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**By Email**

Dear Byron,

**DALGETY BAY- MOD PROGRAMME AND PROJECT MILESTONES.**

Many thanks for your letter dated 6<sup>th</sup> March. We welcome the comments raised by SEPA and will give due consideration to the issues raised, however in the interim we intend to continue our programme of work as planned.

In respect to additional information requested it will be appropriate for this to be communicated throughout the duration of the works, this includes supporting SEPA by highlighting at the earliest possible opportunity any issues which require immediate action. Furthermore regulatory bodies, including SEPA, will be consulted as appropriate to obtain necessary permissions or consents for the works to be undertaken.

It is understood that SEPA is aware of the importance of maintaining a flexible approach for these voluntary works which aim in part to establish any further requirement for remedial action. We trust the above reinforces our commitment to both SEPA and the Scottish Executive to meet our responsibilities in regard to contamination at Dalgety Bay.

Regards

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