STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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The Environmental Permitting (England and Wales) Regulations 2016

PART 1

General

Giving notices, notifications and directions, and the submission of forms

10.—(1) In this regulation, "instrument" means a notice, notification, certificate, direction or form under these Regulations.

(2) An instrument must be in writing.

(3) An instrument may be served on or given to a person by-

- (a) personal delivery,
- (b) leaving it at the person's proper address, or
- (c) sending it by post or electronic means to the person's proper address.

(4) In the case of a body corporate, an instrument may be served on or given to a director of that body or the secretary or clerk.

(5) In the case of a partnership, an instrument may be served on or given to a partner or a person having control or management of the partnership business.

(6) In paragraph (3), "proper address" means—

- (a) in the case of a body corporate, a director of the body or the secretary or clerk-
 - (i) the registered or principal office of that body, or
 - (ii) the email address of the director, secretary or clerk;
- (b) in the case of a partnership or a partner or person having control or management of the partnership business—
 - (i) the principal office of the partnership, or
 - (ii) the email address of a partner or a person having that control or management;
- (c) in any other case, a person's last known address, which includes an email address.

(7) For the purposes of paragraph (6), the principal office of a company registered outside the United Kingdom or of a partnership established outside the United Kingdom is their principal office in the United Kingdom.

(8) A form provided by the regulator which specifies an electronic address for submission may be submitted electronically to that address.

(9) A form provided by the regulator for completion and submission through a website may be submitted through that site.