

Energy and Industry Department Prime Minister's Office Note to Industry (NTI)

	TOPIC Control of Major Accident Hazards (COMAH) Regulations			Reference Number 2016 /NTI/3	
	Coiled Tubing Unit Requirement				
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THE WORKPLACE SAFETY AND HEALTH (FACILITIES) (CONTROL OF MAJOR ACCIDENT HAZARDS) REGULATION 2013

Please be advised that the Energy and Industry Department Prime Minister's Office (EIDPMO) has conducted a review of the requirement of Control of Major Accident Hazards (COMAH) Regulations and as such has identified that all Coiled Tubing activities in Brunei Darussalam require a Well Operation Notification to be submitted to the Competent Authority and the onshore unit conducting the activity requires to have a Mobile Facility Safety Case as per Sections 2(2)(b)(iii), 9(e), 9(f) 12(2) and 14(1) of the COMAH Regulations.

In order to ensure the industry complies with the above, the following actions are to be taken

1) All Duty Holders to review their activities to ensure they are in compliance with the above regulatory sections.

2) In particular, each well Duty Holder is to ensure that Coiled Tubing well servicing activities are not conducted unless a Well Operation Notification is submitted to the Competent Authority as per COMAH Regulations Section 12 and Schedule 6. This will come into effect on Monday, 2nd May 2016 to allow Duty Holders to prepare the necessary documentation for submission.

3) Existing onshore Coiled Tubing Units shall submit a relevant Mobile Facility Safety Case as per COMAH Regulations Section 14 and Schedule 3, to be received by the Competent Authority no later than 1st August 2016.

4) Any new onshore Coiled Tubing Unit entering Brunei Darussalam must submit a Safety Case to the Competent Authority at least 3 months before the unit is present within Brunei with a view to it being operated here.

Failure to submit a relevant Safety Case and Well Operation Notification will constitute a breach of Regulation 9(e) & 9(f) of the COMAH Regulations.

Both matrices for Mobile Facility Safety Case and Well Operation Notification can be found at <u>www.ei.gov.bn</u>, under HSSE section, Safety Case subsection, titled Brunei Safety Case Assessment Matrix Template.

Safety Case submission (1 hardcopy and 2 CDs) directly to

Hjh Suhana binti Haji Md. Daud Health, Safety, Security and Environment Energy and Industry Department Prime Minister's Office Jalan Perdana Menteri BB3910 Negara Brunei Darussalam

Well Notification submission (1 hardcopy and 2 CDs) directly to

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