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PROPOSED EXPLOSIVES REGULATIONS 2014: CONSULTATION PACKAGE

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Issue

1. SMT clearance of the Board paper at Annex 1. The Board paper seeks agreement to consult on the proposed, consolidated, Explosives Regulations 2014.

Timing

2. Routine.

Recommendation

3. That the SMT agrees the attached paper for submission to the HSE Board.

Background

4. The background to the paper is in the attached paper to the Board.

Consultation

5. Colleagues within HSE (Explosives Inspectorate, Better Regulation Team and Economic Analysis Unit), and Treasury Solicitors have been consulted in the drafting of this paper. The proposed route to consolidation has been triaged as 'Fast track' by the HSE Regulation Committee.

6. Outside HSE, consultation has taken place with sector stakeholder representatives and other relevant Government Departments including the Home Office. The enclosed Impact Assessment has been cleared by the Economic Analysis Unit.

7. The public consultation will commence on 20 July 2013 and close on 22nd October 2013