

**GE07 Ecology checklist**

<b>Company name</b>		<b>Project title</b>	
<b>Location</b>		<b>Contract no.</b>	
<b>Ecology</b>			
		<b>Yes</b>	<b>No</b>
		<b>N/A</b>	
<b>1.</b> Has the contractual and client documentation been reviewed to identify all sensitive areas containing wildlife (animals and vegetation)?			
<b>2.</b> Have all relevant ecological risks been included in the construction environmental management plan, together with their mitigation measures?			
<b>3.</b> Have licences been obtained from the relevant conservation body to move protected species or disrupt their habitats (such as bats, badgers and lizards)?			
<b>4.</b> Have specific biosecurity plans been worked up and implemented if non-native invasive species have been identified?			
<b>5.</b> Are areas containing wildlife suitably protected from the construction work?			
<b>6.</b> Are trees suitably protected to avoid damage from the works?			
<b>7.</b> Have vegetation removal and other construction works been programmed to avoid breeding and nesting periods?			
<b>8.</b> If required, has permission been sought and given by the Local Authority to remove hedges or trees that have a tree preservation order (TPO)?			
<b>9.</b> Has approval been given by the relevant environment agency to deal with invasive plants (such as Japanese knotweed and giant hogweed)?			
<b>10.</b> Has approval been given by the relevant environment agency for the treatment or management of plants adjacent to a watercourse?			
<b>11.</b> Do treatment operatives hold the appropriate qualification and certificate of competency for herbicide use or operate under the control of a certificate holder?			
<b>Comments</b>			
<b>Name</b>		<b>Position</b>	
		<b>Signature</b>	
		<b>Date</b>	