

A CHANGE TO YOUR LICENCE AND THE ENVIRONMENT...

ON 1 APRIL 1996 the National Rivers Authority, Her Majesty's Inspectorate of Pollution and the Waste Regulation Authorities combine to form the Environment Agency for England and Wales.

When the Agency starts work on 1 April, it will provide a more comprehensive approach to the protection and management of the environment, and will be one of the most powerful environmental regulators in the world.

The Agency will have close links with other statutory bodies and Local Authorities on matters such as Environmental Health and Planning (see diagram).

From the 1 April you will no longer receive bills, licences, permissions or correspondence from the NRA, HMIP or the Waste Regulation Authorities. Instead the Environment Agency, Anglian Region will issue these and deal with you on all matters, previously the responsibility of one of the partner organisations.

We feel there are many benefits from the three organisations combining their work and expertise.

 There will now be one National organisation dedicated to the environmental protection of air, land and water

- Industry and other customers will deal with one environmental regulator instead of three.
- The Agency will work to influence public opinion in support of protecting the environment.

The Environment Agency is committed to dealing with customers in a clear, effective and professional way and has developed dedicated customer service departments to deal with complex enquiries from day one.

This leaflet has a map of the new Anglian Region and the contact numbers for the Regional and Area offices. Please call the Area Office which covers your location to reach your named contact in the Agency, or the relevant department to deal with your query. Also enclosed is a card which we hope you will put in safe place so that you can contact the Agency at any time if you have any queries.

The partner organisations are proud of what they have achieved to improve the environment and are committed to ensuring that these improvements continue for many years to come, and we look forward to working with you to achieve this.

KEY FACTS ABOUT ANGLIAN REGION

New NRA HMIP Enviro mental WRA's Health DoE Pollution Drinking Water

Inspectorate

Area 27,000² kilometres

Resident population 5.7 million

Regional Budget (96/97) £92 million

Rainfall 595 mm

(National Average

797.6 mm)

Length of Coastline 1,273 kilometres

Area of land below sea level 470,000 hectares

Length of navigable river 507 kilometres

Number of monitored consents 9,760

Licenced waste facilities 913

Waste generated and disposed of 25.6 million tonnes

Industrial processes regulated 2,000

Navigation licences issued 4,935

Abstraction licences 10,074

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