

Horsham District Council - Development
Control
North Street, Horsham, RH12 1RL

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Customer reference: DISC/26/0134
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**DCO Requirement 22 (Code of Construction Practice and related to
environmental management documents and plans) Discharge Request in
relation to Rampion 2 Onshore Site Investigation Campaign 2a**

**The Lodge, Wineham Place, Wineham Lane, Henfield Horsham District BN5
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Dear Planning Officer,

Thank you for consulting us on the above application, on 29 April 2026.

We have reviewed the submitted information that is relevant to our remit and set out
our position and comments below.

Environment Agency position

We have reviewed the submitted details and are satisfied that DCO Schedule 1, Part
3b Requirement 22 can be partially discharged, in so far as it relates to matters
within our remit.

Advice to applicant

The application indicates that groundwater may be spread to land (Section 5.2 –
Water Management), this activity may require an environmental permit under the
Environmental Permitting (England & Wales) Regulations 2016, from the
Environment Agency, unless an exemption applies ([Groundwater activity exclusions
from environmental permits - GOV.UK](#)), or Regulatory Position Statement, such as
[Treating small volumes of contaminated soil and groundwater: RPS 215 - GOV.UK](#)).

The applicant is advised to contact the Environment Agency on 03708 506 506 for
further advice and to discuss the issues likely to be raised. You should be aware that
there is no guarantee that a permit will be granted. Additional 'Environmental
Permitting Guidance' can be found at: [Check if you need an environmental permit -
GOV.UK](#).

Yours sincerely,

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for people and wildlife



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