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EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

The construction works of **No. EP/SP/61/10 Organic Resources Recovery Centre Phase 1 (the Project)** commenced on 21 May 2015. This is the 115th Monthly Environmental Monitoring and Audit (EM&A) report presenting the EM&A works carried out during the period from 1 to 31 December 2024 in accordance with the EM&A Manual. Substantial completion of the construction works was confirmed on 3 December 2018. In the meantime, the operation phase EM&A programme had commenced in March 2019. Substantial Completion in respect of substantial part of the Works was confirmed on 24 February 2020. The construction phase EM&A programme was completed in the end of February 2020.

SUMMARY OF WORKS UNDERTAKEN DURING THE REPORTING MONTH

Works undertaken in the reporting month included:

- Operation of the Project, including organic waste reception, and operation of the pretreatment facilities, anaerobic digesters, composting facilities, air pollution control systems, on-line emission monitoring system for the Centralised Air Pollution Control Unit (CAPCS), Co-generation Units (CHP)s and Ammonia Stripping Plant (ASP), and the wastewater treatment plant; and
- Cleaning of the ASP.

ENVIRONMENTAL MONITORING AND AUDIT PROGRESS

AIR QUALITY MONITORING

Non-compliance of emission limits of Dust and Total Odour from CAPCS; NO_x and SO_2 from CHP1; NO_x from CHP2; NO_x and HCl from CHP3; and NO_x , SO_2 , and NH_3 from the ASP were recorded during the reporting period.

WATER QUALITY

All analytes from the Petrol Interceptor 1 sampled on 11 December 2024 were recorded to be in compliance with discharge limits during the reporting period. Discharge sample from the outlet chamber of the Effluent Storage tank was collected on 27 December 2024, but the laboratory report and result remain pending as at the date of this EM&A report submission. Sample from Petrol Interceptor 2 was collected on 25 December 2024, but the laboratory report and result remain pending as at the date of this EM&A report submission. The outstanding Treated Effluent and Petrol Interceptor 2 data will be presented in the subsequent monthly EM&A report once the lab results have been received.

WASTE MANAGEMENT

Waste generated from the operation of the Project includes chemical waste, waste generated from pre-treatment process, and general refuse.

1,020 L of chemical waste waste was disposed of at CWTC in December 2024.

1,242.66 tonnes of waste generated from pre-treatment process from the operation of the Project were disposed of at landfill. Among the waste generated from pre-treatment process from the operation of the Project, 0.000 tonnes of metals, 0.000 tonnes of papers/cardboard packing and 0.000 tonnes of plastics were sent to recyclers for recycling during the reporting period.



Around 2.765 tonnes of general refuse from the operation of the Project were disposed of at landfill. Among the general refuse from the operation of the Project, 0.000 tonnes of metals, 0.040 tonnes of papers/cardboard packing and 0.005 tonnes of plastics were sent to recyclers for recycling during the reporting period.

FINDINGS OF ENVIRONMENTAL SITE AUDIT

A summary of the monitoring activities undertaken in this reporting period is listed below:

• Joint Environmental Site Inspections

1 time

1 monthly joint environmental site inspection was carried out by the representatives of the Contractor and the Monitoring Team (MT). The Independent Environmental Checker (IEC) was also present at the joint inspection on 17 December 2024.

The environmental control/ mitigation measures (related to air quality, water quality, waste (including land contamination prevention), hazard-to-life and landscape and visual) recommended in the approved EIA Report and the EM&A Manual were properly implemented by the Contractor during the reporting month.

ENVIRONMENTAL EXCEEDANCE/ NON-CONFORMANCE, COMPLAINT, SUMMONS AND PROSECUTION

Exceedances of the air emission limits for CAPCS, CHPs, and ASP were recorded during the reporting period.

No complaint was received during the reporting period. The previous environmental complaint regarding odour nuisance lodged against the facility on 9 October 2024 remained under investigation as at the date of the October 2024 EM&A report. The investigation report of this complaint is now presented in *Annex F*.

FUTURE KEY ISSUES

Activities to be undertaken in the next reporting month include:

- Operation of the Project; and
- Repair to the leakage in the chemical pipeline of the CAPCS.



1. INTRODUCTION

ERM-Hong Kong, Limited (ERM) was appointed by OSCAR Bioenergy Joint Venture (the Contractor) as the Environmental Team (ET) to undertake the construction Environmental Monitoring and Audit (EM&A) programme for the *Contract No. EP/SP/61/10 of Organic Waste Treatment Facilities Phase I,* which the project name has been updated to *Organic Resources Recovery Centre (Phase I) (the Project)* since November 2017. ERM was also appointed by the Contractor to undertake the operation EM&A programme starting 1 March 2019.

1.1 PURPOSE OF THE REPORT

This is the 115th EM&A report which summarises the monitoring results and audit findings for the EM&A programme during the reporting period from **1** to **31 December 2024**.

1.2 STRUCTURE OF THE REPORT

The structure of the report is as follows:

SECTION 1: INTRODUCTION

It details the scope and structure of the report.

SECTION 2: PROJECT INFORMATION

It summarises the background and scope of the Project, site description, project organisation and status of the Environmental Permits (EP)/licences.

SECTION 3: ENVIRONMENTAL MONITORING AND AUDIT REQUIREMENTS

It summarises the environmental monitoring requirements including monitoring parameters, programmes, methodologies, frequency, locations, Action and Limit Levels, Event/Action Plans, as well as environmental audit requirements as recommended in the EM&A Manual and approved EIA report.

SECTION 4: MONITORING RESULTS

It summarises monitoring results of the reporting period.

SECTION 5: SITE AUDIT

It summarises the audit findings of the environmental as well as landscape and visual site audits undertaken within the reporting period.

SECTION 6: ENVIRONMENTAL NON-CONFORMANCE

It summarises any exceedance of environmental performance standard, environmental complaints and summons received within the reporting period.

SECTION 7: FURTHER KEY ISSUES

It summarises the impact forecast for the next reporting month.

SECTION 8: CONCLUSIONS



2. PROJECT INFORMATION

2.1 BACKGROUND

The Organic Resources Recovery Centre (ORRC) Phase I development (hereinafter referred to as "the Project") is to design, construct and operate a biological treatment facility with a capacity of about 200 tonnes per day and convert source-separated organic waste from commercial and industrial sectors (mostly food waste) into compost and biogas through proven biological treatment technologies. The location of the Project site is shown in *Annex A*.

The environmental acceptability of the construction and operation of the Project had been confirmed by findings of the associated Environmental Impact Assessment (EIA) Study completed in 2009. The Director of Environmental Protection (DEP) approved this EIA Report under the *Environmental Impact Assessment Ordinance* (EIAO) (Cap. 499) in February 2010 (Register No.: AEIAR-149/2010) (hereafter referred to as the approved EIA Report). Subsequent Report on Re-assessment on Environmental Implications and Report on Re-assessment on Hazard to Life Implications were completed in 2013, respectively.

An Environmental Permit (EP) (No. EP-395/2010) was issued by the DEP to the EPD (Project Team), the Permit Holder, on 21 June 2010 and varied on 18 March 2013 (No. EP-395/2010/A) and 21 May 2013 (No. EP-395/2010/B), respectively. The Design Build and Operate Contract for the ORRC Phase 1 (Contract No. EP/SP/61/10 Organic Resources Recovery Centre (Phase 1) (the Contract)) was awarded to SITA Waste Services Limited, ATAL Engineering Limited and Ros-Roca, Sociedad Anonima jointly trading as the OSCAR Bioenergy Joint Venture (OSCAR or the Contractor). A Further EP (No. FEP-01/395/2010/B) was issued by the DEP to the OSCAR on 16 February 2015. Variation to both EPs (Nos. EP-395/2010/B and FEP-01/395/2010/B) were made in December 2015. The latest EPs, Nos. EP-395/2010/C and FEP-01/395/2010/C, were issued by the DEP on 21 December 2015.

Under the requirements of Condition 5 of the EP (No. FEP-01/395/2010/C), an Environmental Monitoring and Audit (EM&A) programme as set out in the approved EM&A Manual (hereinafter referred to as EM&A Manual) is required to be implemented during the construction and operation of the Project. ERM-Hong Kong, Ltd (ERM) has been appointed by OSCAR as the Environmental Team (ET) for the construction phase EM&A programme and the Monitoring Team (MT) for the operation phase EM&A programme for the implementation of the EM&A programme in accordance with the requirements of the EP and the approved EM&A Manual.

The construction works commenced on 21 May 2015. The construction phase EM&A programme was completed in the end of February 2020. The operation phase of the EM&A programme commenced on 1 March 2019 $^{(1)}$.

2.2 GENERAL SITE DESCRIPTION

The Project Site is located at Siu Ho Wan in North Lantau with an area of about 2 hectares. The



^{(&}lt;sup>1</sup>) As some of the minor items are yet to be closed out in March 2019, the construction phase EM&A programme and Operation Phase EM&A programme were undertaking in parallel in March 2019.

layout of the Project Site is illustrated in *Annex A*. The facility received an average of 157.30 tonnes and treated an average of 113.61 tonnes of source separated organic waste per day during the reporting month.

2.3 MAJOR ACTIVITIES UNDERTAKEN

A summary of the major activities undertaken in the reporting period is shown in *Table 2.1*.

TABLE 2.1 SUMMARY OF ACTIVITIES UNDERTAKEN IN THE REPORTING PERIOD

Activities Undertaken in the Reporting Period

- Systems being operated waste reception, pre-treatment, CAPCS extraction, the digesters, the centrifuge, the composting tunnels, the de-sulphurisation, the standby flare, the CHPs, the ASP, and the biological wastewater treatment plant (157.30 t/d SSOW received); and
- Cleaning of the ASP.

2.4 PROJECT ORGANISATION AND MANAGEMENT STRUCTURE

The project organisation chart and contact details are shown in *Annex B*.

2.5 STATUS OF ENVIRONMENTAL APPROVAL DOCUMENTS

A summary of the valid permits, licences, and/or notifications on environmental protection for this Project is presented in *Table 2.2*.

TABLE 2.2 SUMMARY OF ENVIRONMENTAL LICENSING, NOTIFICATION AND PERMIT STATUS

Permit/ Licences/ Notification	Reference	Validity Period	Remarks
Environmental Permit	FEP-01/395/2010/C	Throughout the Contract	Permit granted on 21 December 2015
Effluent Discharge Licence	WT00038391-2021	7 July 2021 – 30 June 2026	Approved on 7 July 2021
Chemical Waste Producer Registration	WPN 5213-961-02231- 02	Throughout the implementation of the Project	Approved on 10 November 2017
Waste Disposal Billing Account	Account number: 702310	Throughout the Contract	-



3. ENVIRONMENTAL MONITORING AND AUDIT REQUIREMENTS

3.1 ENVIRONMENTAL MONITORING

The air quality (including odour) monitoring to be carried out during the commissioning and operation phase of the Project are described below. Although water quality monitoring is not required for the operation phase under the EM&A programme, there are water quality monitoring requirement under the Water Discharge Licence of the plant under the *Water Pollution Control Ordinance* (WPCO). As part of this EM&A programme, the monitoring results will be reviewed to check the compliance with the WPCO requirements.

3.1.1 AIR QUALITY

According to the EM&A Manual and EP requirements, stack monitoring is required during the commissioning and operation phase of the Project.

On-line monitoring using continuous environmental monitoring system (CEMS) shall be carried out for the Centralised Air Pollution Unit (CAPCS), cogeneration units (CHPs) and the ammonia stripping plant (ASP) during the commissioning and operation phase. The most recent sensor calibration for the CAPCS system was carried out on 15 January 2024 for VOCs and 19 January 2024 for H₂S. The most recent span calibrations for the CEMS systems (CHP1, CHP2, CHP3, and ASP) were carried out on 28 May 2024. Annual CAPCS calibration was carried out on 15 and 30 October 2024.

The monitoring data is transmitted instantaneously to EPD (Regional Office) by telemetry system.

When the on-line monitoring for certain parameter cannot be undertaken, monitoring will be carried out using the following methodology approved by the EPD.

TABLE 3.1	SAMPLING AND	LABORATORY	ANALYSIS	METHODOLOGY
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Parameters	Method	Stacks to be Monitored
Gaseous and vaporous organic substances (including methane)	USEPA Method 18	CAPCSCHPASP
Particulate	USEPA Method 5	CAPCSCHPASP
Carbon monoxide (CO)	USEPA Method 10	CHPASP
Nitrogen oxides (NO _x)	USEPA Method 7E	CHP ASP
Sulphur dioxide (SO ₂)	USEPA Method 6	CHPASP
Hydrogen chloride (HCl)	USEPA Method 26A	CHPASP
Hydrogen fluoride (HF)	USEPA Method 26A	CHP ASP
Oxygen (O ₂)	USEPA Method 3A	CAPCSCHP



Parameters	Method	Stacks to be Monitored
		• ASP
Velocity and Volumetric Flow	USEPA Method 2	CAPCSCHPASP
Ammonia (NH ₃)	USEPA CTM 027	• ASP
Odour (including NH_3 and H_2S)	EN 13725	• ASP
Water vapour content (continuous measurement of the water vapour content should not be required if the sample exhaust gas is dried before the emissions are analysed)	USEPA Method 4	CAPCSCHPASP
Temperature	USEPA Method 4	CAPCSCHPASP

With reference to the EM&A Manual, the air emission of the stacks shall meet the following emission limits as presented in *Tables 3.2* to *3.5*.

TABLE 3.2 EMISSION LIMIT FOR CAPCS STACK

Parameter	Emission Level (mg/Nm ³) ^(a)
VOCs (including methane)	680
Dust (or Total Suspended Particulates (TSP))	6
Odour (including NH ₃ & H ₂ S)	220 ^(b)

Notes:

(a) Hourly average concentration

(b) The odour unit is OU/Nm³

TABLE 3.3 EMISSION LIMIT FOR CHP STACK

Parameter	Maximum Emission Level (mg/Nm ³) ^{(a) (b)}
Dust (or Total Suspended Particulates)	15
Carbon Monoxide	650
NO _x	300
SO ₂	50
NMVOCs ^(c)	150
VOCs (including methane) ^(d)	1,500
HCI	10
HF	1

Notes:

- (a) All values refer to an oxygen content in the exhaust gas of 6% and dry basis.
- (b) Hourly average concentration
- (c) NMVOCs should be monitored by gas sampling and laboratory analysis at an agreed interval. For the first 12 months (starting from August 2019), monitoring should be carried out at quarterly intervals. The monitoring frequency should then be reduced to half-yearly for next 12 months (starting from August 2020). The monitoring of NMVOCs ended in August 2021.
- (d) The VOCs emission limit include methane as biogas is adopted as fuel in the combustion process.



TABLE 3.4 EMISSION LIMIT FOR ASP STACK

Parameter	Maximum Emission Level (mg/Nm ³) ^{(a) (b)}
Dust (or Total Suspended Particulates)	5
Carbon Monoxide	100
NOx	200
SO ₂	50
VOCs (including methane) (c)	20
NH ₃	35
HCI	10
HF	1

Notes:

(a) All values refer to an oxygen content in the exhaust gas of 11% and dry basis.

(b) Hourly average concentration

(c) The VOCs emission limit include methane as biogas is adopted as fuel in the combustion process.

TABLE 3.5 EMISSION LIMIT FOR STANDBY FLARING GAS UNIT ⁽²⁾

Parameter	Maximum Emission Level (mg/Nm^3) ^{(a) (b)}
Dust (or Total Suspended Particulates)	5
Carbon Monoxide	100
NO _x	200
SO ₂	50
VOCs (including methane) (c)	20
HCI	10
HF	1

Notes:

(a) All values refer to an oxygen content in the exhaust gas of 11% and dry basis.

(b) Hourly average concentration

(c) The VOCs emission limit include methane as biogas is adopted as fuel in the combustion process.

3.1.2 ODOUR

To determine the effectiveness of the proposed odour mitigation measures and to ensure that the operation of the ORRC1 will not cause adverse odour impacts, odour monitoring of the CAPCS stack (see *Section 3.1.1*), and odour patrol will be carried out.

Odour patrol shall be conducted by independent trained personnel/ competent persons in summer months (i.e. from July to September) for the first two operational years of ORRC1 at monthly intervals along an odour patrol route at the Project Site boundary as shown in *Annex*



^{(&}lt;sup>2</sup>) A standby facility; only operates when the CHPs are not in operation or when the biogas generated exceeded the utilisation rate of the CHPs.

A ⁽³⁾.

The perceived odour intensity is divided into 5 levels. *Table 3.6* describes the odour intensity for different levels.

TABLE 3.6 ODOUR INTENSITY LEVEL

Level	Odour Intensity
0	Not detected. No odour perceived or an odour so weak that it cannot be easily characterised or described
1	Slight identifiable odour, and slight chance to have odour nuisance
2	Moderate identifiable odour, and moderate chance to have odour nuisance
3	Strong identifiable, likely to have odour nuisance
4	Extreme severe odour, and unacceptable odour level

Table 3.7 shows the action level and limit level to be used for odour patrol. Should any exceedance of the action and limit levels occurs, actions in accordance with the event and action plan in *Table 3.8* should be carried out.

TABLE 3.7 ACTION AND LIMIT LEVELS FOR ODOUR NUISANCE

Parameter	Action Level	Limit Level
Odour Nuisance (from odour patrol)	When one documented compliant is received ^(a) , or Odour Intensity of 2 is measured from odour patrol.	Two or more documented complaints are received (a) within a week; or Odour intensity of 3 or above is measured from odour patrol.

Note:

(a) Once the complaint is received by the Project Proponent (EPD), the Project Proponent would investigate and verify the complaint whether it is related to the potential odour emission from the ORRC1 and its on-site wastewater treatment unit.

TABLE 3.8 EVENT AND ACTION PLAN FOR ODOUR MONITORING

Event Action by Person-in-charge of Odour Monitoring:		Action by Project Proponent: ^(a)	
	Action Lev	el	
Exceedance of action level (Odour Patrol)	 Identify source/reason of exceedance; Repeat odour patrol to confirm finding. 	 Carry out investigation to identify the source/reason of exceedance. Investigation should be completed within 2 weeks; Rectify any unacceptable practice; Implement more mitigation measures if necessary; Inform Drainage Services Department (DSD) or the operator of the Siu Ho Wan Sewage Treatment Works (SHWSTW) if 	

(³) The odour patrol route was changed during this reporting period to include sampling points that are frequently visited by visitors and eliminate sampling points that are not visited by visitors.



Event	Action by Person-in-charge of Odour Monitoring:	Action by Project Proponent: ^(a)		
		exceedance is considered to be caused by the operation of the SHWSTW.5. Inform North Lantau Refuse Transfer Station (NLTS) operator if exceedance is considered to be caused by the operation of NLTS.		
Exceedance of action level (Odour Complaints)	 Identify source/reason of exceedance; Carry out odour patrol to determinate odour intensity. 	 Carry out investigation and verify the complaint whether it is related to potential odour emission from the nearby SHWSTW; Carry out investigation to identify the source/reason of exceedance. Investigation should be completed within 2 weeks; Rectify any unacceptable practice; Implement more mitigation measures if necessary; Inform DSD or the operator of the SHWSTW if exceedance is considered to be caused by the operation of the SHWSTW. Inform NLTS operator if exceedance is considered to be caused by the operation of NLTS. 		
	Limit Leve			
Exceedance of limit level	 Identify source/reason of exceedance; Inform EPD; Repeat odour patrol to confirm findings; Increase odour patrol frequency to bi-weekly; Assess effectiveness of remedial action and keep EPD informed of the results; If exceedance stops, cease additional odour patrol. 	 Carry out investigation to identify the source/reason of exceedance. Investigation should be completed within 2 weeks; Rectify any unacceptable practice; Formulate remedial actions; Ensure remedial actions properly implemented; If exceedance continues, consider what more/enhanced mitigation measures should be implemented; Inform DSD or the operator of the SHWSTW if exceedance is considered to be caused by the operation of the SHWSTW. 		

Note:

(a) Project Proponent shall identify an implementation agent.

3.2 SITE AUDIT

Environmental mitigation measures (related to air quality, water quality, waste, land contamination, hazard-to-life, and landscape and visual) to be implemented during the operation phase of the Project are recommended in the approved EIA Report and EM&A Manual and are summarised in *Annex C*. Monthly site audits for operation phase will be carried out to check the implementation of these measures.

3.2.1 WATER QUALITY

Compliance audits are to be undertaken to ensure that a valid discharge licence has been issued by EPD prior to the discharge of effluent from the operation of the Project site. The audit shall be conducted to ensure that the effluent quality is in compliance with the discharge



licence requirements. As stipulated in the operation phase discharge licence, effluent discharge is to be sampled monthly from the outlet chamber of the Effluent Storage Tank, while effluent discharge is to be sampled bi-monthly from the Petrol Interceptors. The effluent quality shall meet the discharge limits as described in *Table 3.9* and *Table 3.10*.

TABLE 3.9 DISCHARGE LIMITS FOR EFFLUENT FROM THE OUTLET CHAMBER OF THE EFFLUENT STORAGE TANK

Parameter	Discharge Limit (mg/L)
Flow Rate (m ³ /day) ^(a)	645
pH (pH units) ^(b)	6-10 ^(c)
Suspended Solids (b)	800
Biochemical Oxygen Demand (5 days, 20°) ^(b)	800
Chemical Oxygen Demand ^(b)	2,000
Oil & Grease ^(b)	40
Total Nitrogen ^(b)	200
Total Phosphorus ^(b)	50
Surfactants (total) ^(b)	25

Notes:

(a) Flow rate is not a parameter required to be monitored and reported by the Contractor in accordance with Section B2 of the Effluent Discharge Licence under the WPCO.

- (b) Parameters required to be monitored and reported by the Contractor in accordance with Section B2 of the Effluent Discharge Licence under the WPCO.
- (c) Range.

TABLE 3.10 DISCHARGE LIMITS FOR EFFLUENT FROM THE PETROL INTERCEPTORS

Parameter	Discharge Limit (mg/L)
Flow Rate (m ³ /day)	245 ^(a)
Suspended Solids (b)	30
Chemical Oxygen Demand (c)	80
Oil & Grease ^(c)	20
Surfactants (total) ^(b)	15

Notes:

- (a) The surface runoff flow rate limit was estimated by the overall yearly rainfall data. As the actual flowrate from the petrol interceptors depends on the weather condition instead of the performance of the petrol interceptor, monitoring and reporting of this parameter is not required. Hence this parameter is not reported in *Table 4.8* and *Table 4.9*.
- (b) Parameter not required to be reported in accordance with Section B2 of the Effluent Discharge Licence under the WPCO.
- (c) Parameters required to be reported in accordance with Section B2 of the Effluent Discharge Licence under the WPCO.

3.2.2 LANDSCAPE AND VISUAL

In accordance with EM&A Manual, the landscape and visual mitigation measures shall be implemented.



For operation phase, site inspection shall be conducted once a month for the first year of operation of the Project. All measures as stated in the implementation schedule of the EM&A Manual (see *Annex C*), including compensatory planting, undertaken by both the Contractor and the specialist Landscape Sub-Contractor during the first year of the operation phase shall be audited by a Registered Landscape Architect (RLA) to ensure compliance with the intended aims of the measures and the effectiveness of the mitigation measures. After the one-year maintenance period, the landscape maintenance and monitoring shall be carried out by the Contractor.



4. MONITORING RESULTS

4.1 AIR QUALITY

4.1.1 OPERATION PHASE MONITORING

The concentrations of concerned air pollutants emitted from the stacks of the CAPCS, CHPs, ASP, and the Standby Flaring Gas Unit during the reporting period are monitored on-line by the continuous environmental monitoring system (CEMS). During the reporting period, the Standby Flaring Gas Unit operated 1 December 2024 from 00:00-11:00 and 11 December 2024 from 12:00-17:00.

With reference to the emission limits shown in *Tables 3.2, 3.3, 3.4,* and *3.5*, the hourly average concentrations and the number of exceedances of the concerned air emissions monitored for the CAPCS, CHPs, ASP and the Standby Flaring Gas Unit during the reporting period are presented in *Tables 4.1* to *4.6*.

It should be noted that measurements recorded under abnormal operating conditions, e.g. start up and stopping of stacks, unstable operation, test runs and interference of sensor, are disregarded.

TABLE 4.1 HOURLY AVERAGE OF PARAMETERS RECORDED FOR CAPCS

Parameter	Range of Hourly Average Conc. (mg/Nm ³)	Emission Limit (mg/Nm ³)	Exceedance Identified	Remarks
VOCs (including methane) ^(a)	0 – 202	680	Nil	Nil
Dust (or TSP)	0 - 491	6	Identified ^(c)	System unstable (e.g. low efficiency)
Odour (including $NH_3 \& H_2S$) ^(b)	0 – 2,056	220	Identified ^(d)	System unstable (e.g. low efficiency)

Notes:

- (a) The VOCs emission limit includes methane as biogas is adopted, as fuel in the combustion process.
- (b) The odour unit is ou/Nm^3 .
- (c) Dates with Dust exceedances (number of exceedances on that day) were identified on 2(12) and 17(2) December 2024.
- (d) Dates with Odour exceedances (number of exceedances on that day) were identified on 1(24), 2(19), 3(24), 4(24), 5(24), 6(4), 7(5), 8(7), 9(6), 10(7), 11(13), 12(16), 13(13), 14(3), 15(13), 16(16), 17(13), 18(13), 19(7), 20(1), 21(4), 23(2), 24(4), 26(6), 27(3), and 31(13) December 2024.

TABLE 4.2 HOURLY AVERAGE OF PARAMETERS RECORDED FOR CHP 1

Parameter	Range of Hourly Average Conc. (mg/Nm ³) ^(a)	Emission Limit (mg/Nm³)	Exceedance Identified	Remarks
Dust (or TSP)	0 - 14	15	Nil	Nil
Carbon Monoxide	0 - 544	650	Nil	Nil
NO _x	0 - 587	300	Identified ^(c)	System unstable (e.g. low efficiency)
SO ₂	0 - 67	50	Identified ^(d)	System unstable (e.g. low efficiency)



Parameter	Range of Hourly Average Conc. (mg/Nm ³) ^(a)	Emission Limit (mg/Nm³)	Exceedance Identified	Remarks
VOCs (including methane) $^{(b)}$	0 - 517	1,500	Nil	Nil
HCI	0 - 6	10	Nil	Nil
HF	0 - 1	1	Nil	Nil

Notes:

(a) All values refer to an oxygen content in the exhaust gas of 6% and dry basis.

- (b) The VOCs emission limit include methane as biogas is adopted as fuel in the combustion process. (c) Dates with NO_x exceedances (number of exceedances on that day) were identified on 1(24), 2(24), 3(24), 4(19), 5(5), 6(2), 10(2), 11(5), 12(14), 13(24), 14(24), 15(24), 16(16), 17(24), 18(24),
- 19(24), 20(24), 21(24), 22(24), 23(24), 24(24), 25(11), 28(2), 30(2), and 31(1) December 2024. (d) Dates with SO₂ exceedances (number of exceedances on that day) were identified on 12(2), 13(2), 14(13), 15(4), 16(7), and 17(3) December 2024.

TABLE 4.3 HOURLY AVERAGE OF PARAMETERS RECORDED FOR CHP 2

Parameter	Range of Hourly Average Conc. (mg/Nm ³) ^(a)	Emission Limit (mg/Nm³)	Exceedance Identified	Remarks
Dust (or TSP)	0 - 15	15	Nil	Nil
Carbon Monoxide	0 - 514	650	Nil	Nil
NO _x	0 - 445	300	Identified ^(c)	System unstable (e.g. low efficiency)
SO ₂	0 - 46	50	Nil	Nil
VOCs (including methane) ^(b)	0 – 265	1,500	Nil	Nil
HCI	0 – 3	10	Nil	Nil
HF	0 - 1	1	Nil	Nil

Notes:

(a) All values refer to an oxygen content in the exhaust gas of 6% and dry basis.

(b) The VOCs emission limit include methane as biogas is adopted as fuel in the combustion process.

(c) Dates with NO_x exceedances (number of exceedances on that day) were identified on 5(3), 6(5),

8(4), 9(16), 10(16), 11(14), and 13(14) December 2024.

TABLE 4.4 HOURLY AVERAGE OF PARAMETERS RECORDED FOR CHP 3

Parameter	Range of Hourly Average Conc. (mg/Nm ³) ^(a)	Emission Limit (mg/Nm ³)	Exceedance Identified	Remarks
Dust (or TSP)	0 – 5	15	Nil	Nil
Carbon Monoxide	0 - 127	650	Nil	Nil
NO _x	0 - 605	300	Identified ^(c)	System unstable (e.g. low efficiency)



Parameter	Range of Hourly Average Conc. (mg/Nm ³) ^(a)	Emission Limit (mg/Nm ³)	Exceedance Identified	Remarks
SO ₂	0 - 37	50	Nil	Nil
VOCs (including methane) $^{(b)}$	0 - 1,113	1,500	Nil	Nil
HCI	0 - 41	10	Identified ^(d)	System unstable (e.g. low efficiency)
HF	0 - 1	1	Nil	Nil

Notes:

- (a) All values refer to an oxygen content in the exhaust gas of 6% and dry basis.
- (b) The VOCs emission limit include methane as biogas is adopted as fuel in the combustion process. (c) Dates with NO_x exceedances (number of exceedances on that day) were identified on 1(3), 2(2), 2(1) - 4(2) - 5(3) - 6(14) - 7(3) - 8(3) - 10(2) - 12(5) - 16(12) - 17(1) - 18(4) - 10(3) - 20(14)
- 3(1), 4(2), 5(7), 6(14), 7(7), 8(7), 10(2), 11(6), 12(5), 16(12), 17(1), 18(4), 19(7), 20(14), 21(5), 23(3), 24(3), 26(2), 27(11), 28(1), 29(9), 30(4), and 31(4) December 2024.
- (d) Date with HCl exceedances (number of exceedances on that day) was identified on 23(1) December 2024.

TABLE 4.5 HOURLY AVERAGE OF PARAMETERS RECORDED FOR ASP

Parameter	Range of Hourly Average Conc. (mg/Nm ³) ^(a)	Emission Limit (mg/Nm ³)	Exceedance Identified	Remarks
Dust (or TSP)	0 - 4	5	Nil	Nil
Carbon Monoxide	0 – 94	100	Nil	Nil
NO _x	0 - 1,078	200	Identified ^(c)	System unstable (e.g. low efficiency)
SO ₂	0 - 233	50	Identified ^(d)	System unstable (e.g. low efficiency)
VOCs (including methane) ^(b)	0 - 7	20	Nil	Nil
NH ₃	0 - 182	35	Identified ^(e)	System unstable (e.g. low efficiency)
HCI	0 - 9	10	Nil	Nil
HF	0 - 1	1	Nil	Nil

Notes:

- (a) All values refer to an oxygen content in the exhaust gas of 6% and dry basis.
- (b) The VOCs emission limit include methane as biogas is adopted as fuel in the combustion process. (c) Dates with NO_x exceedances (number of exceedances on that day) were identified on 1(23),
- 2(23), 3(22), 4(23), 5(20), 6(24), 7(20), 8(24), 9(9), 10(17), 11(23), 12(23), 13(21), 14(20), 15(24), 16(22), 17(23), 18(23), 19(24), 20(17), 21(18), 22(17), 23(18), 24(24), 25(24), 26(23), 27(6), 28(20), 29(23), 30(11), and 31(16) December 2024.
- (d) Dates with SO₂ exceedances (number of exceedances on that day) were identified on 1(24), 2(22), 3(18), 4(21), 5(21), 6(24), 7(23), 8(24), 9(9), 10(17), 11(22), 12(23), 13(21), 14(22), 15(24), 16(22), 17(23), 18(17), and 19(10) December 2024.
- (e) Dates with NH₃ exceedances (number of exceedances on that day) were identified on 1(5), 2(7), 3(7), 4(9), 5(3), 6(2), 7(2), 8(6), 9(3), 10(9), 11(12), 12(3), 13(2), 14(5), 15(1), 16(2), 18(10), 20(4), 21(12), 22(9), 23(6), 24(3), 26(4), 27(3), 28(5), 29(3), and 31(2) December 2024.



TABLE 4.6 HOURLY AVERAGE OF PARAMETERS RECORDED FOR THE STANDBY FLARING GAS UNIT

Parameter	Range of Hourly Average Conc. (mg/Nm ³) ^{(a) (c)}	Emission Limit (mg/Nm ³)	Exceedance Identified	Remarks
Dust (or TSP)	0 - 0	5	Nil	Nil
Carbon Monoxide	0 - 9	100	Nil	Nil
NO _x	0 - 0	200	Nil	Nil
SO ₂	0 - 2	50	Nil	Nil
VOCs (including methane) $^{(b)}$	0 – 5	20	Nil	Nil
HCI	0 - 0	10	Nil	Nil
HF	0 - 1	1	Nil	Nil

Notes:

(a) All values refer to an oxygen content in the exhaust gas of 6% and dry basis.

(b) The VOCs emission limit include methane as biogas is adopted as fuel in the combustion process.

4.2 ODOUR

4.2.1 OPERATION PHASE MONITORING

No monthly odour patrol was required to be conducted for this reporting period. A summary of the ad-hoc odour patrols related to the odour nuisance complaint dated 9 October 2024 are presented in *Section 6.2* and *Annex F*.

4.3 WATER QUALITY

4.3.1 OPERATION PHASE MONITORING

Effluent discharge is sampled from the outlet chamber of the Effluent Storage Tank monthly and from the Petrol Interceptor(s) bi-monthly as stipulated in the operation phase discharge licence. The results of the discharge samples from the outlet chamber of the Effluent Storage Tank are recorded in *Table 4.7* and the results from the Petrol Interceptor samples are recorded in *Tables 4.8 – 4.9*.

Discharge sample from the outlet chamber of the Effluent Storage tank was collected 27 December 2024, but the laboratory report and result remain pending as at the date of this EM&A report submission. Sample from Petrol Interceptor 2 was collected on 25 December 2024, but the laboratory report and result remain pending as at the date of this EM&A report submission. The outstanding Treated Effluent and Petrol Interceptor 2 data will be presented in the subsequent monthly EM&A report once the lab results have been received.

TABLE 4.7 RESULTS OF THE DISCHARGE SAMPLE FROM THE OUTLET CHAMBER OF THE EFFLUENT STORAGE TANK

Parameter	Discharged Effluent Concentration (mg/L)	Discharge Limit (mg/L)	Compliance with Discharge Limit
Flow Rate (m ³ /day) ^(a)	195 ^{(e) (f)}	645	Yes
pH (pH units) ^(b)	7.9 - 8.3 ^(e)	6 - 10 ^(c)	Yes



Parameter	Discharged Effluent Concentration (mg/L)	Discharge Limit (mg/L)	Compliance with Discharge Limit
Suspended Solids (b) (d)	pending ^(d)	800	pending
Biochemical Oxygen Demand (5 days, 20°) (b) (d)	pending ^(d)	800	pending
Chemical Oxygen Demand ^(b)	pending ^(d)	2,000	pending
Oil & Grease ^{(b) (d)}	pending ^(d)	40	pending
Total Nitrogen ^{(b) (d)}	pending ^(d)	200	pending
Total Phosphorus ^{(b) (d)}	pending ^(d)	50	pending
Surfactants (total) ^{(b)(d)}	pending ^(d)	25	pending

Notes:

- (a) Parameter not required to be reported in accordance with Section B2 of the Effluent Discharge Licence under the WPCO.
- (b) Parameters required to be reported in accordance with Section B2 of the Effluent Discharge Licence under the WPCO.
- (c) Daily Range.
- (d) Sample collected on 27 December 2024; the pending data will be presented in the subsequent monthly EM&A report once the lab results have been received.
- (e) Data collected daily.
- (f) Maximum daily volume of wastewater discharged during the month.

TABLE 4.8 RESULTS OF THE DISCHARGE SAMPLE FROM THE PETROL INTERCEPTOR 1

Parameter	Discharged Effluent Concentration (mg/L)	Discharge Limit (mg/L)	Compliance with Discharge Limit
Suspended Solids (b)	4 ^(a)	30	Yes
Chemical Oxygen Demand (c)	15 ^(a)	80	Yes
Oil & Grease (c)	<5 ^(a)	20	Yes
Surfactants (total) ^(b)	<1 ^(a)	15	Yes

Notes:

- (a) Petrol Interceptor 1 collected on 11 December 2024.
- (b) Parameter not required to be reported in accordance with Section B2 of the Effluent Discharge Licence under the WPCO.
- (c) Parameters required to be reported in accordance with Section B2 of the Effluent Discharge Licence under the WPCO.

TABLE 4.9 RESULTS OF THE DISCHARGE SAMPLE FROM THE PETROL INTERCEPTOR 2

Parameter	Discharged Effluent Concentration (mg/L)	Discharge Limit (mg/L)	Compliance with Discharge Limit
Suspended Solids (b)	pending ^(a)	30	pending
Chemical Oxygen Demand (c)	pending ^(a)	80	pending
Oil & Grease ^(c)	pending ^(a)	20	pending
Surfactants (total) ^(b)	pending ^(a)	15	pending

Notes:

(a) Sample collected on 25 December 2024; the pending data will be presented in the subsequent monthly EM&A report once the lab results have been received.

(b) Parameter not required to be reported in accordance with Section B2 of the Effluent Discharge



Parameter	Discharged Effluent	Discharge	Compliance with
	Concentration (mg/L)	Limit (mg/L)	Discharge Limit

Licence under the WPCO.

(c) Parameters required to be reported in accordance with Section B2 of the Effluent Discharge Licence under the WPCO.

4.4 WASTE MANAGEMENT

4.4.1 OPERATION PHASE MONITORING

Wastes generated from the operation of the Project include chemical waste, wastes generated from pre-treatment process and general refuse ⁽⁴⁾. Reference has been made to the Monthly Summary Waste Flow Table prepared by the Contractor (see *Annex D*). With reference to the relevant handling records and trip tickets of this Project, the quantities of different types of waste generated from the operation of the Project in the reporting month are summarised in *Table 4.10*.

TABLE 4.10 QUANTITIES OF WASTE GENERATED FROM THE OPERATION OF THE PROJECT

Month / Year	Chemical Waste	Waste Generated from Pre-treatment Process		General Refuse	
	Disposed of at CWTC	Disposed of at Landfill ^(a)	Recycled ^(b)	Disposed of at Landfill ^(a)	Recycled ^(c)
December 2024	1,020 L ^{(d)(e)}	1,242.66 tonnes	0.000 tonnes	2.765 tonnes ^(e)	0.045 tonnes

Notes:

(a) Waste generated from pre-treatment process and general refuse other than chemical waste and recyclables were disposed of at NENT Landfill by sub-contractors.

(b) Among waste generated from pre-treatment process, 0.000 tonnes of metals, 0.000 tonnes of papers/cardboard packing and 0.000 tonnes of plastics were sent to recyclers for recycling during the reporting period.

(c) Among general refuse, 0.000 tonnes of metals, 0.040 tonnes of papers/cardboard packing and 0.005 tonnes of plastics were sent to recyclers for recycling during the reporting period.

- (d) 1,020 L of chemical waste (1,000 L of spent lube oil and 20 L of spent acid) were disposed of at CWTC during the reporting period.
- (e) It was assumed that four 240-litre bins filled with 80% of general refuse were collected at each collection. The general refuse density was assumed to be around 0.15 kg/L.



^{(&}lt;sup>4</sup>) Public fill and construction waste may only be generated during maintenance works when there are civil or structural works.

5. SITE AUDIT

5.1 ENVIRONMENTAL SITE AUDIT

5.1.1 OPERATION PHASE

The monthly inspection for the operation phase of the Project on 17 December 2024 covered the operation phase environmental site audit. Joint site inspection was conducted by representatives of the Contractor, IEC, and the MT as required for the operation of the Project.

The audits checked the implementation of the recommended mitigation measures for air quality, landscape and visual, water quality, waste (land contamination) and hazard-to-life stated in the Implementation Schedule (see *Annex C*).

Key observations during the reporting period are summarised as follows:

17 December 2024

• No particular observation during this inspection.

The Contractor has implemented the environmental mitigation measures recommended in the approved EIA Report and EM&A Manual.

5.2 LANDSCAPE AND AUDIT

Inspection of the landscape and visual mitigation measures for the operation phase of the Project was performed on 17 December 2024.

It was confirmed that the necessary landscape and visual mitigation measures during the operation phase as summarised in *Annex C* were generally implemented by the Contractor. No specific observation was found during the joint site inspection on 17 December 2024. No non-compliance in relation to the landscape and visual mitigation measures was identified during the site audits in this reporting period and therefore no further actions are required. The ET/MT will keep track of the EM&A programme to check compliance with environmental requirements and the proper implementation of all necessary mitigation measures.



6. ENVIRONMENTAL NON-CONFORMANCE AND DEFICIENCIES

6.1 SUMMARY OF ENVIRONMENTAL NON-COMPLIANCE AND DEFICIENCIES

Non-compliance of emission limits of Dust and Total Odour from CAPCS; NO_x and SO_2 from CHP1; NO_x from CHP2; NO_x and HCl from CHP3; and NO_x , SO_2 , and NH_3 from the ASP were recorded during the reporting period.

The Contractor has reviewed the organic waste treatment processes (i.e. waste reception, waste pre-treatment, anaerobic digesters, and composting processes) and found that they were operated normally during the reporting period. The Contractor has investigated the de-sulphurisation system, the CAPCS, CHPs, and the ASP; the potential causes for the exceedance were identified.

The investigation reports of the above exceedances are presented in Annex F.

An overview of the various measures/ actions to be taken by the Contractor to address any exceedances is summarised in *Table 6.1*.

Monitoring Location	Measures/ Actions to Address any Exceedances	Implementation Timeline & Status
Centralised Air Pollution Unit (CAPCS)	 To address the exceedances for Total Odour (ou/Nm³) recorded in January 2024 – February 2024, the Contractor ordered a new H₂S / ORP sensor to replace the faulty one which was installed on 23 May 2024. The cleaning of the ventilation pumps was conducted in April 2024. The Contractor further identified that the ongoing exceedances for Dust, Total Odour, and VOCs from August 2024 – December 2024 were caused by chemical pipeline leakage, sensor issues, and the inefficiency of the chemical scrubber. Fine-tuning measures and adjustment in the operation of the system were implemented in October 2024. An enclosure has been set up to protect the VOC and H₂S sensors, and an ozone deodorization unit has been installed as of November 2024. An air sample was also taken to compare the sensor data. 	The Contractor will repair the leakage in the chemical pipeline and clean the chemical scrubber in January 2025.
Cogeneration Unit 1 (CHP 1)	 To address the ongoing NO_x exceedances recorded from October 2023 – December 2024, the Contractor ordered 3 new cylinder heads from the supplier to replace the old ones and improve performance which were installed in May 2024. To address the SO₂ exceedances recorded from October 2023 – June 2024, August 2024, and November – December 2024, SO₂ sampling and testing was completed by a third-party laboratory that showed lower SO₂ values than those reported by the CEMS. The 	 Contractor ordered spare parts for the CHPs which arrived in December 2024 and installation schedule is pending from the Contractor. The Contractor will complete the cleaning of silicon deposits on the cylinder heads and the exhaust heat

TABLE 6.1 IMPLEMENTATION OF MEASURES/ ACTIONS TO ADDRESS ANY EXCEEDANCES



	 lower values measured by the laboratory was attributed to methane gas interference. Based on this study, it was proposed to implement a correction factor in the CEMS to adjust for the methane gas interference. After review by MT and IEC, the correction factor was implemented in May 2024. The Contractor received additional training for operation of the CHPs during December 2024. The fine-tuning measures were implemented during May 2024, and a further tuning was carried out on 12 August 2024. To address the HCl exceedances recorded from October 2023 – April 2024, July 2024, and September – October 2024, the Contractor implemented in May 2024 fine tuning measures such as reviewing the ignition temperature curve, spark plug condition check and adjusting the intake & exhaust valves on the cylinder to reduce the fluctuations in HCl emissions and keep within the permissible limit. A CHP expert from Europe visited the ORRC1 facility in August 2024 to review the performance of the CHPs and recommended various spare parts be replaced. The Contractor identified that a buildup of silicon deposits on the cylinder heads of the CHPs is preventing the engines from reaching full loading and will require cleaning to resolve. 	exchanger replacement works by Q1 2025.
Cogeneration Unit 2 (CHP 2)	 To address the ongoing NO_x exceedances recorded from October 2023 – October 2024 and December 2024, fine tuning of CHP 2 such as reviewing the ignition temperature curve, spark plug condition check and adjusting the intake & exhaust valves on the cylinder was conducted in May 2024 to reduce the fluctuations in NO_x emissions and to keep within the permissible limit. To address the SO₂ exceedances recorded from October 2023 – April 2024, SO₂ sampling and testing was completed by a third-party laboratory that showed lower SO₂ values than those reported by the CEMS. The lower values measured by the laboratory was attributed to methane gas interference. Based on this study, it was proposed to implement a correction factor in the CEMS to adjust for the methane gas interference. After review by MT and IEC, the correction factor was implemented in May 2024. To address the HCl exceedances recorded from November 2023 and April 2024, the Contractor implemented fine tuning measures such as reviewing the ignition temperature curve, spark plug condition check and adjusting the intake & exhaust valves on the cylinder to reduce the fluctuations in HCl emissions and keep within the permissible 	 Contractor ordered spare parts for the CHPs which arrived in December 2024 and installation schedule is pending from the Contractor. The Contractor will complete the cleaning of silicon deposits on the cylinder heads and the exhaust heat exchanger replacement works by Q1 2025.



	 limit. A CHP expert from Europe visited the ORRC1 facility in August 2024 to review the performance of the CHPs and recommended various spare parts be replaced. A further tuning was carried out for the CHP on 12 August 2024. The Contractor will receive additional advanced training from the manufacturer for the operation and maintenance of the equipment. The Contractor identified that a buildup of silicon deposits on the cylinder heads of the CHPs is preventing the engines from reaching full loading and will require cleaning to resolve. The Contractor received additional training for operation of the CHPs during December 2024. 	
Cogeneration Unit 3 (CHP 3)	 To address the ongoing NO_x exceedances, fine tuning measures of CHP 3 were implemented in May 2024 such as reviewing the ignition temperature curve, spark plug condition check and adjusting the intake & exhaust valves on the cylinder to reduce the fluctuations in NO_x emissions and to keep within the permissible limit. To address the SO₂ exceedances recorded from October 2023 – April 2024, SO₂ sampling and testing was completed by a third-party laboratory that showed lower SO₂ values than those reported by the CEMS. The lower values measured by the laboratory was attributed to methane gas interference. Based on this study, it was proposed to implement a correction factor in the CEMS to adjust for the methane gas interference. After review by MT and IEC, the correction factor was implemented in May 2024. A CHP expert from Europe visited the ORRC1 facility in August 2024 to review the performance of the CHPs and recommended various spare parts be replaced. The Contractor will receive additional advanced training from the manufacturer for the operation and maintenance of the CHPs is preventing the engines from reaching full loading and will require cleaning to resolve. The Contractor received additional training for operation of the CHPs during December 2024. 	 Contractor ordered spare parts for the CHPs which arrived in December 2024 and installation schedule is pending from the Contractor. The Contractor will complete the cleaning of silicon deposits on the cylinder heads and the exhaust heat exchanger replacement works by Q1 2025.
Ammonia Stripping Plant (ASP)	• To address the ongoing NO _x exceedances recorded from October 2023 – December 2024, the Contractor conducted an overhaul of the ASP and arranged for a visit by the supplier to improve the reliability and performance of the system. The overhaul was completed 6 May 2024.	 A visit from the supplier to inspect the ASP has been delayed from December 2024 to Q1 2025. The Contractor in working on
	• To address the ongoing SO ₂ exceedances	implementing further



 recorded from October 2023 – December 2024, SO₂ sampling and testing was completed by a third-party laboratory that showed lower SO₂ values than those reported by the CEMS. The lower values measured by the laboratory was attributed to methane gas interference. Based on this study, it was proposed to implement a correction factor in the CEMS to adjust for the methane gas interference. After review by MT and IEC, the correction factor was implemented in May 2024. To address the ongoing NH₃ exceedances recorded from October 2023 – December 2024, the Contractor conducted an overhaul of the ASP and arranged for a visit by the supplier. 	fine-tuning measures for the ASP since December 2024.
 To address the HCl exceedances recorded from October 2023 – May 2024 and August 2024 – November 2024, the Contractor conducted an overhaul of the ASP and arranged for a visit by the supplier. The automatic situation of the TCU louvres has been resolved as of October 2024. 	

Monitoring Location	Measures/ Actions to Address any Exceedances	Implementation Timeline & Status
Centralised Air Pollution Unit (CAPCS)	 To address the exceedances for Total Odour (ou/Nm³) recorded in January 2024 – February 2024, the Contractor ordered a new H₂S / ORP sensor to replace the faulty one which was installed on 23 May 2024. The cleaning of the ventilation pumps was conducted in April 2024. The Contractor further identified that the ongoing exceedances for Dust, Total Odour, and VOCs from August 2024 – December 2024 were caused by chemical pipeline leakage, sensor issues, and the inefficiency of the chemical scrubber. Fine-tuning measures and adjustment in the operation of the system were implemented in October 2024. An enclosure has been set up to protect the VOC and H₂S sensors, and an ozone deodorization unit has been installed as of November 2024. An air sample was also taken to compare the sensor data. 	• The Contractor will repair the leakage in the chemical pipeline and clean the chemical scrubber in January 2025.
Cogeneration Unit 1 (CHP 1)	 To address the ongoing NO_x exceedances recorded from October 2023 – December 2024, the Contractor ordered 3 new cylinder heads from the supplier to replace the old ones and improve performance which were installed in May 2024. To address the SO₂ exceedances recorded from October 2023 – June 2024, August 2024, and November – December 2024, SO₂ sampling and testing was completed by a third-party laboratory that showed lower SO₂ values than those reported by the CEMS. The lower values measured by the laboratory was 	 Contractor ordered spare parts for the CHPs which arrived in December 2024 and installation schedule is pending from the Contractor. The Contractor will complete the cleaning of silicon deposits on the cylinder heads and the exhaust heat exchanger replacement



	 attributed to methane gas interference. Based on this study, it was proposed to implement a correction factor in the CEMS to adjust for the methane gas interference. After review by MT and IEC, the correction factor was implemented in May 2024. The Contractor received additional training for operation of the CHPs during December 2024. The fine-tuning measures were implemented during May 2024, and a further tuning was carried out on 12 August 2024. To address the HCI exceedances recorded from October 2023 – April 2024, July 2024, and September – October 2024, the Contractor implemented in May 2024 fine tuning measures such as reviewing the ignition temperature curve, spark plug condition check and adjusting the intake & exhaust valves on the cylinder to reduce the fluctuations in HCI emissions and keep within the permissible limit. A CHP expert from Europe visited the ORRC1 facility in August 2024 to review the performance of the CHPs and recommended various spare parts be replaced. The Contractor will receive additional advanced training from the manufacturer for the operation and maintenance of the equipment. The Contractor identified that a buildup of silicon deposits on the cylinder heads of the CHPs is preventing the engines from reaching full loading and will require cleaning to resolve. 	works by Q1 2025.
Cogeneration Unit 2 (CHP 2)	 To address the ongoing NO_x exceedances recorded from October 2023 – October 2024 and December 2024, fine tuning of CHP 2 such as reviewing the ignition temperature curve, spark plug condition check and adjusting the intake & exhaust valves on the cylinder was conducted in May 2024 to reduce the fluctuations in NO_x emissions and to keep within the permissible limit. To address the SO₂ exceedances recorded from October 2023 – April 2024, SO₂ sampling and testing was completed by a third-party laboratory that showed lower SO₂ values than those reported by the CEMS. The lower values measured by the laboratory was attributed to methane gas interference. Based on this study, it was proposed to implement a correction factor in the CEMS to adjust for the methane gas interference. After review by MT and IEC, the correction factor was implemented in May 2024. To address the HCI exceedances recorded from November 2023 and April 2024, the Contractor implemented fine tuning measures such as reviewing the ignition temperature curve, spark plug condition check and adjusting the intake & exhaust valves on the cylinder to reduce the fluctuations in HCI emissions and keep within the permissible limit. 	 Contractor ordered spare parts for the CHPs which arrived in December 2024 and installation schedule is pending from the Contractor. The Contractor will complete the cleaning of silicon deposits on the cylinder heads and the exhaust heat exchanger replacement works by Q1 2025.



	 A CHP expert from Europe visited the ORRC1 facility in August 2024 to review the performance of the CHPs and recommended various spare parts be replaced. A further tuning was carried out for the CHP on 12 August 2024. The Contractor will receive additional advanced training from the manufacturer for the operation and maintenance of the equipment. The Contractor identified that a buildup of silicon deposits on the cylinder heads of the CHPs is preventing the engines from reaching full loading and will require cleaning to resolve. The Contractor received additional training for operation of the CHPs during December 2024. 	
Cogeneration Unit 3 (CHP 3)	 To address the ongoing NO_x exceedances, fine tuning measures of CHP 3 were implemented in May 2024 such as reviewing the ignition temperature curve, spark plug condition check and adjusting the intake & exhaust valves on the cylinder to reduce the fluctuations in NO_x emissions and to keep within the permissible limit. To address the SO₂ exceedances recorded from October 2023 – April 2024, SO₂ sampling and testing was completed by a third-party laboratory that showed lower SO₂ values than those reported by the CEMS. The lower values measured by the laboratory was attributed to methane gas interference. Based on this study, it was proposed to implement a correction factor in the CEMS to adjust for the methane gas interference. After review by MT and IEC, the correction factor was implemented in May 2024. A further tuning was carried out on 12 August 2024. A CHP expert from Europe visited the ORRC1 facility in August 2024 to review the performance of the CHPs and recommended various spare parts be replaced. The Contractor identified that a buildup of silicon deposits on the cylinder heads of the CHPs is preventing the engines from reaching full loading and will require cleaning to resolve. The Contractor received additional training for operation of the CHPs during December 2024. 	 Contractor ordered spare parts for the CHPs which arrived in December 2024 and installation schedule is pending from the Contractor. The Contractor will complete the cleaning of silicon deposits on the cylinder heads and the exhaust heat exchanger replacement works by Q1 2025.
Ammonia Stripping Plant (ASP)	 To address the ongoing NO_x exceedances recorded from October 2023 – December 2024, the Contractor conducted an overhaul of the ASP and arranged for a visit by the supplier to improve the reliability and performance of the system. The overhaul was completed 6 May 2024. To address the ongoing SO₂ exceedances recorded from October 2023 – December 	 A visit from the supplier to inspect the ASP has been delayed from December 2024 to Q1 2025. The Contractor in working on implementing further fine-tuning measures for



•	 2024, SO₂ sampling and testing was completed by a third-party laboratory that showed lower SO₂ values than those reported by the CEMS. The lower values measured by the laboratory was attributed to methane gas interference. Based on this study, it was proposed to implement a correction factor in the CEMS to adjust for the methane gas interference. After review by MT and IEC, the correction factor was implemented in May 2024. To address the ongoing NH₃ exceedances recorded from October 2023 – December 2024, the Contractor conducted an overhaul of the ASP and arranged for a visit by the supplier. To address the HCl exceedances recorded from October 2024 and August 2024 – November 2024, the Contractor conducted an arranged for a visit by the supplier. The automatic situation of the TCU louvres has been resolved as of October 2024. 	the ASP since December 2024.
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6.2 SUMMARY OF ENVIRONMENTAL COMPLAINT

No complaint was received during the reporting period. The previous environmental complaint regarding odour nuisance lodged against the facility on 9 October 2024 remained under investigation as at the date of the October 2024 EM&A report. The investigation report of this complaint is now presented in *Annex F*.

6.3 SUMMARY OF ENVIRONMENTAL SUMMON AND SUCCESSFUL PROSECUTION

No summon/ prosecution was received during the reporting period. The cumulative summons/ prosecution log is shown in *Annex E*.



7. FUTURE KEY ISSUES

7.1 KEY ISSUES FOR THE COMING MONTH

Activities to be undertaken for the coming reporting period are:

- Operation of the Project; and
- Repair to the leakage in the chemical pipeline of the CAPCS.



8. CONCLUSIONS

This EM&A Report presents the EM&A programme undertaken during the reporting period from **1 to 31 December 2024** in accordance with the EM&A Manual (Version F) and requirements of EP (FEP-01/395/2010/C).

For the operation phase, exceedances of the emission limits for the CAPCS, CHPs, and the ASP were recorded under normal operating conditions during the reporting period (see *Table 8.1*).

TABLE 8.1	EXCEEDANCES	FOR	STACK	EMISSIONS
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Stack	Exceedances During the Reporting Period	
CAPCS	 Exceeded emission limit of Dust on 2 and 17 December 2024. Exceeded emission limit of Total Odour on 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 23, 24, 26, 27, and 31 December 2024. 	
Cogeneration Unit 1 (CHP 1)	 Exceeded emission limit of NO_x on 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 28, 30, and 31 December 2024. Exceeded emission limit of SO₂ on 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, and 17 December 2024. 	
Cogeneration Unit 2 (CHP 2)	- Exceeded emission limit of $NO_{\rm x}$ on 5, 6, 8, 9, 10, 11, and 13 December 2024.	
Cogeneration Unit 3 (CHP 3)	 Exceeded emission limit of NO_x on 1, 2, 3, 5, 4, 6, 7, 8, 10, 11, 12, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 23, 24, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, and 31 December 2024. Exceeded emission limit of HCl on 23 December 2024. 	
Ammonia Stripping Plant (ASP)	 Exceeded emission limit of NOx on 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, and 31 December 2024. Exceeded emission limit of SO₂ on 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, and 19 December 2024. Exceeded emission limit of NH₃ on 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 18, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 26, 27, 28, 29, and 31 December 2024. 	

Non-compliance of emission limits of Dust and Total Odour from CAPCS; NO_x and SO₂ from CHP1; NO_x from CHP2; NO_x and HCl from CHP3; and NO_x, SO₂, and NH₃ from the ASP were recorded during the reporting period. The exceedances of Dust and Total Odour from the CAPCS; NO_x, SO₂, and HCl from the CHPs; and NO_x, SO₂, and NH₃, from the ASP occurred due to system instability.

No complaint was received during the reporting period. The previous environmental complaint regarding odour nuisance lodged against the facility on 9 October 2024 remained under investigation as at the date of the October 2024 EM&A report. The investigation report of this complaint is now presented in *Annex F*.

All analytes from the Petrol Interceptor 1 sampled on 11 December 2024 were recorded to be in compliance with discharge limits during the reporting period. Discharge sample from the outlet chamber of the Effluent Storage tank was collected on 27 December 2024, but the laboratory report and result remain pending as at the date of this EM&A report submission. Sample from Petrol Interceptor 2 was collected on 25 December 2024, but the laboratory report and result remain pending as at the date of this EM&A report submission. The outstanding Treated Effluent and Petrol Interceptor 2 data will be presented in the subsequent monthly EM&A report once the lab results have been received.



The Contractor has reviewed the organic waste treatment processes (i.e. waste reception, waste pre-treatment, anaerobic digesters, and composting processes) and found that they were operated normally during the reporting period. The Contractor has investigated the desulphurisation system, the CAPCS, CHPs, and the ASP; the potential causes for the exceedances were identified.

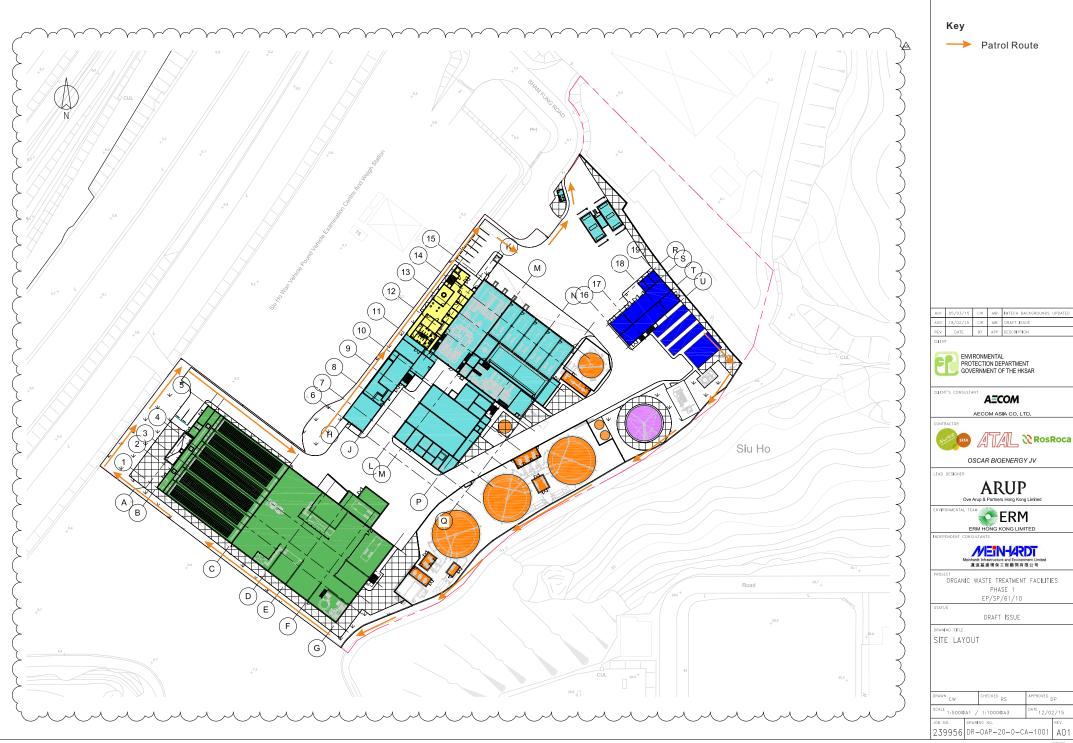
The environmental control/ mitigation measures related to air quality, water quality, waste (including land contamination prevention), hazard-to-life and landscape and visual recommended in the approved EIA Report and the EM&A Manual were properly implemented by the Contractor during the reporting month.

Monthly landscape and visual monitoring were conducted in the reporting period. The necessary landscape and visual mitigation measures recommended in the approved EIA Report were generally implemented by the Contractor.





ANNEX A PROJECT LAYOUT



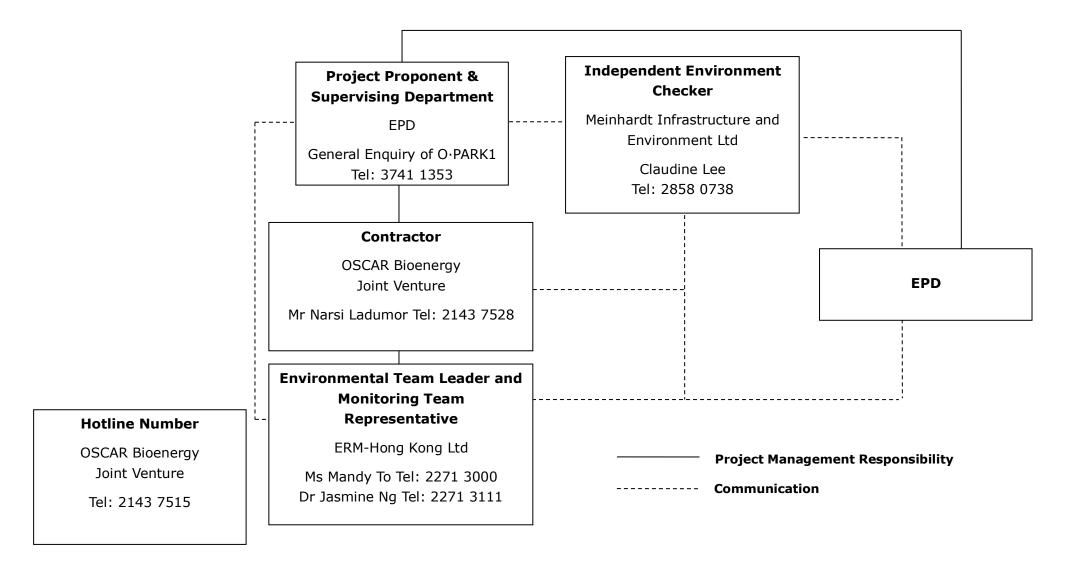


ANNEX B

PROJECT ORGANISATION CHART WITH CONTACT DETAILS



PROJECT ORGANISATION (WITH CONTACT DETAILS)







ANNEX C

IMPLEMENTATION SCHEDULE OF MITIGATION MEASURES



SUMMARY OF MITIGATION MEASURES IMPLEMENTATION SCHEDULE FOR OPERATION PHASE

EIA Ref.	EM&A Log Ref.	Environmental Protection Measures	Location/Timing	Status
		Summary of Environmental Mitigation Measures in the EIA and EM&A M	1anual	
		A. Air Quality		
3.78	2.7 & 2.13 - 2.19	 <u>Air Pollution Control (Construction Dust) Regulation & Good Site Practices</u> Commissioning tests shall be conducted to confirm the centralized air pollution control unit, the cogen units, the standby flaring unit and ASP against the design emission levels as stated in Tables 2.2 - 2.5. Odour monitoring shall be conducted at the stack exhaust of the centralized air pollution control unit weekly in the first month of the commissioning stage. 	OWTF Stacks/ During Commissioning Stage	√
3.78	2.7-2.12	 <u>Air Pollution Control and Stack Monitoring</u> Stack monitoring shall be installed for the centralized air pollution control unit, cogen units and ASP of OWTF to ensure that the air emissions from OWTF would meet the design emission limits as well as EPD criteria. 	During Operation	√
3.78	2.20- 2.28	Odour Patrol at site boundary of OWTF	OWTF Site Boundary/During Operation (The need to continue the odour patrol after the end of the 2-year monitoring period would depend on the monitoring results and should be agreed with EPD)	N/A

B. Hazard to Life



EIA Ref.	EM&A Log Ref.	Environmental Protection Measures	Location/Timing	Status
4.103	3.4	 Operation Phase 3m high fence should be constructed along the boundary facing the SHWWTW Emergency evacuation procedures should be formulated and the Contractor should ensure on site staff should be familiar with these procedures. Diagram showing the escape routes to a safe place should be posted in the site notice boards and at the entrance/exit of site. A copy of the latest version emergency procedures should be dispatched to Tung Chung Fire Station for reference once available. The emergency procedures should specify means of providing a rapid and direct warning (e.g. Siren and Flashing Light) to personnel on site in the event of chlorine gas release in the SHWWTW. The Contractor should establish a communication channel with the SHWWTW operation personnel and FSD. In case of any hazardous incidents in the treatment works, operation personnel of SHWWTW should advise the Contractor should appoint a Liaison Officer to communicate with FSD Incident Commander on site in case of emergency. Periodic drills should be coordinated and conducted to ensure all on site personnel are familiar with the emergency procedures. Upon completion of the drills, a review on every step taken should be conducted to identify area of improvement. Prior notice of periodic drills should be given to Station Commander of Tung Chung Fire Station. Joint operational exercise with FSD and SHWWTW is recommended. 	Work Site / During Operation Period	√

C. Water Quality

5.44	4.5	Wastewater from Organic Waste Treatment Process	Work Site / During Design &	\checkmark
		The Project site will be equipped with an adequately sized wastewater treatment plant. A high rate type of active sludge system specifically designed for the removal of nitrogen components from the wastewater in combination with conversion of residual BOD and COD would be deployed. The wastewater treatment plant would also be incorporated with SHARON or	Operation Period	



EIA Ref.	EM&A Log Ref.	Environmental Protection Measures	Location/Timing	Status
		 annamox technology or equivalent to achieve high total overall nitrogen removal. Wastewater generated from the OWTF (including wastewater from dewatering process, leachate from waste reception area, condensate from biogas handling, wastewater from scrubber of air treatment system and any surplus water from truck washing facility) will be diverted to the wastewater treatment plant. Treated effluent will then be stored temporarily in order to be used as process water within the plants. The storage volume would be around 20 m3. Overflow from the tank will be discharged to foul sewers. The polluting parameters in effluent shall be in compliance with the requirements specified in the TM- DSS. The design, installation and operation of the wastewater treatment plant shall be licensed under the Waste Disposal Ordinance and subject to the effluent monitoring as required under the WPCO which is under the ambit of regional office (RO) of EPD. To ensure that wastewater can be adequately treated and effluent from treatment plant can meet the standards listed in TM- DSS, the following mitigation measure should be conducted. Cleaning and maintenance of treatment facilities should be conducted on a regular basis to ensure that removal rate of each treatment facility would not be reduced. Cleaning and maintenance of pipeline and leaching of wastewater, and therefore prevent overflowed or leached wastewater discharging into nearby drainages and water streams. Regular site inspection should be conducted to ensure that no wastewater can be directly discharged into nearby water streams. 		
5.55	4.5	In the scrubber, spraying water should be re-circulated to minimize the need for external water. The spraying water would be collected at the bottom of the scrubber. Excess water would be discharged to the wastewater treatment plant as described in Section 5.54.	Work Site / During Design & Operation Period	\checkmark
5.56	4.5	The waste reception, treatment facilities and compost storages of OWTF should be located in enclosed buildings to prevent generation of contaminated rain runoff. All surface runoff such as washed water generated in the treatment	Work Site / During Design & Operation Period	√



EIA Ref.	EM&A Log Ref.	Environmental Protection Measures	Location/Timing	Status
		processes areas should be properly collected and diverted to the on-site wastewater treatment plant as described in Section 5.54.		
5.57	4.5	All drainage system for collection and transferring wastewater generated in the OWTF to the on-site wastewater treatment plant as described in Section 5.54 should be capable of preventing clogging and easy maintenance and cleaning.	Work Site / During Design & Operation Period	\checkmark

D. Waste Management

6.50	5.12	Good Site Practices	During Operation Period	\checkmark
		Good operational practices should be adopted to Minimize waste management impacts:		
		• Obtain the necessary waste disposal permits from the appropriate authorities, in accordance with the Waste Disposal Ordinance (Cap. 354), Waste Disposal (Chemical Waste) (General) Regulation and the Land (Miscellaneous Provision) Ordinance (Cap. 28);		
		 Nomination of an approved person to be responsible for good site practice, arrangements for collection and effective disposal to an appropriate facility of all wastes generated at the site; 		
		• Use of a waste hauler licensed to collect specific category of waste;		
		• A trip-ticket system should be included as one of the contractual requirements and implemented by the Environmental Team to monitor the disposal of solid wastes at public filling facilities and landfills, and to control fly tipping. Reference should be made to ETWB TCW No. 31/2004.		
		 Training of site personnel in proper waste management and chemical waste handling procedures; 		
		 Separation of chemical wastes for special handling and appropriate treatment at a licensed facility; 		



EIA Ref.	EM&A Log Ref.	Environmental Protection Measures	Location/Timing	Status
		• Routine cleaning and maintenance programme for drainage systems, sumps and oil interceptors;		
		 Provision of sufficient waste disposal points and regular collection for disposal; 		
		• Adoption of appropriate measures to minimize windblown litter and dust during transportation of waste, such as covering trucks or transporting wastes in enclosed containers; and		
		• Implementation of a recording system for the amount of wastes generated, recycled and disposed of (including the disposal sites).		
6.51	5.13	Waste Reduction Measures	During Operation Period	\checkmark
		Good management and control can prevent the generation of significant amounts of waste. It is recommended that the following good operational practices should be adopted to ensure waste reduction:		
		• Segregation and storage of different types of waste in different containers, skips or stockpiles to enhance reuse or recycling of materials and their proper disposal;		
		• Encourage collection of aluminum cans, plastic bottles and packaging material (e.g. carton boxes) and office paper by individual collectors. Separate labelled bins should be provided to help segregate this waste from other general refuse generated by the work force; and		
		• Any unused chemicals or those with remaining functional capacity should be reused as far as practicable.		
6.52	5.14	Wastes Generated from Pre-Treatment Process	Pre-Treatment Process/	\checkmark
		Wastes generated from pre-treatment process should be recycled as far as possible. Wastes generated from pre- treatment process should also be separated from any chemical waste and stored in covered skips. The recyclables should be collected by licensed collectors, while the rest of the	During Operation Period	



EIA Ref.	EM&A Log Ref.	Environmental Protection Measures	Location/Timing	Status
		waste should be removed from the site on a daily basis to minimize odour, pest and litter impacts. Open burning must be strictly prohibited.		
6.53-6.56	5.15-5.18	 <u>Chemical Wastes</u> Chemical waste generated from machinery maintenance and servicing should be managed in accordance with Code of Practice on the Packaging, Labelling and storage of Chemical Wastes under the provisions of Waste Disposal (Chemical Waste) (General) Regulation. The chemical waste should be collected by drum-type containers and removed by licensed chemical waste contractors. Plant / equipment maintenance schedules should be planned in order to minimize the generation of chemical waste. Non-recyclable chemical wastes and lubricants should be disposed of at appropriate facilities, such as CWTC. Copies or counterfoils from collection receipts issued by the licensed waste collector should be kept for recording purpose. Recyclable chemical waste will be transported off-site for treatment by a licensed collector. The Contractor will need to register with EPD as a chemical waste producer. Where possible, chemical wastes (e.g. waste lubricants) would be recycled at appropriate facilities, such as Dunwell's oil re-refinery. 	Whole Site / During Operation Period	√
6.57-6.58	5.19-5.20	 <u>General Refuse</u> Waste generated in offices should be reduced through segregation and collection of recyclables. To promote the recycling of wastes such as used paper, aluminum cans and plastic bottles, it is recommended that recycling bins should be clearly labelled and placed at locations with easy access. For the collection of recyclable materials, they should be collected by licensed collectors. General refuse, other than segregated recyclable wastes, should be separated from any chemical waste and stored in covered skips. The general refuse should be removed from the site on a daily basis to minimize odour, pest and litter impacts. Also, open burning of refuse must be strictly prohibited. 	Whole Site / During Operation Period	V



EIA Ref.	EM&A Log Ref.	Environmental Protection Measures	Location/Timing	Status
		E. Proposed Land Contamination Preventive Measures		
6.65	5.21 (i)	 Fuel Oil Containers Fuel oil should be stored in suitable containers. All fuel oil containers should be securely closed. Appropriate labels showing the name of fuel oil should be posted on the containers. Drip trays should be provided for all containers. 	Fuel Oil Storage Containers /During Operation Period	\checkmark
6.65	5.21 (ii)	 Storage Area Distance between the fuel oil refueling points and the fuel oil containers should be minimized. The storage area should be used for fuel oil storage only. No surface water drains or foul sewers should be connected to the storage area. The storage area should be enclosed by three sides by a wall and have an impermeable floor or surface. 	Fuel Oil Storage Area /During Operation Period	√
6.65	5.21 (iii)	Fuel Oil Spillage Response An Oil Spill Response Plan should be prepared by the operator to document the appropriate response procedures for oil spillage incident in detail. General procedures to be taken in case of fuel oil spillage are presented below. • Training Training on oil spill response actions should be given to relevant staff. The training should cover the followings: Tools & resources to combat oil spillage and fire, e.g. locations of oil spill handling equipment and firefighting equipment; General methods to deal with oil spillage and fire incidents; Procedures for emergency drills in the event of oil spills and fire; and Regular drills should be carried out. 	Whole Site / During Operation Phase	√

Regular drills should be carried out.
 <u>Communication</u>
 Establish communication channel with the Fire Services Department (FSD) and EPD to report any oil spillage incident so that necessary



EIA Ref.	EM&A Log Ref.	Environmental Protection Measures	Location/Timing	Status
		 assistance from relevant department could be quickly sought. <u>Response Procedure</u> Any fuel oil spillage within the Project Site should be immediately reported to the Site Manager with necessary details including location, source, possible cause and extent of the spillage Site Manager should immediately attend to the spillage and initiate any appropriate action to confine and clean up the spillage. The response procedures should include the following: Identify and isolate the source of spillage as soon as possible. Contain the oil spillage and avoid infiltration into soil / groundwater and discharge to storm water channels. Remove the oil spillage. Clean up the contaminated area. If the oil spillage occurs during refueling, the refueling operation should immediately be stopped. Recovered contaminated fuel oil and the associated material to remove the spilled oil should be considered as chemical waste. The handling and disposal procedures for chemical wastes are discussed in the following paragraphs. 		
6.66	5.22 (i)	 <u>Chemicals and Chemical Wastes Handling & Storage</u> Chemicals and chemical wastes should only be stored in suitable containers in purpose-built areas. The storage of chemical wastes should comply with the requirements of the Code of Practice on the Packaging, Labelling and Storage of Chemical Wastes. The storage areas for chemicals and chemical wastes should have an impermeable floor or surface. The impermeable floor I surface should possess the following properties:	Whole Site / During Operation Period	√



EIA Ref.	EM&A Log Ref.	Environmental Protection Measures	Location/Timing	Status
		 satisfactorily maintained For liquid chemicals and chemical wastes storage, the storage area should be bonded to contain at least 110% of the storage capacity of the largest containers or 20% of the total quantity of the chemicals/chemical wastes stored, whichever is the greater. Storage container should be checked at regular intervals for their structural integrity and to ensure that the caps or fill points are tightly closed. Chemical handling should be conducted by trained workers under supervision. 		
6.66	5.22 (ii)	 <u>Chemicals and Chemical Wastes Spillage Response</u> A Chemicals and / or Chemical Wastes Spillage Response Plan should be prepared by the operator to document in detail the appropriate response procedures for chemicals or chemical wastes spillage incidents. General procedures to be undertaken in case of chemicals I chemical waste spillages are presented below: Training Training on spill response actions should be given to relevant staff. The training should cover the followings: Tools & resources to handle spillage, e.g. locations of spill handling equipment;	Whole Site / During Operation Period	✓



EIA Ref.	EM&A Log Ref.	Environmental Protection Measures	Location/Timing	Status
		 spillage occurs at locations out of the designated storage areas); Remove the spillage; the removal method / procedures documented in the Material Safety Data Sheet (MSDS) of the chemicals spilled should be observed; Clean up the contaminated area (in case the spillage occurs at locations out of the designated storage areas); and The waste arising from the cleanup operation should be considered as chemical wastes. 		
6.67 - 6.69	5.23- 5.25	 Incident Record After any spillage, an incident report should be prepared by the Site Manager. The incident report should contain details of the incident including the cause of the incident, the material spilled and estimated spillage amount, and also the response actions undertaken. The incident record should be kept carefully and able to be retrieved when necessary. The incident report should provide sufficient details for the evaluation of any environmental impacts due to the spillage and assessment of the effectiveness of measures taken. In case any spillage or accidents results in significant land contamination, EPD should be informed immediately and the Project operator should be responsible for the cleanup of the affected area. The responses procedures described in Sections 6.65 - 6.66 of the EIA Report should be followed accordingly together with the land contamination assessment and remediation guidelines stipulated in the <i>Guidance Manual for Use of Risk-based Remediation Goals for Contaminated Land Management</i> and the <i>Guidance Note for Contaminated Land Assessment and Remediation</i>. 	Whole Site / During Operation Period	√
6.65	5.21 (i)	 <u>Fuel Oil Containers</u> Fuel oil should be stored in suitable containers. All fuel oil containers should be securely closed. Appropriate labels showing the name of fuel oil should be posted on the containers. 	Fuel Oil Storage Containers /During Operation Period	√



EIA Ref.	EM&A Log Ref.	Location/Timing	Status	
		• Drip trays should be provided for all containers.		
		F. Landscape and Visual	1	
7.98 & Table 7.8	Table 6.2	 <u>Operation Phase</u> Aesthetic design of the facade, including its colour theme, pattern, texture, materials, finishing and associated structures to harmonize with the surrounding settings Grass / groundcover planting to soften the roof Heavy standard tree planting to screen proposed associated structures Grasscrete paving to soften the harshness of large paved surface areas wherever possible 	Within Project Area / During Design & Operation Stages	√

Remarks:

- $\sqrt{}$ Compliance of Mitigation Measures
- <> Compliance of Mitigation but needs improvement
- x Non-compliance of Mitigation Measures
- ▲ Non-compliance of Mitigation Measures but rectified by OSCAR Bioenergy JV
- Deficiency of Mitigation Measures but rectified by OSCAR Bioenergy JV
- N/A Not Applicable in Reporting Period





ANNEX D WASTE FLOW TABLE



MONTHLY SUMMARY WASTE FLOW TABLE

		Waste Gen	erated from	Pre-treatment	Process				General	Refuse			tonne				
Month	Chemical Waste	Disposed of at Landfill ¹	Metals ²	Paper / cardboard packaging ²	Plastics ³	Dispose Landfi		Metal	s ²	Paper / car packagi		Plasti	cs ³				
	Litre	tonne	tonne	tonne	tonne	No. of collection	tonne	No. of collection	tonne	No. of collection	tonne	No. of collection	tonne				
March 2019	1,200	477.08	0	0	0	26	1.50	0	0	0	0	0	0				
April 2019	0	455.60	0	0	0	22	1.27	0	0	0	0	0	0				
May 2019	1,000	528.22	0	0	0	25	2.88	0	0	0	0	1	0.39				
June 2019	0	459.23	0	0	0	24	2.76	0	0	0	0	0	0				
July 2019	0	521.79	0	0	0	26	3.00	0	0	0	0	0	0				
August 2019	40	441.05	0	0	0	27	3.11	0	0	0	0	0	0				
September 2019	1,800	576.28	0	0	0	24	2.76	0	0	0	0	0	0				
October 2019	0	441.22	0	0	0	25	2.88	0	0	0	0	0	0				
November 2019	1,600	451.57	0	0	0	26	3.00	0	0	0	0	0	0				
December 2019	1,009	488.13	0	0	0	24	2.76	0	0	0	0	0	0				
January 2020	0	388.20	0	0	0	23	2.65	0	0	0	0	0	0				



		Waste Gen	erated from	Pre-treatment	Process				General Refuse						
Month	Chemical Waste	Disposed of at Landfill ¹	Metals ²	Paper / cardboard packaging ²	Plastics ³	Dispose Landf		Metal	s ²	Paper / car packagi		Plasti	CS ³		
	Litre	tonne	tonne	tonne	tonne	No. of collection	tonne	No. of collection	tonne	No. of collection	tonne	No. of collection	tonne		
February 2020	4,525	372.97	0	0	0	24	2.76	0	0	0	0	0	0		
March 2020	1,200	351.71	0	0	0	27	3.11	0	0	0	0	0	0		
April 2020	0	363.92	0	0	0	21	2.42	0	0	0	0	0	0		
May 2020	800	294.36	0	0	0	25	2.88	0	0	0	0	0	0		
June 2020	0	347.23	0	0	0	25	2.88	0	0	0	0	0	0		
July 2020	200	852.07	0	0	0	26	3.00	0	0	0	0	0	0		
August 2020	0	700.25	0	1.20	0	25	2.88	0	0	0	0	0	0		
September 2020	400	579.64	0	5.31	0	26	3.00	0	0	0	0	0	0		
October 2020	0	840.75	0	5.83	0	24	2.76	0	0	0	0	0	0		
November 2020	0	688.20	0	0.80	0	25	2.88	0	0	0	0	0	0		
December 2020	766	685.47	0	0	0	25	2.88	0	0	0	0	0	0		
January 2021	1,800	634.00	0	0	0	25	2.88	0	0	0	0	0	0		
February 2021	6,120	377.72	0	0	0	21	2.42	0	0	0	0	0	0		



		Waste Gen	erated from	Pre-treatment	Process				Genera	Refuse			
Month	Chemical Waste	Disposed of at Landfill ¹	Metals ²	Paper / cardboard packaging ²	Plastics ³	Dispose Landf		Metal	s ²	Paper / car packagi		Plasti	CS ³
	Litre	tonne	tonne	tonne	tonne	No. of collection	tonne	No. of collection	tonne	No. of collection	tonne	No. of collection	tonne
March 2021	6,000	325.21	0	0	0	27	3.11	0	0	0	0	0	0
April 2021	9,700	651.29	0	0	0	22	2.53	0	0	0	0	0	0.00
May 2021	4,000	671.03	0	0	0	24	2.76	0	0	0	0	0	0.00
June 2021	0	558.72	0	0	0	25	2.88	0	0	0	0	0	0.00
July 2021	0	382.74	0	0	0	26	3.00	0	0	0	0	0	0.00
August 2021	3,420	687.05	0	0	0	26	3.00	0	0	0	0	0	0.00
September 2021	2,400	304.01	0	0	0	25	2.88	0	0	0	0	0	0.00
October 2021	0	342.38	0	0	0	23	2.65	0	0	0	0	0	0.00
November 2021	2,000	394.26	0	0	0	26	3.00	0	0	0	0	0	0.00
December 2021	0	392.44	0	0.67	0	22	2.53	0	0	0	0	0	0.00
January 2022	0	359.27	0	0	0	23	2.65	0	0	0	0	0	0.00
February 2022	0	260.57	0	0	0.00	21	2.42	0	0	0	0	0	0.00
March 2022	0	253.75	0	0	0.00	23	2.65	0	0	0	0	0	0.00



		Waste Gen	erated from	Pre-treatment	Process				General	Refuse			
Month	Chemical Waste	Disposed of at Landfill ¹	Metals ²	Paper / cardboard packaging ²	Plastics ³	Dispose Landf		Metal	s ²	Paper / car packagi		Plasti	cs ³
	Litre	tonne	tonne	tonne	tonne	No. of collection	tonne	No. of collection	tonne	No. of collection	tonne	No. of collection	tonne
April 2022	1,240	253.45	0	0	0.00	22	2.53	0	0	0	0	0	0.00
May 2022	0	354.94	0	0	0.00	24	2.76	0	0	0	0	0	0.00
June 2022	0	383.41	1.73	0.08	0.00	25	2.88	0	0	0	0	0	0.00
July 2022	0	430.90	4.87	1.15	0.00	24	2.76	0	0	0	0	0	0.00
August 2022	1,000	427.52	0	0	0.00	23	2.65	0	0	0	0	0	0.00
September 2022	0	476.92	0	0	0.00	21	2.419	0	0	0	0	0	0.000
October 2022	0	615.87	0	0	0.00	24	2.765	0	0	0	0	0	0.000
November 2022	0	585.38	0	0	0.00	26	2.995	1	0.020	1	0.035	1	0.020
December 2022	0	666.42	0	0	0.00	31	3.571	1	0.001	1	0.040	1	0.050
January 2023	1,200	581.55	0.969	0.000	0.021	23	2.650	0	0.000	1	0.004	0	0.000
February 2023	5,540	643.75	0.000	0.360	0.000	24	2.765	1	0.003	0	0.000	1	0.015
March 2023	0	682.00	0.000	0.000	0.000	27	3.110	2	0.011	2	0.065	2	0.012
April 2023	0	579.34	0.260	0.000	0.000	21	2.419	0	0.000	1	0.015	1	0.012



		Waste Gen	erated from	Pre-treatment	Process	General Refuse							
Month	Chemical Waste	Disposed of at Landfill ¹	Metals ²	Paper / cardboard packaging ²	Plastics ³	Dispose Landf		Metal	s ²	Paper / car packagi		Plasti	cs ³
	Litre	tonne	tonne	tonne	tonne	No. of collection	tonne	No. of collection	tonne	No. of collection	tonne	No. of collection	tonne
May 2023	0	682.27	0.000	0.000	0.000	25	2.88	0	0.000	0	0.000	2	0.130
June 2023	1,000	653.92	0.000	0.040	0.000	25	2.880	1	0.015	1	0.060	1	0.035
July 2023	0	713.68	0.000	0.000	0.000	24	2.765	0	0.000	2	0.080	1	0.005
August 2023	0	677.43	0.000	0.000	0.000	27	3.110	2	0.015	2	0.090	2	0.025
September 2023	4,459	721.42	0.000	1.250	0.000	23	2.650	2	0.010	0	0.000	2	0.006
October 2023	0	919.56	0.000	0.000	0.000	23	2.650	2	0.006	2	0.022	2	0.020
November 2023	1,440	1,016.43	0.000	0.000	0.000	26	2.995	0	0.000	1	0.100	0	0.000
December 2023	0	1,006.03	0.000	0.000	0.000	24	2.765	1	0.001	2	0.009	2	0.006
January 2024	1,200	830.42	0.000	0.000	0.000	26	2.995	1	0.006	2	0.100	1	0.020
February 2024	400	901.23	0.000	0.000	0.000	22	2.534	1	0.005	2	0.090	1	0.010
March 2024	0	1,037.81	0.000	0.000	0.000	24	2.765	1	0.001	2	0.045	1	0.005
April 2024	0	946.15	0.000	0.000	0.000	20	2.304	1	0.001	2	0.030	1	0.003
May 2024	1,700	1300.62	0.000	0.000	0.000	25	2.880	0	0.000	2	0.070	2	0.007



		Waste Gen	erated from	Pre-treatment	Process				General	Refuse			
Month	Chemical Waste	Disposed of at Landfill ¹	Metals ²	Paper / cardboard packaging ²	Plastics ³	Dispose Landfi		Metal	s ²	Paper / car packagi		Plastic	:s ³
	Litre	tonne	tonne	tonne	tonne	No. of collection	tonne	No. of collection	tonne	No. of collection	tonne	No. of collection	tonne
June 2024	1,200	1,199.51	0.000	0.000	0.000	25	4.080	1	0.002	1	0.010	2	0.040
July 2024	18,496	1,391.16	0.000	0.000	0.000	26	2.995	0	0.000	2	0.080	1	0.005
August 2024	1,200	1,160.32	0.000	0.000	0.000	27	3.110	1	0.001	2	0.035	1	0.002
September 2024	0	1,106.69	0.000	0.000	0.000	24	2.765	2	0.002	2	0.042	2	0.005
October 2024	0	1,407.71	0.000	0.000	0.000	25	2.880	2	0.012	2	0.035	2	0.020
November 2024	0	1,341.30	0.000	0.000	0.000	26	2.995	0	0.000	2	0.046	2	0.006
December 2024	1,020	1,242.66	0.000	0.000	0.000	24	2.765	0	0.000	2	0.040	1	0.005
Total	91,075.00	44,816.07	7.83	16.69	0.02	1,710	195.43	23	0.112	39	1.143	36	0.854

Notes:

- 1. General refuse was disposed of at NENT by subcontractors.
- 2. Metal and paper/cardboard packaging were collected by recycler for recycling.
- 3. Plastics refer to plastic bottles/containers, plastic sheets/foam from packaging material collected by recycler for recycling.
- 4. It was assumed that four 240-litre bins filled with 80% of general refuse were collected at each collection. The general refuse density was assumed to be around 0.15 kg/L.
- 5. June 2024 general refuse also includes ad-hoc disposal of 1.2 tonnes, in addition to 2.880 tonnes collected during regularly scheduled disposals, for a total of 4.080 tonnes.





ANNEX E

ENVIRONMENTAL COMPLAINT, ENVIRONMENTAL SUMMONS AND PROSECUTION LOG



CUMULATIVE ENVIRONMENTAL COMPLAINT, ENVIRONMENTAL SUMMONS AND PROSECUTION LOG

Reporting Month	Number of Complaints in Reporting Month	Number of Summons/Prosecutions in Reporting Month
May 2015	0	0
June 2015	0	0
July 2015	0	0
August 2015	0	0
September 2015	0	0
October 2015	0	0
November 2015	0	0
December 2015	0	0
January 2016	0	0
February 2016	0	0
March 2016	0	0
April 2016	0	0
May 2016	0	0



Reporting Month	Number of Complaints in Reporting Month	Number of Summons/Prosecutions in Reporting Month
June 2016	0	0
July 2016	0	0
August 2016	0	0
September 2016	0	0
October 2016	0	0
November 2016	0	0
December 2016	0	0
January 2017	0	0
February 2017	0	0
March 2017	0	0
April 2017	0	0
May 2017	0	0
June 2017	0	0
July 2017	0	0
August 2017	0	0



Reporting Month	Number of Complaints in Reporting Month	Number of Summons/Prosecutions in Reporting Month
September 2017	0	0
October 2017	0	0
November 2017	0	0
December 2017	0	0
January 2018	0	0
February 2018	0	0
March 2018	0	0
April 2018	0	0
May 2018	0	0
June 2018	0	0
July 2018	0	0
August 2018	0	0
September 2018	1	0
October 2018	0	0
November 2018	0	0



Reporting Month	Number of Complaints in Reporting Month	Number of Summons/Prosecutions in Reporting Month
December 2018	0	0
January 2019	0	0
February 2019	0	0
March 2019	0	0
April 2019	0	0
May 2019	0	0
June 2019	0	0
July 2019	0	0
August 2019	0	0
September 2019	0	0
October 2019	0	0
November 2019	0	0
December 2019	0	0
January 2020	0	0
February 2020	0	0



Reporting Month	Number of Complaints in Reporting Month	Number of Summons/Prosecutions in Reporting Month
March 2020	0	0
April 2020	0	0
May 2020	0	0
June 2020	0	0
July 2020	0	0
August 2020	0	0
September 2020	0	0
October 2020	0	0
November 2020	0	0
December 2020	0	0
January 2021	0	0
February 2021	0	0
March 2021	0	0
April 2021	0	0
May 2021	0	0



Reporting Month	Number of Complaints in Reporting Month	Number of Summons/Prosecutions in Reporting Month
June 2021	0	0
July 2021	0	0
August 2021	0	0
September 2021	0	0
October 2021	0	0
November 2021	0	0
December 2021	0	0
January 2022	0	0
February 2022	0	0
March 2022	0	0
April 2022	0	0
May 2022	0	0
June 2022	0	0
July 2022	0	0
August 2022	0	0



Reporting Month	Number of Complaints in Reporting Month	Number of Summons/Prosecutions in Reporting Month
September 2022	0	0
October 2022	0	0
November 2022	0	0
December 2022	0	0
January 2023	0	0
February 2023	0	0
March 2023	0	0
April 2023	0	0
May 2023	0	0
June 2023	0	0
July 2023	0	0
August 2023	0	0
September 2023	0	0
October 2023	0	0
November 2023	0	0



Reporting Month	Number of Complaints in Reporting Month	Number of Summons/Prosecutions in Reporting Month
December 2023	0	0
January 2024	0	0
February 2024	5	0
March 2024	0	0
April 2024	0	0
May 2024	1	0
June 2024	0	0
July 2024	0	0
August 2024	0	0
September 2024	0	0
October 2024	1	0
November 2024	0	0
December 2024	0	0
Overall Total	8	0

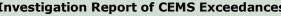




ANNEX F INVESTIGATION REPORT



Investigation Report of CEMS Exceedances			
Date	1 – 31 December 2024		
Time	Continuous Monitoring throughout December 2024		
Monitoring Location	Continuous Environmental Monitoring Systems (CEMS)		
Parameter	Various emission parameters of the Centralised Air Pollution Control Unit (CAPCS), Cogeneration Units (CHPs), and Ammonia Stripping Plant (ASP).		
Exceedance Description	Continuous monitoring was carried out at the CAPCS, CHPs, and ASP throughout the reporting period using the CEMS. According to the EM&A Manual, an exceedance is considered if the emission concentration of the concerned pollutants is higher than the emission limits stated in Tables 2.2, 2.3, 2.4, and 2.5 of the EM&A Manual (Version F) for the CAPCS, CHPs, Standby Flare, and ASP respectively. The concentrations of the concerned air pollutants were monitored on-line by the CEMS. Exceedances of various emission parameters were recorded on the CEMS including:		
	Dust and Total Odour from CAPCS;		
	• NO _x and SO ₂ from CHP1;		
	• NO _x from CHP2;		
	• NO _x and HCl from CHP3; and		
	• NO_x , SO_2 , NH_3 from the ASP.		
	The Contractor has investigated the cause of the exceedances and identified that:		
	• The exceedances of Dust and Total Odour from CAPCS occurred due to system instability (e.g. low efficiency).		
	• The exceedances of NO_x and SO_2 from CHP1 were caused by system instability, the Contractor has identified that the exceedances may be attributed to the frequent stopping/ starting of the system.		
	• The exceedances of NO _x and from CHP2 were caused by system instability, the Contractor has identified that the exceedances may be attributed to the frequent stopping/ starting of the system.		
	 The exceedances of NO_x and HCl from CHP3 were caused by system instability, the Contractor has identified that the exceedances may be attributed to the frequent stopping/ starting of the system. 		
	• Regarding the SO ₂ exceedances from the CHPs in previous monthly EM&A reports, SO ₂ sampling and testing was completed by a third- party laboratory that showed lower SO ₂ values than those reported by the CEMS. The lower values measured by the laboratory was attributed to methane gas interference. Based on this study, it was proposed to implement a correction factor in the CEMS to adjust for the methane gas interference. After review by MT and IEC, the correction factor was implemented on 17 May 2024.		





Investigation Report of CEMS Exceedances		
	• The various exceedances from the ASP can be attributed to the frequent starting and stopping of the system which has been causing unstable process conditions during operation.	
Action Taken / Action to be Taken	The Contractor investigated the reason for the exceedances and arranged Remedial Works and Follow-up Actions (see below).	
Remedial Works and Follow-up Actions	The Remedial Works and Follow-up Actions to be implemented by the Contractor to address the above exceedances (as well as updates on any exceedances from recent months) are detailed in the following table below.	

Monitoring Location	Measures/ Actions to Address any Exceedances	Implementation Timeline & Status
Centralised Air Pollution Unit (CAPCS)	 To address the exceedances for Total Odour (ou/Nm³) recorded in January 2024 – February 2024, the Contractor ordered a new H₂S / ORP sensor to replace the faulty one which was installed on 23 May 2024. The cleaning of the ventilation pumps was conducted in April 2024. The Contractor further identified that the ongoing exceedances for Dust, Total Odour, and VOCs from August 2024 – December 2024 were caused by chemical pipeline leakage, sensor issues, and the inefficiency of the chemical scrubber. Fine-tuning measures and adjustment in the operation of the system were implemented in October 2024. An enclosure has been set up to protect the VOC and H₂S sensors, and an ozone deodorization unit has been installed as of November 2024. An air sample was also taken to compare the sensor data. 	The Contractor will repair the leakage in the chemical pipeline and clean the chemical scrubber in January 2025.
Cogeneration Unit 1 (CHP 1)	 To address the ongoing NO_x exceedances recorded from October 2023 - December 2024, the Contractor ordered 3 new cylinder heads from the supplier to replace the old ones and improve performance which were installed in May 2024. To address the SO₂ exceedances recorded from October 2023 - June 2024, August 2024, and November - December 2024, SO₂ sampling and testing was completed by a third-party laboratory that showed lower SO₂ values than those reported by the CEMS. The lower values measured by the laboratory was attributed to methane gas interference. Based on this study, it was proposed to implement a correction factor in the CEMS to adjust for the methane gas interference. After review by MT and IEC, the correction factor was implemented in May 2024. The Contractor received additional training for operation of the CHPs during December 2024. 	 Contractor ordered spare parts for the CHPs which arrived in December 2024 and installation schedule is pending from the Contractor. The Contractor will complete the cleaning of silicon deposits on the cylinder heads and the exhaust heat exchanger replacement works by Q1 2025.



Monitoring Location	Measures/ Actions to Address any Exceedances	Implementation Timeline & Status
	 The fine-tuning measures were implemented during May 2024, and a further tuning was carried out on 12 August 2024. To address the HCl exceedances recorded from October 2023 – April 2024, July 2024, and September – October 2024, the Contractor implemented in May 2024 fine tuning measures such as reviewing the ignition temperature curve, spark plug condition check and adjusting the intake & exhaust valves on the cylinder to reduce the fluctuations in HCl emissions and keep within the permissible limit. A CHP expert from Europe visited the ORRC1 facility in August 2024 to review the performance of the CHPs and recommended various spare parts be replaced. The Contractor identified that a buildup of silicon deposits on the cylinder heads of the CHPs is preventing the engines from reaching full loading and will require cleaning to resolve. 	
Cogeneration Unit 2 (CHP 2)	 To address the ongoing NO_x exceedances recorded from October 2023 – October 2024 and December 2024, fine tuning of CHP 2 such as reviewing the ignition temperature curve, spark plug condition check and adjusting the intake & exhaust valves on the cylinder was conducted in May 2024 to reduce the fluctuations in NO_x emissions and to keep within the permissible limit. To address the SO₂ exceedances recorded from October 2023 – April 2024, SO₂ sampling and testing was completed by a third-party laboratory that showed lower SO₂ values than those reported by the CEMS. The lower values measured by the laboratory was attributed to methane gas interference. Based on this study, it was proposed to implement a correction factor in the CEMS to adjust for the methane gas interference. After review by MT and IEC, the correction factor was implemented in May 2024. To address the HCl exceedances recorded from November 2023 and April 2024, the Contractor implemented fine tuning measures such as reviewing the ignition temperature curve, spark plug condition check and adjusting the intake & exhaust valves on the cylinder to reduce the fluctuations in HCl emissions and keep within the permissible limit. A CHP expert from Europe visited the ORRC1 facility in August 2024 to review the performance of the CHPs and recommended various spare parts be replaced. 	 Contractor ordered spare parts for the CHPs which arrived in December 2024 and installation schedule is pending from the Contractor. The Contractor will complete the cleaning of silicon deposits on the cylinder heads and the exhaust heat exchanger replacement works by Q1 2025.



Monitoring Location	Measures/ Actions to Address any Exceedances	Implementation Timeline & Status
	 A further tuning was carried out for the CHP on 12 August 2024. The Contractor will receive additional advanced training from the manufacturer for the operation and maintenance of the equipment. The Contractor identified that a buildup of silicon deposits on the cylinder heads of the CHPs is preventing the engines from reaching full loading and will require cleaning to resolve. The Contractor received additional training for operation of the CHPs during December 2024. 	
Cogeneration Unit 3 (CHP 3)	 To address the ongoing NO_x exceedances, fine tuning measures of CHP 3 were implemented in May 2024 such as reviewing the ignition temperature curve, spark plug condition check and adjusting the intake & exhaust valves on the cylinder to reduce the fluctuations in NO_x emissions and to keep within the permissible limit. To address the SO₂ exceedances recorded from October 2023 – April 2024, SO₂ sampling and testing was completed by a third-party laboratory that showed lower SO₂ values than those reported by the CEMS. The lower values measured by the laboratory was attributed to methane gas interference. Based on this study, it was proposed to implement a correction factor in the CEMS to adjust for the methane gas interference. After review by MT and IEC, the correction factor was implemented in May 2024. A CHP expert from Europe visited the ORRC1 facility in August 2024 to review the performance of the CHPs and recommended various spare parts be replaced. The Contractor will receive additional advanced training from the manufacturer for the operation and maintenance of the CHPs is preventing the engines from reaching full loading and will require cleaning to resolve. The Contractor received additional training for operation of the CHPs during December 2024. 	 Contractor ordered spare parts for the CHPs which arrived in December 2024 and installation schedule is pending from the Contractor. The Contractor will complete the cleaning of silicon deposits on the cylinder heads and the exhaust heat exchanger replacement works by Q1 2025.
Ammonia Stripping Plant (ASP)	 To address the ongoing NO_x exceedances recorded from October 2023 – December 2024, the Contractor conducted an overhaul of the ASP and arranged for a visit by the supplier to improve the reliability and performance of the system. The overhaul was completed 6 May 2024. To address the ongoing SO₂ exceedances recorded from October 2023 – December 	 A visit from the supplier to inspect the ASP has been delayed from December 2024 to Q1 2025. The Contractor in working on implementing further fine-tuning measures for



Monitoring	Measures/ Actions to Address any	Implementation Timeline
Location	Exceedances	& Status
	 2024, SO₂ sampling and testing was completed by a third-party laboratory that showed lower SO₂ values than those reported by the CEMS. The lower values measured by the laboratory was attributed to methane gas interference. Based on this study, it was proposed to implement a correction factor in the CEMS to adjust for the methane gas interference. After review by MT and IEC, the correction factor was implemented in May 2024. To address the ongoing NH₃ exceedances recorded from October 2023 – December 2024, the Contractor conducted an overhaul of the ASP and arranged for a visit by the supplier. To address the HCl exceedances recorded from October 2023 – May 2024 and August 2024 – November 2024, the Contractor conducted an arranged for a visit by the supplier. The automatic situation of the TCU louvres has been resolved as of October 2024. 	the ASP since December 2024.

Date

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Investigation Report of Environmental Complaint (Odour Nuisance) – 9 October 2024

Project Ref. No.	ORRC-EC-008-20241009	
Date	9 October 2024	
Date of Notification	15 October 2024	
Location	Site boundary along Sham Fung Road	
Description	At approximately 13:44 on 9 October 2024 (Wednesday), a complainant from outside of the ORRC1 site premises called the government hotline to lodge a complaint as quoted below:	
	投訴 O.PARK1 傳出很強烈廚餘氣味。(original version)	
	The complaint is that O.PARK1 has a very strong odour of food waste. (English translation)	
Action / Limit Levels	Since a documented odour complaint has been received the Action Level of Odour Nuisance was triggered (ref: Table 2.7 EM&A Manual Rev. F – July 2019, pg. 25).	
Possible reason for Non-compliance	OSCAR has conducted an initial investigation immediately following the verbal notification of the complaint received on 9 October 2024. The source of the odour nuisance was likely related to the truck movement at the site entrance road, and joint inspection with the Contractor and EPD (Project Team) found that the road directly connected to the site was dirty.	
Action Taken / Action to be Taken	The Contractor investigated the reason for the Environmental Complaint (odour nuisance) and arranged Remedial Works and Follow-up Actions (see below).	
Remedial Works and Follow-up Actions	Following verbal notification of the odour complaint from EPD, OSCAR immediately implemented various mitigation measures to address the odour in accordance with Table 2.8 – Event and Action Plan for Odour Monitoring of the EM&A Manual (Rev. F – July 2019):	
	 Cleaning of the road near the site entrance was arranged for the same day; Use of masking agent/ deodorizer to mitigate the odour; and Arrangement of ad-hoc independent odour patrols (details below). 	
	An independent odour patrol was arranged on 16 October 2024, which identified four (4) additional Level 2 Odour Intensities recorded by ALS – one (1) during the first patrol at Location 3 (Biogas Tank Holder), and three (3) during the second patrol at Locations 3, 5 (Composting Hall), and 8 (Pretreatment Hall). According to the EM&A Manual, this also triggered the Action Level of Odour Nuisance.	
	Accordingly, OSCAR arranged for a further independent odour patrol to confirm the findings on 30 October 2024, which identified a further five (5)	



Investigation Report of Environmental Complaint (Odour Nuisance) – 9 October 2024

additional Level 2 Odour Intensities recorded by ALS – two (2) during the first patrol at Location 2 (Tipping Hall) and Location 5 (Composting Hall), and three (3) during the second patrol at Locations 2 Tipping Hall), Location 3 (Biogas Tank Valve Holder), and Location 4 (Tipping Hall). According to the EM&A Manual, this again triggered the Action Level of Odour Nuisance.

Accordingly, OSCAR arranged for a further independent odour patrol conducted by ALS to confirm the findings on 6 November 2024. At Location 3 (Biogas Tank Valve Holder), one panellist recorded a Level 1 Odour Intensity, while the other panellist recorded a Level 2 Odour Intensity. All other locations recorded Level 0 or Level 1 Odour Intensities. To confirm the inconsistent findings at Location 3, a follow-up independent odour patrol was arranged for the same day, which showed no Level 2 Odour Intensities at any location during the patrol.

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Date

13 January 2025





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