Battus Associates Limited



Assignment Nan Aberdeen Wastew		Country : United Kingdom	Sheet No:
Location within Country :		No. of Staff :	
Aberdeen, Peterhead, Persley, Fraserburgh		2	
Name and address of Client :		No. of Staff Months :	
Kelda Water Services and Canadian Imperial Bank of Commerce (CIBC):		20	
Mr Stephen MacPherson, General Manager AES, Aberdeen Environmental Services Limited			
	133 Fountainbridge, Edinburgh, AG. United Kingdom.		
Project funding:		Overall Project value :	
Private Finance Initiative (PFI-BOT)		€120 million (capital) €460 million total.	
Start Date :	Completion Date :	Approx. Value of S	ervices :
2005	On-going	€350,000 (on-going)	
Names of Associated Firms :		No. of Staff Months :	
Ove Arup International Limited		5	
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Name of Senior Staff involved and functions performed :

Philip Sharp – Lenders Technical Adviser. Keith Padbury – M&E Expert.

Narrative Description of Project:

Technical Adviser and Monitoring Engineer on behalf of lending banks for large PFI Wastewater Treatment Project in Scotland, UK. The Main Project was carried out under the Urban Waste Water Treatment Directive to provide collection and treatment to the city of Aberdeen and Persley and the surrounding towns of Peterhead and Fraserburgh on the north-east coast of Scotland on behalf of Scottish Water. The scheme consists of five individual WWWTPs including sludge de-watering plants, pumping stations and pumping mains. The total treatment capacity is equivalent to 400,000pe and final effluent is discharged into the North Sea through long and short sea outfalls.

The Nigg Plant treats the sewage from a population of about 250,000pe and imported raw sludge from the remainder of the Grampian Region. It includes advanced wastewater treatment using lamella and chemical settlement and BAFF biological secondary stage. It also includes a CAMBI thermal hydrolysis sludge treatment process and Anaerobic Digestion with 48 tonnes dry solids per day treatment capacity. Bio gas in the on-site CHP produces net energy production of some 1MW of electricity.

The LTA audits the operational processes and assets on a quarterly basis and examines the Financial Model to ensure compliance with the Asset Replacement Strategy and Loan Agreement. Comments on discharge consent and other environmental compliance and operating practices of the O&M Company. He also providers ad-hoc technical advice to the Agent (Technical) Bank and a quarterly Technical Monitoring Report for the Lenders.