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Mr R P Emmott

Our ref: 47/619/0007MJP.LET2
Your ref:

Date: 22 May 2007

Dear Mr Emmott

Compliance inspection report

Thank you for taking part in the inspection on Thursday 17 May 2007, I am pleased to let you know that the activities we inspected are fully compliant with the following regulations.

- the Action Programme for Nitrate Vulnerable Zones (England and Wales) 1998
- the Control of Pollution (Silage, Slurry and Agricultural Fuel Oil) Regulations 1991, as amended

If you are in the Single Payment Scheme (SPS) and/or you are in possession of any Rural Development agreement or have submitted any Hill Farm Allowance (HFA), we will report the results of the NVZ inspection to the Rural Payments Agency (RPA). If you have not complied with the regulations, the RPA may decide to reduce your payment.

Further to our discussion regarding fuel oil storage, I have enclosed a copy of the Pollution Prevention Guidelines for above ground oil storage tanks for your information.

Regarding your question in respect of earthbank slurry stores, I have included a number of guidance documents, which should assist you in meeting the requirements of the above legislation. In addition, there is an application form WQE3: New or improved agricultural structures, which you should complete and return to the Agency prior to commencing any of the proposed works.

Please contact me if you have any questions about this letter or the regulations.

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Yours sincerely



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