Hampshire County Council

TOWN & COUNTRY PLANNING (ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT ASSESSMENT) REGULATIONS 2011

'SCREENING OPINION' (REG: 5 &7)

Proposal **Variation of conditions to (i) continue storage of green waste, (ii) additional storage of bulky waste and fly tipped waste, (iii) amend hours to be consistent with rest of the site**

at: **Warren Farm Waste Transfer Station, Downend Road, Fareham, Hampshire PO16 8TR**

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Refer to footnote before assessing proposal

Is the development listed in Schedule 1? **No**

Is the development listed in Schedule 2? **Yes, 11 other projects (b) Installations for the disposal of waste.**

Is the development likely to have significant effects on the environment?
Planning permission has been granted for two waste transfer stations (WTS) at Warren Farm, which are at the base of a former chalk quarry. The larger WTS has permission for development as a materials recycling facility for production of solid recovered fuel (SRF). The smaller WTS was granted permission last year, was constructed and became operational on 1 August 2011. The proposals are to amend conditions to allow continuation of use for green waste, amend hours of working to conform with the main site, and to allow WTS to be used for bulky and fly tipped waste prior to processing in the SRF plant. The site is not in a sensitive area and is not likely to have significant effects on the environment.

The proposed development **is not** an **EIA development** under the ***Town & Country Planning (Environmental Impact Assessment) Regulations 2011*** as **within Schedule 2 but not in a sensitive area, does not amend the size or capacity of the waste transfer staion and is not likely to have significant environmental effects.**

Signed..... Date 15 May, 2012

for Director of Economy, Transport & Environment on behalf of Hampshire County Council

Note: An EIA development must ***either:*** *be within Schedule 1* ***or;*** *be within Schedule 2 within a 'sensitive area'* ***and/or*** *above thresholds/criteria* ***and/or*** *'likely to have significant environmental effects'.*