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**Regulation (EC) No. 1069/2009 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 21 October 2009 laying down health rules concerning animal by-products not intended for human consumption**

**The Animal By-Products (Enforcement) (England) Regulations 2013**

**The Animal By-Products (Enforcement) (Wales) Regulations 2014**

**Approval of Composting Plant**

1. In accordance with Regulation 14 of The Animal By-Products (Enforcement) (England) Regulations 2013/The Animal By-Products (Enforcement) (Wales) Regulations 2014, and Articles 24 and 44 of Regulation (EC) No. 1069/2009, the Secretary of State/Welsh Ministers approves:

Name of Operator

Biowise Ltd

Address of approved premises

Leighton Grange IVC  
Middlewich Road  
Leighton  
Crewe

Postcode CW1 4QQ

to operate a composting plant on the premises to treat Category 3 catering waste in accordance with the Annex.

2. Samples of the treated product shall be taken monthly, during unloading of the IVC (after the time/temperature parameters have been achieved), rotating through each tunnel in turn, and tested for *Salmonella* and *E.coli* (or *Enterococaceae*).

Date 22<sup>nd</sup> May 2020

Signature



Name in BLOCK LETTERS

ELAINE M. HARGREAVES

(A person authorised in that behalf by the Secretary of State/Welsh Ministers)

APHA Address:  
ABP Team  
APHA Customer Service Centre  
County Hall  
Spetchley Road  
Worcester, WR5 2NP

## Annex

1. The co-mingled catering waste (household food waste) and green waste must be reduced in size to a particle size of no more than 150mm using a Doppstadt slow speed shredder set at 150mm and treated in one of eight sealed tunnels (Gicom Tunnel Composting System) in such a way that the co-mingled waste achieve at least 61C for 48 hours.
2. Following this microbiological aerobic degradation, when the time and temperature parameters to achieve sanitisation will be achieved, the material will be moved to the open-windrow composting pad for where it undergoes maturation/stabilisation.

## Notes

1. Processed (rendered) material derived from Category 1 material may not be treated in a composting or biogas plant. If other processed material is treated in a composting or biogas plant, it must have been produced by:
  - (a) processing Category 2 animal by-products by method 1 in an approved processing plant;
  - (b) processing Category 3 animal by-products by one of methods 1-7 in an approved processing plant.
2. The following Category 2 materials can be used in compost and biogas plants without prior method 1 processing:
  - manure
  - digestive tract and its content
  - milk
  - milk based products
  - colostrum
  - eggs and egg products which the competent authority does not consider to present a risk for the spread of any serious transmissible disease.
3. The following Category 2 materials can be used in compost and biogas plants without the need for pasteurisation:
  - manure
  - digestive tract content separated from the digestive tract
  - milk
  - milk based products and
  - colostrum which the competent authority does not consider to present a risk for the spread of any serious transmissible disease.
4. All the conditions of The Animal By-Products (Enforcement) (England) Regulations 2013/The Animal By-Products (Enforcement) (Wales) Regulations 2014 and Regulation (EC) No. 1069/2009 and Regulation (EU) No. 142/2011 must be complied with.
5. In the event of an unsatisfactory microbiological result, the Animal and Plant Health Agency (APHA) must be informed immediately and the procedure in the HACCP plan followed.
6. Changes to the ownership, address or operation of an approved animal by-product premises must be notified to APHA at the address above.

APHA is an Executive Agency of the Department for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs and also works on behalf of the Scottish Government, Welsh Government and Food Standards Agency to safeguard animal and plant health for the benefit of people, the environment and the economy.

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