

Consultation Response from: KC Environmental Health (Pollution & Noise Control)		
2024/90698 Veolia ES (UK) Ltd, Pennine View, Birstall, Batley, WF17 9NF		
Part change of use of paper/card recycling (B2) facility to incorporate waste transfer station (sui generis) including refuse-derived fuel shredding; installation of canopy; modifications to existing drainage; amendments to WTS building including replacement of 2 doors with rapid action doors; closure of 2 existing doorways and installation of new doorway with rapid action door; amendments to paper/card recycling building including replacement of 1 door with rapid action door		
Date Responded: 5th June 2024	Responding Officer: RM	Responding Ref: WK/202416876
Air Quality In our comments dated 23rd April 2024 we raised concerns relating to the predicted vehicle movements generated by the proposed development. Since then, an Air Quality Note by Redmore Environmental (ref: 7514c1) (dated: 24th May 2024) has been submitted in response to our comments. The note clarifies that the discrepancy we raised regarding vehicle movements was due to the way the data had been presented and this is explained in detail. In addition, it confirms that the information provided in the Air Quality Assessment is correct and that the predicted HDV movements are below the Institute of Air Quality Management (IAQM) criteria for a detailed assessment. We accept the Air Quality Note by Redmore Environmental. Based on the information provided, we also accept the Air Quality Assessment by Redmore Environmental (ref:7514r1) (dated: 23rd February 2024), which concludes that the anticipated vehicle trips associated with the proposals will not meet the criteria for a detailed assessment in accordance with IAQM guidance, and that the impact on air quality is not significant.		