



# DSG(2017)P001

Dounreay Stakeholder Group Site Restoration Sub Group Update Report January 2017

#### **Site Inspection Work & RSA Compliance**

SEPA's investigation in the incident of water ingress into the Wet Silo remains ongoing following an update from DSRL in December and the subsequent submission to SEPA of further supporting information. SEPA are considering additional information provided by DSRL and will reach a conclusion on the level of enforcement action to be taken in the near future.

During December SEPA undertook an inspection of DSRL arrangements for the sampling, analysis and data handing of liquid wastes.

SEPA has now published the 2015 Compliance Assessment Scheme Results on its website. All results are available at;

https://www.sepa.org.uk/regulations/authorisations-and-permits/compliance-assessment-scheme/ .

Below are the results for key authorisations held by DSRL;

Site/ Facility	<u>Score</u>
RSA/A/1031285, Low Level Waste Disposal Facility	Good
RSA/A/1079137, Dounreay Site	Broadly Compliant
WML/N/0050085, Landfill 42	Excellent
WML/L/1095876, Dounreay Site	Good
PPC/B/1114290, Grout Plant	Good

### **Low Level Radioactive Waste Facility**

SEPA is awaiting further information requested from DSRL in respect of the bulging HHISO containers incident. It is understood DSRL expect the related programme of work to be completed and ready to share with SEPA by the end of February 2017.

All disposal operations remain stopped by DSRL while this work is being undertaken.

#### Site End State

SEPA attended a workshop held between nuclear sites, including DSRL, and regulators on Waste Management Plans and Site-Wide Environmental Safety Cases.

#### **Planning**

SEPA received and has provided feedback on partly completed draft Environmental Statement for Phase 3 of Dounreay (2018 – Interim End Point) prior to submission of the planning application and formal Environmental Statement.

## <u>Vulcan</u>

Vulcan RSA/N/1035280 achieved a rating of excellent in SEPA's 2015 Compliance Assessment Scheme.

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