

MANAGEMENT OF PLASTICS: AQUACULTURE LEASEHOLDERS REPORT

Management of Plastics – reporting information

Company Name	Cooke Aquaculture Scotlan	nd Ltd.		
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Crown Estate Scotland	Location and Site Name	Lease No. Reference		
Lease Information	Kirknoust	OR-15-1		
	Bay of Ham	OR-15-6		
	Bay of Vady	OR-31-2		
	Mill Bay	OR-37-5		
	Bay of Holland	OR-37-6		
	Quanterness	OR-47-9		
	Meil Bay	OR-48-3		
	Carness Bay	OR-48-5		
	Bay of Cleat	OR-6-2		
	Bay of Cleat North	OR-6-20		
	Scarfhall Point	OR-6-21		
	Ouseness	OR-6-22		
	Vestness	OR-6-23		
	East of Skelwick Skerry	OR-6-26		
	East Moclett	OR-6-27		
	Lyrawa Bay	OR-73-10		
	Pegal Bay	OR-73-3		
	South Cava	OR-73-9		
	West Fara	OR-75-16		
	Chalmers Hope	OR-75-5		
	Burkwell	SH-11-10		
	Uyea Isle	SH-11-14		
	South Holm	SH-11-3		
	Vee Taing	SH-11-6		
	Winna Ness	SH-11-7		
	South Head of Mula	SH-11-8		
	Wick of Belmont	SH-11-9		
	Balta Sound	SH-12-11		
	North Sandwick	SH-20-13		
	Kirkabister	SH-20-3		
	Basta Ness	SH-22-11		
	Basta Voe South	SH-22-13		
	Wick of Vatsetter	SH-22-5		
	Bow of Hascosay	SH-23-2		
	Djubawick	SH-23-3		
	Wick of Garth	SH-24-2		



	Tur Ness	SH-24-5	
	Flaeshins	SH-25-1	
	Wick of Gruting	SH-25-2	
	Copister	SH-51-5	
	Lee of Burrafirth	SH-75-17	
	Stead of Aithness	SH-75-6	
	Burrastow	SH-84-24	
	Cloudin	SH-84-3	
	Hogan	SH-85-13	
	Holm of Gruting	SH-85-17	
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Reporting period	January 2023-January 2024		

<u>Confirmation of records for plastics used on leased seabed areas (from the sea surface to the seabed)</u>

I confirm that;

Cooke Aquaculture Scotland Ltd.

has maintained appropriate records for the above reporting period that reflect the procurement and disposal of plastics used on the listed seabed lease location(s) as part of measures employed to minimise the risk of losses to the marine environment and responsible disposal of plastic waste.

These records support the changes to procurements and disposal means reported below.

Relevant records of plastic procurements, stock and means of disposal employed for waste and redundant items used on leased sites will be retained for a minimum period of 5 years and will be made available to CES representatives on request during site visits.

1. Management of plastic in this reporting period

(i) The comparison of records for the current and previous reporting period indicates that aggregated procurements of **multi-use plastics** deployed on leased sea-sites has <u>increased/decreased/remained the same</u> (delete as appropriate).

This <u>increase/decrease</u> (please delete as appropriate) was due primarily to the following reasons (refer to Guidance for completing the Environmental Management of Plastics: Aquaculture Leaseholders Report).

Not Applicable – baseline report.

(ii) The comparison of records for the current and previous reporting period indicates that our aggregated procurements of **short term/ single-use plastics** used on leased seasites has <u>increased/decreased/remained the same (delete as appropriate)</u>.

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Not Applicable – baseline report.

(iii) The comparison of records for the current and previous reporting periods indicates that changes to the proportion of waste plastic from leased sea-sites disposed of by recycling, re-use or to landfill are as set out in Table 1 below.

<u>Table 1: Aggregated changes to disposal methods across waste and redundant plastic used on lease sites in this reporting period.</u>

(Tick as appropriate or enter 'n/a' if the disposal method is not used by your company for waste plastics disposal)

Disposal method	Change from reporting period	last	Single use (√)	Multi use (√)
Recycling	Increase			
	Decrease			
	Stay the same			
Re-use/re-purpose	Increase			
	Decrease			
	Stay the same			
Licensed Landfill	Increase			
	Decrease			
	Stay the same			
Licensed Incineration- licensed (on-site is illegal)	Increase			
	Decrease			
	Stay the same			
Other means of disposal.	Increase			
	Decrease			
Please insert details	Stay the same			

The increases and/or decreases in different disposal means listed in Table 1 are due primarily to the following reasons: (refer to <u>Guidance for completing the Management of Plastics: Aquaculture Leaseholders Report</u>).

Not Applicable – baseline report.



(Tenants may wish to comment on relative proportions of the different waste plastic disposal methods from their sea-sites, particularly where high levels of recycling are consistently achieved).

2. Improvements in management of plastics on leased sea-sites

Please provide any information you wish to share on measures undertaken over the reporting period regarding improvements in the management of plastics.

Not Applicable – baseline report.

3. Opportunities and challenges

Please comment on any opportunities, challenges and mitigating circumstances relevant to management of plastic used on leased sea-sites during the reporting period which you would like to share.

Not Applicable – baseline report.

4. Any other relevant information

Please comment on any other factors you wish CES to be aware of regarding plastic use or waste management on your leased sites.

Not Applicable – baseline report.

5. Report Completed by:

Signature: Date: 31/01/2024

Name: William Young

Title/Position in company: Business Support & Primary Processing Director

On behalf of: Cooke Aquaculture Scotland Ltd.

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Additional page for reporting on the improvements in management of plastics on leased sea-sites.