
					SR 2011 No.3 Vehicle storage, depollution and dismantling facility.	5,000 tpa	