

Annex II: Feedback received following the Statutory Consultation carried out for the application of renewal of Marsa Power Station (IP 0003/21) carried out between 23rd April 2021 – 14th May 2021

Comment received by:	Feedback	ERA reply and comment
External Consultees Feedback		
Environmental Health Directorate	No comments.	–
Regulatory for Energy and Water Services	No comments on these requested changes to the current IPPC permit.	–
Water Services Corporation	No objection from my end.	
OHSA	OHSA has no objection to this application as long as the applicant abides by all relevant occupational health and safety regulations	–
Civil Protection Department	No feedback received	–
EWA	No feedback received	–
Transport Malta	No feedback received	–
MCCAA	No feedback received	–
Malta Resources Authority	No feedback received	–
Planning Authority	No feedback received	–
Internal Consultees Feedback		
Environmental Assessment Unit	No comments	–
Biodiversity & Water Unit	No feedback received	–
Air & Waste Air Quality Team	No comments	–

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Air & Waste Waste Management Team	Regarding the submission month for Annual environmental report (AERs), it is recommended that the reference to June should be amended to refer to March and not vice-versa.	<p>Operator to comment</p> <p>Enemalta reply: The submission of the AER was transferred to June following repetitive requests from Enemalta year after year for an extension to the submission date. Enemalta every year was facing problems to meet the March deadline due to the following reasons: (i)The main problem was related to data for waste. The reported waste quantities in the AER are obtained from the subcontractors' invoices. Certain subcontractors take quite a long time to issue the invoices and by end of March Enemalta was finding difficulty to finalise the quantities for waste for the previous year since usually invoices for Q4 of the previous year had not been issued by March. (ii)End of February/ beginning March there is the Greenhouse gas emissions verification audit and the submission of the E-PRTR reports by end of March. These have to be coordinated by the same person and this was making it very difficult to coordinate all the data required, preparation and attendance for the GHG emissions verification audit, collection of data and compilation of the E-PRTR reports and collection of data and compilation of AER reports. Every year ERA had to issue a 3-month extension to enable Enemalta to meet the deadline for the submission of the AER reports. In view of this the authority decided to change the submission date of the AER from March to June.</p>
Air & Waste Noise	<p>With reference to Clause: 3.12.5: AQW agrees that Noise monitoring is to be carried out during day time as long as the operations are carried out only during the day, thus being representative of the operational situation.</p> <p>With reference to Clause, 3.12.6 : AQW agrees that there is no longer the need that MPS conducts construction noise monitoring, as informed by MPS back in September 2018</p>	–
Compliance & Enforcement	No comments on the renewal application and the status of the improvement programme.	–
Environmental Permitting	No comments from a TFS perspective	–