

**Dredging Liaison Group** 2<sup>nd</sup> March 2017 Room LG15, 26 Bedford Way WC1H 0AP

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# 2<sup>nd</sup> March 2017 DLG MEETING NOTES

# **Attendees:**

Initials	Attendee	Organisation
RW	Richard Whitehouse	Chair of DLG – HR Wallingford
PF	Pat Fitzsimons	TEP - Director
PL	Paul Leonard	Corporate Risk Assessment
AM	Alex Mortley	Port of London Authority
NH	Naomi Hyland	Port of London Authority - presenting
CN	Christine Newton	Tideway
GH	Geoff Holland	Port of Tilbury
JL	Jackie Lavender	Royal Haskoning
MD	Mark Davison	Environment Agency - presenting
WS	Will Shields	Boskalis
DH	Dave Hall	APEMItd
DM	David Middlemiss	HR Wallingford
Apologies		
	Jonathan Mycock	RSPB
	Mark Wrigley	The Crown Estate
	Peter Cosgrove	MMO
	Ben Challier	Niras Fraenkel
	Jasper Blaauw	Van Oord

# **Proceedings:**

# 1. Agree Meeting Notes, Action Points and Matters Arising from the last meeting

The notes from the last meeting of the 1st December 2016 were agreed.

Kate Spencer suggested asking Colin Scott from ABPmer, who we have already heard from.

Christopher Vane said he would present later in the year once his new book was published.

Pete Cosgrove of the MMO said they were considering what they could do to help in the beneficial use arena.

PL suggested a meeting with DEFRA to discuss action levels: attending JL, DM, NH.

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#### 2. Presentation:

Naomi Hyland (PLA) presented: Update on DSIS

The presentation outlined the updates that have taken place on the PLA's DSIS system.

Actions: NH to contact CN regarding registration for DSIS.

AM to report back on linking to a wider set of websites on DSIS for more data

Google Crome is the best browser to use

Mark Davidson (EA) presented: Clearing the Waters for All

NH said PLA application forms would be changing to reflect the new WFD questions from Clearing the Waters for All.

MD to send examples for the DLG

# 3. Dredging Licence Updates

### Naomi Hyland, PLA

An update was provided on current dredging, current active licences, number of applications and enquiries and current consultations.

# 5. Other Matters Arising

- PF reminded everyone of the MMO planning workshop on 7<sup>th</sup> March on Marine Spatial Planning.
- PF reminded everyone about the TEP House of Commons Summer Networking event on 8<sup>th</sup> June 4-6pm World Oceans Day.

# Date of next meeting

Thursday March 2<sup>nd</sup> 2017, 2-4pm Room 113 26 Bedford Way WC1H 0AP

### **Speakers:**

RSPB to present on preservation and habitat creations

A re-use case study