

ISOLUS-CIOP

Press Release

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Management of Radioactive Wastes from Redundant Nuclear Powered Submarines

Lancaster University are currently carrying out a national consultation on behalf of the MoD on the management of radioactive wastes from redundant nuclear powered submarines.

The consultation focuses on Outline Proposals made by industry for the management of these wastes.

Six potential sites are identified in these proposals, and as part of the consultation, public events have been organised at each of these sites.

The dates, times and locations of these events are as follows:

Proposed Site	Location of Meeting	Date & Time	Information
Coulport	Strone Highgate Hall	Wednesday 19th November, 2pm - 9pm	Open exhibition during the afternoon (2-7) followed by a public meeting in the evening (7-9). The evening meeting will include the opportunity for discussion in smaller groups. Babcock-MBN and the MoD have been invited to be present.
Coulport	Helensburgh Victoria Halls	Thursday 20th November, 2pm - 9 pm	
Nigg	Invergordan Arts Centre	Monday 24th November, 2pm - 9 pm	Open exhibition during the afternoon (2-7) followed by a public meeting in the evening (7-9). DML, Nigg Dockyard, Vulcan and the MoD have been invited to be present.
Nigg	Balintore Community Hall	Tuesday 25th November, 2pm - 9 pm	
Dounreay	Thurso Town Hall	Wednesday 26th November, 2pm - 9 pm	Open exhibition during the afternoon (2-7) followed by a public meeting in the evening (7-9). DML, Nigg dockyard, Vulcan and the MoD have been invited to be present.
Sellafield	Whitehaven Civic Hall	Monday 1st December, 2pm - 9 pm	Open exhibition during the afternoon (2-7) followed by a public meeting in the evening (7-9). The evening meeting will include the opportunity for discussion in smaller groups. Babcock-MBN, BNFL,

			DML and the MoD have been invited to be present.
Rosyth	Dunfermline Business Learning Centre, Lauder College	Tuesday 2nd December, 7pm - 9 pm	Evening meeting including the opportunity for discussion in smaller groups. Babcock-MBN, BNFL, DML and the MoD have been invited to be present.
Devonport	Plymouth Guild Hall	Friday 5 th December, 2pm - 9pm	Open exhibition during afternoon and evening, with opportunities for the public to record their views throughout.

Further information on the proposals and the consultation is available at www.isolus.org.uk.

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Notes:

The Consultation on ISOLUS Outline Proposals (CIOP) is a national consultation on Outline Proposals from industry regarding the management of radioactive wastes from nuclear powered submarines. CIOP is being run by IEPPP at Lancaster University under contract to the Warships Support Agency of the Ministry of Defence. Views and comments on the Outline Proposals can be submitted via the consultation website or in writing to ISOLUS-CIOP, IEPPP, Furness College, Lancaster University, Lancaster LA1 4YT.