

SAFESPUR

Review of RSA exemption orders – participate in the DEFRA consultation

5 December 2007, London



Location

Royal Statistical Society
12 Errol Street
London, EC1Y 8LX

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Background

DEFRA is currently undertaking a review of the exemption orders for radioactive substances. These orders provide either conditional or unconditional exemption from the authorisation or registration requirements of the Radioactive Substances Act ('93) either for certain substances or for certain uses. Although the 19 existing exemption orders cover a varied range of radioactive substances, there are two in particular that apply to the work of managing radioactively contaminated land and decommissioning wastes and redundant structures, buildings and plant. These are the Substances of Low Activity exemption order (SOLA) and the Phosphatic Substances, Rare Earths etc exemption order (PSRE).

DEFRA held a consultation workshop on the review of exemption orders in January 2007. During 2007, a new regulatory architecture has been developed and options for revision to the exemption orders have been drawn up. Preparation of draft legislation is scheduled to begin in early 2008. This SAFESPUR meeting will give you the opportunity to comment on the exemption order options and consider the practicalities of implementing them on your projects.

Why you should attend?

By attending you will:

- Hear about the new system of draft exemption orders being proposed by DEFRA and understand the latest timetable for their completion and coming into force
- Hear from the Environment Agency regarding the regulatory hierarchy of permits and how exemption orders fit into this structure
- Discuss the practical implications of the proposed changes to the exemption orders, particularly those that most affect land management and decommissioning
- Be able to provide your feedback on the proposed revisions to the RSA exemption orders, before these are put out to public consultation

A note summarising discussions at the event will be produced. This will enable SAFESPUR to forward messages from the workshop to relevant decision-makers and enable you to distribute the information to colleagues.

Programme

10:00	Registration and refreshments	12:10	Practical implications of changes to the exemption orders for project teams
10:30	Chairman's welcome		Representative of Clearance and Exemption Working Group
10:40	The programme to review the RSA exemption orders - an update Chris Wilson, DEFRA	12:30	Q & A session
11:10	The regulator's perspective Bob Russ, Environment Agency	12:45	Lunch
11:30	Q & A session	13:30	Facilitated discussion
11:45	Coffee break for informal networking and discussion	15:20	Chairman's summary
		15:30	Close



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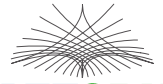
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