

VULCAN NRTE – BRIEF FOR THE DOUNREAY STAKEHOLDER SUB GROUP
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- The Shore Test Facility is currently in a planned shut down period conducting maintenance and updates in accordance with its trials programme. Critical reactor operation is set to resume in late 2011.
- The next planned regulatory audit by DNSR will take place week commencing 14 November 2011.
- The Annual Review of Safety by representatives of the Director Nuclear Propulsion (DNPs) representatives was conducted 13 – 14 October and the review achieved a very satisfactory assessment. The Authorisation to Operate (AtO) remains extant for a further year.
- Future programme is focused on completing the required trials on the current reactor core, thereafter remains under consideration within the MOD.

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