

GE06 Statutory nuisance checklist

Company name		Project title	
Location		Contract no.	
Statutory nuisance			
		Yes	No
1. Has the appropriate liaison or communication taken place with local stakeholders who may be affected by nuisance?			
2. Are appropriate dust suppression techniques used to minimise air pollution from timber sawing or planing, stone or block cutting, crushing, and so on?			
3. Is dust on site haul roads and material stockpiles dampened down adequately on dry, windy days?			
4. Are haul roads located away from sensitive areas (such as rivers and ditches)?			
5. Are site vehicle speed limits controlled to reduce dust?			
6. Are public roads regularly cleaned using a road sweeper or vacuum?			
7. Do vehicles that remove granular or dusty materials have sheeted covers?			
8. Are all plant and vehicles in good working order with an up-to-date maintenance or service log?			
9. Are enclosed chutes and covered skips used for lowering dusty demolition or waste materials?			
10. Are cement and concrete being mixed in enclosed areas to prevent dust?			
11. Are dust and emission monitoring arrangements in place and records maintained where there are risks of nuisance or environmental damage to sensitive receptors?			
12. Are material stockpiles or spoil heaps protected and stored away from sensitive areas (such as drains, rivers and ditches)?			
13. Have the works been assessed to identify the noise and vibration impact on local neighbours, wildlife (animals and vegetation) and buildings?			
14. Have the local environmental health officer and neighbours been consulted and forewarned of any out-of-hours or major disruptive activities?			
15. Has a Section 61 notice under the Control of Pollution Act 1974 been applied for?			
16. If a Control of Pollution Act Section 61 consent is in place, are noise levels being recorded to ensure that levels are kept within limits?			
17. If possible, have working methods been reviewed to use equipment that reduces noise and vibration (such as pile jacking and chemical bursting)?			
18. Have working hours been defined to restrict noisy operations to certain times of day?			
19. Is noisy plant kept as far as possible from sensitive receptors?			
20. Are deliveries planned to suit the local area?			
21. Are haul routes well maintained to prevent vehicle noise and vibration?			
22. Where required, are noise screens being used to reduce noise transmission?			
23. Are noise screens and hoarding well maintained with no holes and gaps?			
24. Has lighting been positioned to avoid a nuisance at night and is non-essential lighting switched off at night?			
25. Does the site have a procedure for dealing with complaints and issues?			
Comments			
Name	Position	Signature	Date