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ALVANCE British Aluminium Ltd recognize that its operations and activities associated within the Fort William site have the potential to give rise to major accident hazards (MAH)

ALVANCE British Aluminium Ltd is committed to the prevention of such major accidents involving dangerous substances and the limitation of their consequences for the people and the environment, with a view to ensuring high levels of protection. This policy is in accordance with the aims and objectives of ALVANCE British Aluminium Health, Safety, Environmental and Quality Policy and the Control of Major Accident Hazards (COMAH) Regulations.

These aims and objectives will be achieved by:

- Ensuring that the roles and responsibilities of all personnel involved in the management of major hazards at all levels within the organization are clearly defined, and that these persons are aware of their responsibilities, have the necessary competencies and have sufficient resources to perform these duties effectively.
- Systematic identification of MAHs arising from normal and abnormal operations and assessing their likelihood and severity. This includes arrangements for identifying potential MAHs arising from modification of existing plant or new projects with the aim of ensuring major hazard risks are assessed and reduced to as low as is reasonably practicable.
- Provision and use of comprehensive Operational, Maintenance and Inspection procedures and programs through the HSEQ management system for ensuring the operational and technical integrity of the site and its associated equipment. This includes arrangements for the management of contractors, temporary stoppages, new projects, or modifying plant or procedures.
- Using the findings of the MAH assessments to identify foreseeable emergencies. Prepare plans in consultation with our staff, neighboring sites and local emergency and regulatory authorities, to respond to such emergencies. This will be demonstrated by the review and test schedules for assessing plan effectiveness. Ensuring that these emergency response plans are communicated to personnel involved in the management of major hazards and that appropriate training provides continuing competence.
- Ensuring compliance with statutory duties, company policies and procedures, internal and external audit programs are scheduled on an annual basis. Identified corrective actions are reviewed, action parties assigned, and actions implemented to agreed timescales.
- Periodic reviews of the Major Accident Prevention Policy as an integral part of the overall HSEQ management system review process conducted by ALVANCE British Aluminium Ltd management team.



Tom Uppington

9th January 2023

Managing Director

