

Oil and gas: OPRED communications

1. 4 November 2022

Stakeholder Alert – UK ETS Authority publishes response to registry data publication consultation.

2. 2 November 2022

Changes to access – ETSWAP user password policy and security questions

3. 13 October 2022

Activity Level Changes – COVID-19 communication from the UK ETS Authority

4. 27 September 2022

Reminder of Well Intervention Application (WIA) annual 2023 chemical permits process and to update Production Operations (PRA) chemical permits to include 2023 chemical use and discharge data.

5. 23 September 2022

The following is a message from the UK ETS Authority on change to the PMRV launch plan.

6. 23 August 2022

UK ETS update and ETSWAP to PMRV migration August 2022

7. 19 August 2022

PPC Monitoring Guidance Letter to Industry added

8. 29 July 2022

Government Response to the Energy Savings Opportunity Scheme (ESOS).

9. 29 July 2022

PPC Emissions monitoring plan – Letter to industry 29.07.2022

10. 12 July 2022

REMINDER for Information of Trained Oil Spill Response Personnel during 2020 – Issued 12/07/2022

11. 12 July 2022

Energy Security Bill Introduction – BEIS Secretary of State Letter to Stakeholders

12. 8 July 2022

Consultation published on behalf of the UK ETS Authority (made up of the UK Government and Devolved Administrations) relating to the publication of data on the UK ETS Registry and additional scheme date. Please find attached the consultation text outlining the UK ETS Authority's proposals and accompanying questions. Please respond by 24 July. All responses should be sent to emissions.trading@beis.gov.uk.

13. 15 June 2022

UK ETS update – Migration from ETSWAP to the new permitting, monitoring, reporting and verification (PMRV) system for operators

14. 14 June 2022

Request for Information of Trained Oil Spill Response Personnel during 2021 Template return spreadsheet for information of Trained Oil Spill Response Personnel During 2021 request

15. 8 June 2022

Uploaded Withdrawal of OPRED incident notification telephone number – 01224 254058

16. 25 May 2022

Communications for OPRED Pollution Emergency Response uploaded

17. 3 May 2022

Reminder for EMS Annual Public Statement

18. 25 April 2022

Addition of IRS Enhancements April 2022

19. 20 April 2022

EMS Annual Public Statement 2022

20. 25 March 2022

Addition of notification advising The UK ETS Authority – made up of the UK Government, Scottish Government, Welsh Government and the Department of Agriculture, Environment and Rural Affairs for Northern Ireland who jointly run the scheme – has published a consultation on developing the UK Emissions Trading Scheme (UK ETS).

21. 22 February 2022

Addition of communication confirming OPRED Website Issues now resolved

22. 16 February 2022

Addition of communication regarding OPRED Website Issues

23. 4 February 2022

Update to OPPC Guidance and Standard Industry Conditions as a result of clarification on reporting requirements for Miscellaneous discharge streams plus update to webpage

24. 27 January 2022

Addition of 'Details on upcoming noisy activities in the Southern North Sea' communication

25. 17 January 2022

Addition of 'UK ETS general update from OPRED' communication

26. 6 January 2022

Reminder – Cessation of Out of Hours Permitting Function.

27. 23 December 2021

Addition of 'Reminder – Updating PON1s in legacy ePON1 system – Function to be withdrawn' communication

28. 17 December 2021

Addition of 'Announcement of OPRED Chief Executive and Executive Director' communication and Tom Child and Wendy Kennedy's biographies to accompany this communication

29. 17 December 2021

Addition of communication on 'The Offshore Oil and Gas Exploration, Production, Unloading and Storage (Environmental Impact Assessment) Regulations 2020'

30. 8 December 2021

Addition of Inspection of Local Aids to Navigation, Merchant Shipping Act, 1995, Section 198(1) communication

31. 1 December 2021

The EU and UK are cutting the availability of HFC's by 79% between 2015 and 2030. OPRED would like to make Operators aware of the following ban which will be imposed from 1 January 2022.

32. 29 November 2021

Updating PON1s in legacy ePON1 system – Function to be withdrawn

33. 29 November 2021

Addition of Cessation of Out of Hours Permitting Function communication

34. 11 October 2021

Addition of Annual Chemical Permit Reminder

35. 8 October 2021

Cessation of out of hours permitting function

36. 1 October 2021

The notification provides details about the recent publication of Defra's revised UK Plan for Shipments of Waste and the Government Response to the consultation on the UK Plan

37. 24 September 2021

OPEP Guidance Publication Comms.

38. 21 September 2021

Addition of OPRED response to PON1, OPPC, IRS Consultation – OGUK response document and Reminder of IRS go live date

39. 9 September 2021

IRS – General Guidance, Enhanced/Additional Features and Managing Distribution Lists Added.

40. 25 August 2021

Energy Portal – Integrated Reporting System (IRS) – Action Required, populating IRS Teams – Issued 25/08/2021

41. 19 August 2021

OPRED Communications – Energy Portal inactive OPRED applications note.

42. 6 August 2021

Addition of 'Offshore Chemicals Regulations 2002 and the Offshore Petroleum Activities (Oil Pollution Prevention and Control) Regulations 2005' communication

43. 5 August 2021

Verifier site visits update post Covid 19 published on Communications page.

44. 4 August 2021

Defra Consultation on amending the Civil Procedure Rules to establish environmental review

45. 27 July 2021

Defra Consultation on Best Practice Guidance for developing compensatory

measures in relation to Marine Protected Areas published.

46. 27 July 2021

BEIS Consultation on reforming the framework for better regulation published.
Offshore EIA Regulations Communication – Consent for Projects published.

47. 9 July 2021

Energy Savings Opportunity Scheme Public Consultation. Register your interest to join a stakeholder event by 12 July.

48. 28 June 2021

Addition of PETS PPC SAT changes note

49. 21 June 2021

PON1, OPPC and Integrated Reporting Service Guidance Consultations published.

50. 28 May 2021

Addition of Reminder for Information of Trained Oil Spill Response Personnel during 2020

51. 17 May 2021

Reminder for EMS Annual Public Statements uploaded

52. 11 May 2021

UK ETS Authority publishes the free allocation table for 2021-2025 allocation period.

53. 5 May 2021

BEIS-OPRED NOTIFICATION TO STAKEHOLDERS – Scottish Government Consultation on a proposed UK Dolphin and Porpoise Conservation Strategy.

54. 30 April 2021

Addition of 'Request for information of Trained Oil Spill Response Personnel during 2020' and 'Template return spreadsheet for information of Trained Oil Spill Response Personnel during 2020 request'

55. 20 April 2021

OPEP Variation function in CAP – Communication to Industry 20 April 2021

56. 15 April 2021

Addition of request for EMS Annual Public Statements

57. 30 March 2021

OPRED communications page has been updated to include communication on advice notes related to the protection of wild birds in UK offshore waters.

58. 24 March 2021

Addition of 'Energy Portal – Integrated Reporting System (IRS) – Action Required' communication

59. 18 March 2021

Addition of 'Evaluation of Offshore Safety Directive Regulator (OSDR)' communication

60. 1 March 2021

Addition of 'Regulating Offshore oil and gas Installations during Coronavirus (Covid-19) Outbreak – Offshore Petroleum Regulator for Environment and Decommissioning's return to offshore inspection activity' update

61. 22 February 2021

OPRED UK ETS Update

62. 19 February 2021

Oil and gas: OPRED communications page has been updated to include communication on the protection of wild birds in UK offshore waters.

63. 20 January 2021

Defra consultation on the 'Updating of the UK Plan for Shipments of Waste'.

64. 15 January 2021

Mercury Regulations & TFSW Regulations – Notification to Offshore Operators

65. 8 January 2021

Addition of 'Regulating Offshore oil and gas Installations during Coronavirus (Covid-19) Outbreak. UK and Scottish Government 04 January 2021 announcement of change to lockdown measures – update 07 January 2021'

66. 22 December 2020

Update on EU ETS transition to a UK ETS.

67. 16 December 2020

The Offshore Oil and Gas Exploration, Production, Unloading and Storage (Environmental Impact Assessment) Regulations 2020 – Transitional Provisions & PETS Changes

68. 14 December 2020

RBA Programme Update added

69. 10 December 2020

Notification to Stakeholder regarding The Offshore Oil and Gas (EIA) Regulations (2020)

70. 25 November 2020

Informal Consultation of the UK ETS Civil Penalties Guidance Document and OPRED Notification to the Oil and Gas Industry UKETS Civil Penalties Guidance

71. 25 November 2020

UK Energy Portal will be unavailable from 6pm on Friday 27th November until 9am on Monday 30th November for extended maintenance.

72. 23 November 2020

OSPAR Annual Reporting on the Phase-out of Hazardous Substances – Issued 23/11/2020

73. 17 November 2020

Potential Met Office telephone system outage – Saturday 21st November

74. 13 October 2020

PRA 2021 chemical data and Annual WIA permits

75. 8 October 2020

OPRED EU ETS Transition update Operator Requirements October 2020

76. 6 October 2020

Regulating Offshore oil and gas Installations during the Coronavirus (Covid-19) Outbreak – Offshore Petroleum Regulator for Environment and Decommissioning's return to offshore inspection activity

77. 14 August 2020

Addition of Reminder for Information of Trained Oil Spill Response Personnel during 2019

78. 24 July 2020

Offshore EIA Regulations 2020

79. 23 July 2020

Proposed Offshore Chemicals and the Offshore Petroleum Activities (Oil Pollution Prevention and Control) (Coronavirus) (Amendment) Regulations 2020 Consultation

80. 8 July 2020

Addition of EIA Pre-consultation Engagement document

81. 19 June 2020

OPRED position published on offshore site visits by verifiers during the Coronavirus Outbreak 2020.

82. 17 June 2020

Addition of 'Request for information of Trained Oil Spill Response Personnel during 2019' and template return spreadsheet

83. 3 June 2020

Publication of Guidance for assessing the significance of noise disturbance against Conservation Objectives of harbour porpoise SACs

84. 2 June 2020

Future of UK carbon pricing consultation response

85. 19 May 2020

Addition of reminders for EMS Annual Statement and Transfrontier Shipment of Waste Returns

86. 15 May 2020

Covid19 Update

87. 11 May 2020

Addition of Request for Mercury Regulations Returns and corresponding reporting form

88. 23 April 2020

Addition of 'EIA Regulations – Coronavirus Amendment' notification

89. 22 April 2020

Transfrontier Shipment of Waste Return communication updated and return form added

90. 22 April 2020

Addition of 'Request for Transfrontier Shipment of Waste Return'

91. 17 April 2020

Addition of Covid19 Position Update

92. 9 April 2020

Addition of Request for EMS Annual Public Statement

93. 8 April 2020

New communication added

94. 3 April 2020

New communication added

95. 31 March 2020

Addition of new communication

96. 20 March 2020

Addition of 'The Impacts of Covid-19' communications

97. 17 March 2020

New communication added

98. 6 March 2020

Addition of notification

99. 14 February 2020

New communication added

100. 11 February 2020

New communication added

101. 6 February 2020

Addition of Noise Guidance Consultation Notification

102. 3 February 2020

First published.