

From: EIR Compliance

To:

Subject: 20260305 – EIR – Data Supplied

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Reference Number: **EIR**

Dear

I refer to your request for information submitted to Yorkshire Water dated 15 February for the following information:

“1. Are Yorkshire Water currently responsible for the containment, monitoring, and/or investigation of the pollution incident affecting Scout Dike Reservoir?”

2. Has Yorkshire Water determined the source of the spill and identified the individual(s) or organisation(s) responsible? If so, please provide details.”

Please find attached the data which you have requested.

1. Are Yorkshire Water currently responsible for the containment, monitoring, and/or investigation of the pollution incident affecting Scout Dike Reservoir?

The investigation is currently being led by the Environment Agency (EA) with YW support when required as it's a private issue . YW is taking ownership of the mitigation deployed by the reservoir to help to protect our asset. YW is also taking water quality samples, as required, to monitor the levels of any

contaminant in the reservoir. As the source of the contaminant is not associated with any YW asset or activity, we are not leading on the investigation and are only able to support the EA as needed.

2. Has Yorkshire Water determined the source of the spill and identified the individual(s) or organisation(s) responsible?

Yorkshire Water has established that none of our assets or activities are the cause of the pollution. As it stands currently, we do not know the cause or source of the pollution and any further updates on this will need to come from the EA so as they are leading the investigation.

I trust that the provision of this data satisfies your request. In accordance with the Environmental Information Regulations 2004, if you are not satisfied with this reply to your request you can ask for an internal review. A request for an internal review must be submitted within 40 working days by contacting the Data Protection Team.

Thank you for contacting Yorkshire Water.

Yours sincerely,

Data Protection Team

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