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Thank you for reaching out with your request! We appreciate your interest, and we want to let you know that your request has been carefully considered in accordance with the Environmental Information Regulations (EIR).

Please provide PDF copies of all discharge consents issued to Angus Fire (or predecessors) dating back to 1991 or earlier.

Please find attached 11 PDF consents. They are broken down as:-

- 3 "original" consents dating from 1976-1978 (references unclear) assigned to **George Angus** and **Co Ltd**. 2 for discharges to the West of Premises to the Craven 12" sewer and 1 to South of Factory to sewer adjacent to the Railway.
- <u>National Rivers Authority</u> issued Consent, reference **017290164**, for five discharges to surface waters –
- 1. "Factory West" SP1 outfall at NGR SD 6657 6904
- 2. "Factory East" SP2 outfall at NGR SD 6657 6902
- 3. "Foam Plant" SP3 outfall at NGR SD 6651 6904
- 4. "Warehouse Building" -SP4 outfall at NGR SD 6650 6905
- 5. "Lineside Building" SP5 outfall at NGR SD 6646 6904
- **726T3-6-6A** dates from 18 May 1995, for discharge to Ashbank Lane, was directed effective 1 August 2001 and terminated 13 Nov 2014. This is replaced we believe by **76T3-6-12**.
- 726T3-6-6B dates from 18 May 1995, for discharge to Ashbank Lane, was directed effective 1 April 2001 and terminated 28 July 2009 – We believe this was superseded by 763T3-6-8. However, 726T3-6-8 does not appear to have been issued – that is possibly due to the changes of ownership of the site over the years or possibly from consolidation of the Ashbank Lane permits.
- **726T3-6-6C** dates from 18 May 1995, for discharge to Railway Yard, was directed effective 1 May 2001 and terminated 24 April 2007 We believe this was superseded by **726T3-6-9** and subsequently replaced by **726T3-6-10**.

The two extant documents are -

- **726T3-6-10** for the Station Road (former Railway Yard) discharge from hose manufacturing (polymer impregnation and curing).
- 726T3-6-12 for the Ashbank Lane discharge from hose and foam manufacture and testing.

With regards to the consents held in the name George Angus and Co Ltd, they were not initially digitised as they predate our Trade Effluent Management System. It was thought that the documents had been archived and destroyed after 7 years; however, a file has since been located at one of our satellite offices containing copies of the original documents, which we have now disclosed.

We hope that this response answers your request. However, if you're not satisfied with how we've handled it, you can request an internal review. To do this, please write to us at Environmental Information Office, Haweswater House, Lingley Mere, Warrington, WA5 3LP or email us at EIRRequests@uuplc.co.uk, addressing your request to , and explaining why you're unhappy with our response. We'll be very happy to review your request and ensure we've done everything we can to assist you.

Any request for an internal review should be made within 40 working days of receipt of this response, and we will reply within 40 working days from receipt of the request for internal review.

Kind regards