

Respondent Information Form

# Your response

Please complete this form if you are not responding to our Environmental Authorisations (Scotland) Regulations 2018: Proposed changes to the Charging Scheme consultation [via our online consultation hub.](https://consultation.sepa.org.uk/communications/easr_charging_scheme_2024)

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# Handling your response

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# About You

1. What is your name? (Optional)

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1. What is your email address? (Optional)

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1. If you have supplied an email address, are you happy to receive communication from SEPA about ongoing developments in the Better Environmental Regulation Programme?

Please delete as appropriate: Yes / No

1. (a) Are you responding to this consultation on behalf of yourself, or a business or organisation? (Required)

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(b) If you are responding on behalf of a business or organisation, please provide the name below:

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1. Are you happy for us to publish your response to this consultation?Please delete as appropriate: Yes / No

## 2.2. Changes to existing water activity charges

2.2.1. (a) Do you agree with the charging proposals in Table 2: Charging changes to existing water activities?

Yes or No. If you answered ‘No’ please explain why?

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## 2.3. Changes to existing industrial activity charges

2.3.1 (a) Do you agree with the charging proposals in Table 3: Charging changes to existing industrial activities?

Yes or No. If you answered ‘No’ please explain why?

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2.3.1. (b) Do you agree with the proposal to introduce application charges for the activity currently described as PPC A: the operation by a third party of an activity described under Part B of Schedule 1 of the PPC regulations as part of a Part A installation, Regulation 12(1). (Reference 10190)?

Yes or No. If you answered ‘No’ please explain why?

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2.3.1. (c) Do you agree with the proposal to introduce application charges for the activity currently described as PPC A: The operation by a third party of part of a Part A activity installation (reference 10200)?

Yes or No. If you answered ‘No’ please explain why?

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2.3.1. (d) Do you agree with the proposal to introduce application charges for the activity currently described as PPC A: Directly Associated Activities (operated by a third party) (reference 10170 and 10180 (low-risk activities))?

Yes or No. If you answered ‘No’ please explain why?

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2.3.1. (e) Do you agree with the proposal to increase application charges for the activity currently described as PPC B 1.1: Combustion of any fuel where thermal input is greater than or equal to 20 megawatts but less than 50 megawatts (reference 10450) in line with the application charge for medium combustion plant subject to a bespoke permit (1-20MW) (reference 10460)?

Yes or No. If you answered ‘No’ please explain why?

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## 2.4. Changes to existing waste management activity charges

2.4.5. (a) Do you agree with the charging proposals in Table 4: Charging changes to existing waste activities?

Yes or No. If you answered ‘No’ please explain why?

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2.4.5. (b) Do you agree with the charging proposals for mobile plant activities that are highlighted in section 2.4.4?

Yes or No. If you answered ‘No’ please explain why?

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## 2.5. New charging activities

2.5.1. (a) Do you agree with the charging proposals in Table 1: New charging activities?

Yes or No. If you answered ‘No’ please explain why?

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## 2.6. Changes to charging activity descriptions only

2.6.1. (a) Do you agree with the charging activity descriptions in Table 5: Changes to charging activity descriptions only?

Yes or No. If you answered ‘No’ please explain why?

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## 2.8. Additional comments on changes to the Charging Scheme

2.8.1. (a) If you have any additional feedback on Section 2, Changes to the charging scheme, please comment here.

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## 3.1. Imposition, escalation and de-escalation of an authorisation

3.1.1. (a) Do you agree with the proposal to charge for the imposition and escalation of an authorisation?

Yes or No. If ‘No’, please explain why?

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## 3.2. New applications for multi-activity authorisations

3.2.1. (a) Do you think SEPA should introduce a Corporate Permit?

Please delete as appropriate: Yes / No

(b) If you have any additional feedback, please leave your comments here:

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## Consolidation of existing authorisations

3.3.1. (a) For scenario 1, do you agree with the proposal to charge the equivalent of a standard variation charge for an application to consolidate an authorisation?

Yes or No. If ‘No’, please explain why?

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3.3.1. (b) For scenario 2, do you agree with the proposal to charge the equivalent of a standard variation charge per activity for an application to consolidate an authorisation?

Yes or No. If ‘No’, please explain why?

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## 3.7. Application to transfer an authorisation

3.7.1. (a) Do you agree with the charging proposals for an application to transfer an authorisation?

Yes or No. If you answered ‘No’, please explain why?

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## 3.8. Application to transfer a revocation notice

* + 1. (a) Do you agree with the proposal to charge for the transfer of a revocation notice?

Yes or No. If you answered ‘No’, please explain why?

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## 3.9. Application to transfer an authorisation

3.9.1. (a) Do you agree with the proposal to charge for determining commercial confidentiality in relation to information and regulatory notices?

Yes or No. If ‘No’, please explain why?

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## 3.10. Additional comments on other changes to the Charging Scheme

3.10.1. (a) If you have any additional feedback on Section 3: Other changes to the charging scheme, please comment here.

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