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Summary and Recommendation: This report is about the meeting of the Environmental Health Sub-Committee of the West Cumbria Sites Stakeholder Group held on 31 May 2007 and it is recommended that (a) the report be noted, and (b) the Council determines its representation on the Committee.

1. INTRODUCTION

1.1 A meeting of the Environmental Health Sub-Committee of the West Cumbria Sites Stakeholder Group was held at the Cleator Moor Civic Hall on 31 May 2007.

1.2 I attended the meeting. There were no other representatives of this Council at the meeting.

2. SUMMARY OF THE PROCEEDINGS

2.1 At the time of writing this report the minutes of the meeting are not available.

2.2 The following items were amongst those considered by the committee:

Sellafield and Drigg Discharges and Environmental Monitoring 2006 – A Preliminary Assessment (Presented by BNGSL)

Environmental Health Matters (Presented by Westlakes Scientific Consulting)

Report on Beach Monitoring Work at Sellafield and Braystones (Presented by BNGSL)

Overall Effluent Strategy (Presented by BNGSL)

Regulatory Issues (Presented by Environment Agency and Nuclear Installations Inspectorate)

Membership of the Committee

2.3 Apart from the final item listed above there was nothing arising from the consideration of the above items which I feel needs particular mention here, bearing in mind that the minutes of the meeting will, as previously, be comprehensive.

2.4 As regards the membership of the committee there is a need for the Council to formalise its representation on it, addressing the issues of how many representatives and the split between officers and members of the Council.

List of Appendices: None

List of Background Documents: None

List of Consultees:

CHECKLIST FOR DEALING WITH KEY ISSUES

Please confirm against the issue if the key issues below have been addressed . This can be by either a short narrative or quoting the paragraph number in the report in which it has been covered.

Impact on Crime and Disorder	None
Impact on Sustainability	None
Impact on Rural Proofing	None
Health and Safety Implications	None
Impact on Equality and Diversity Issues	None
Children and Young Persons Implications	None
Human Rights Act Implications	None