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### PRELIMINARY SITE RISK ASSESSMENT TIER 1 SITE: **TRESCO HELSTON WATER BISSOE** TRURO **CORNWALL TR4 8TD** CLIENT: **MR & MRS VAUGHAN** TRESCO **HELSTON WATER** BISSOE TRURO CORNWALL **TR4 8TD**

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#### 1. Introduction

Following consultation and instruction from Mr M Richards, of Martin Richards Design, on behalf of his clients, Mr & Mrs Vaughan, ASI was commissioned to conduct a Preliminary Site Risk Assessment for the following site:

Site locality: Tresco, Helston Water, Bissoe, Truro, Cornwall. TR4 8TD.

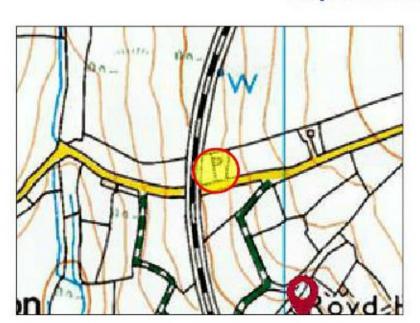
End-use: Construction of a replacement dwelling and associated works.

This report has been compiled utilising historical and current Ordnance Survey map information, non interpretive environmental report information, British Geological Survey maps and historical mine search reporting (where applicable). Additional data sources have been referenced in conjunction with an onsite inspection of the property and associated land.

#### 2. <u>Summary & Objectives</u>

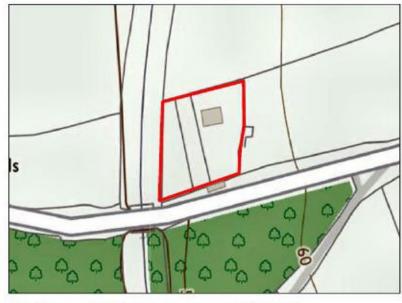
The objective of the Tier 1 Preliminary Site Risk Assessment is to identify potential contamination risks associated with the site locality and its current/historic utilisation. To comply with government legislation and Local Authorities planning requirements, a conceptual model needs to be defined for the site area to highlight potential pollution pathways. The conceptual model is a representation of the three-dimensional site characteristics and interaction with the surrounding environment. The assessment identifies all possible receptors, potential contamination and contaminant pathways and determines the possible relationships between them (potential pollutant linkages), taking into account the historic, current and proposed uses of the site.

This report has been compiled with reference to the Land Contamination Risk Management (LCRM:2020) guidance produced by the Environment Agency (EA) and the British Standards Institute (BSI) 10175:2011 Investigation of Potentially Contaminated Sites (Code of Practice) and should be submitted to the relevant Council Authority for assessment.



Map & Street Plan Showing Location Of Site





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#### 3. <u>Definition Of Contaminated Land</u>

The legal definition of contaminated land (from Section 78A(2) of Part IIA of the Environmental Protection Act 1990) is:

"...any land which appears to the local authority in whose area it is situated to be in such a condition, by reason of substances in, on or under the land, that:

- (a) significant harm is being caused or there is the significant possibility of such harm being caused; or
- (b) pollution of controlled waters is being, or is likely to be, caused...'

A key element of the Part IIA regime is the **Source-Pathway-Receptor** pollutant linkage concept. The meaning of each element is as follows:

SOURCE	PATHWAY	RECEPTOR
The source of the contamination for example, industrial waste land with contaminated ground or water.	The route that this contamination takes to reach the receptor, for instance via contaminated soil, water, vegetables.	Receptors are humans, eco-systems (plants, animals, organisms), property or controlled water bodies.

Without the clear identification of all three elements of the pollutant linkage, land cannot be identified as contaminated land under the regime. Contaminating substances may include:

- metals and metallic compounds e.g. cadmium, arsenic, lead, nickel, chromium
- · organic compounds e.g. oils, petrol, solvents
- gases e.g. methane, carbon dioxide, hydrogen sulphide

Typical causes of land contamination include previous industrial or commercial usage, mining and infilling of land with waste. Land can also become contaminated due to its proximity to contaminated areas. However, contamination does not occur solely as a result of human activities and land can be contaminated as a result of its natural state. For example, elevated levels of arsenic in soil can result from the weathering of natural rocks and minerals.



#### 4. Site Description & Information

#### 4.1 Site Location, Population, Historic/Current Use & Setting

#### Location:

The proposed site lies within a rural location at OS Grid Ref: SW 7890/4175.

#### **Closest Main Population Centre:**

Bissoe, Truro.

#### Historic/Current Usage & Setting:

The historic Ordnance Survey (OS) map of 1888 shows the site as an existing isolated dwelling located beside a minor public road to the south and adjacent to the Falmouth branch line of the Cornwall Railway approximately 7m from the western boundary. A well is indicated beside the railway, approximately 124m to the north of the site. The wider surrounding area is rural in nature, comprising of areas of open heath to the north and northwest, agricultural fields and scattered dwellings.

OS – 1907, 1908, 1945: With the exception of the heathland to the north of the site having being cleared for agricultural use, no other relevant changes are indicated.

OS – 1963: The site remains unchanged, however this map illustrates the continuing clearance of the open heath to the northwest as it is replaced by cultivated agricultural fields.

OS - 1992: No further relevant changes are recorded to either the site or the surrounding area which remains rural in nature.

No further relevant OS mapping information is available for the site following 1992.

Satellite imagery available from circa 2001 until circa 2019 show no additional changes to the property, with the existing dwelling and garden areas remaining consistent throughout. The only difference within the wider area is that between 2009 and 2013, three agricultural fields nearby to the south and southwest were fully replanted with tree saplings to form a new woodland area.

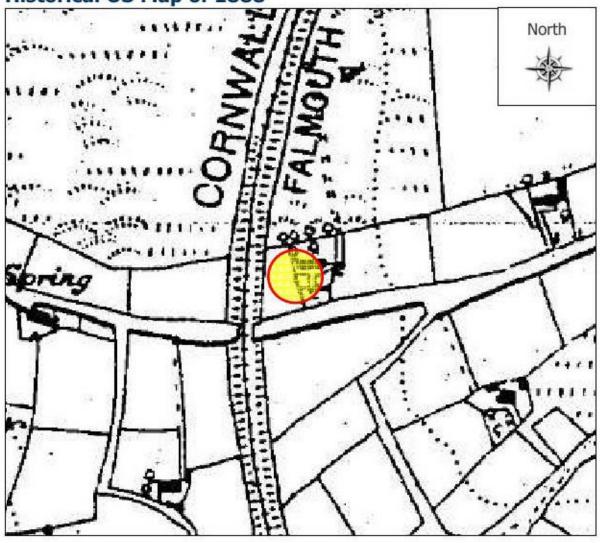
#### 4.2 Additional Reporting Relating to Land Contamination

We are not aware of any prior site surveys or reporting produced for the application area.



#### 5. Historic OS Mapping

**Historical OS Map of 1888** 



Historic Ordnance Survey Map copyright 2020 Dated 1888. Survey scale: 1:10,560

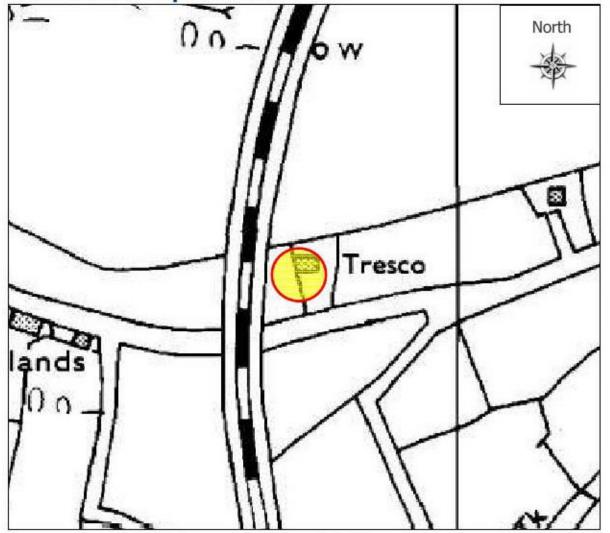
The historical OS map of 1888 shows the site as an existing dwelling and associated land.

A railway branch line runs adjacent to the western boundary. No sidings or workshops are indicated.

The surrounding area is rural in nature, comprising of a combination of open heath, agricultural fields and occasional dwellings.

No notable onsite characteristics have been identified that would impact the application area.

**Historical OS Map of 1992** 



Historic Ordnance Survey Map copyright 2020 Land Dated 1992. Survey scale: 1:10,000

Landmark Information Group

The historical OS map of 1992 shows no notable change to the site or surrounding area.

There is little alteration to the wider surrounding area, except that the former open heath land to the north and northwest has since been cultivated and enclosed into agricultural fields.

**Additional OS map data referenced**: 1888 1:2,500, 1:10,000 & 1:10,560 series to present day.

No further relevant OS mapping data is available for the site following circa 1992.



#### 6. Visual Site Inspection

A walk over survey of the site was conducted on the 16<sup>th</sup> November 2020, with the weather conditions at the time of the survey being dry. The site was observed from within and outside of its boundaries (where possible) to identify any areas of concern on or adjacent to the property. Any items of note were photographed and recorded.

#### 6.1 Site Layout & Information

The application site consists of an irregular shaped plot of land, with the total site area estimated at 2305m<sup>2</sup>. Current access to the site can be made via a newly formed car parking area upon the southern boundary of the property, adjacent to the unnamed minor public road.

At the time of the walkover survey, the proposed development area was recorded to comprise of an existing dwelling, a static caravan, a garage, car parking space and associated garden amenity areas.

The existing dwelling, which is intended to be replaced, is a traditional stone cottage with a slate tiled roof located towards the northeast extent of the plot. The original footprint has been extended with a more recent concrete block extension lying upon the northern elevation, with an adjoining corrugated metal constructed extension located upon the eastern elevation. In addition a separate wooden shed lies adjacent to the north-east corner of the house. The property is currently occupied and visually would be considered to be in a moderate state of repair. Within proximity to the southwest extent of the dwelling a bunded plastic domestic heating oil tank was recorded, where upon inspection no leakage or spillage was recorded.

A static caravan lies towards the southwest corner of the site, which we believe will be utilised by the clients as temporary accommodation during the proposed works. The land to the north of the caravan was noted as having recently been cleared of vegetation, in-turn exposing topsoil.

Situated approximately centrally upon the southern boundary lies a garage constructed from corrugated metal panelling on a raised concrete ramp. Lying adjacent to the eastern elevation of the garage lies a car parking area surfaced with gravel. A gravel path between two parallel grass banks links the car parking area with the dwelling.

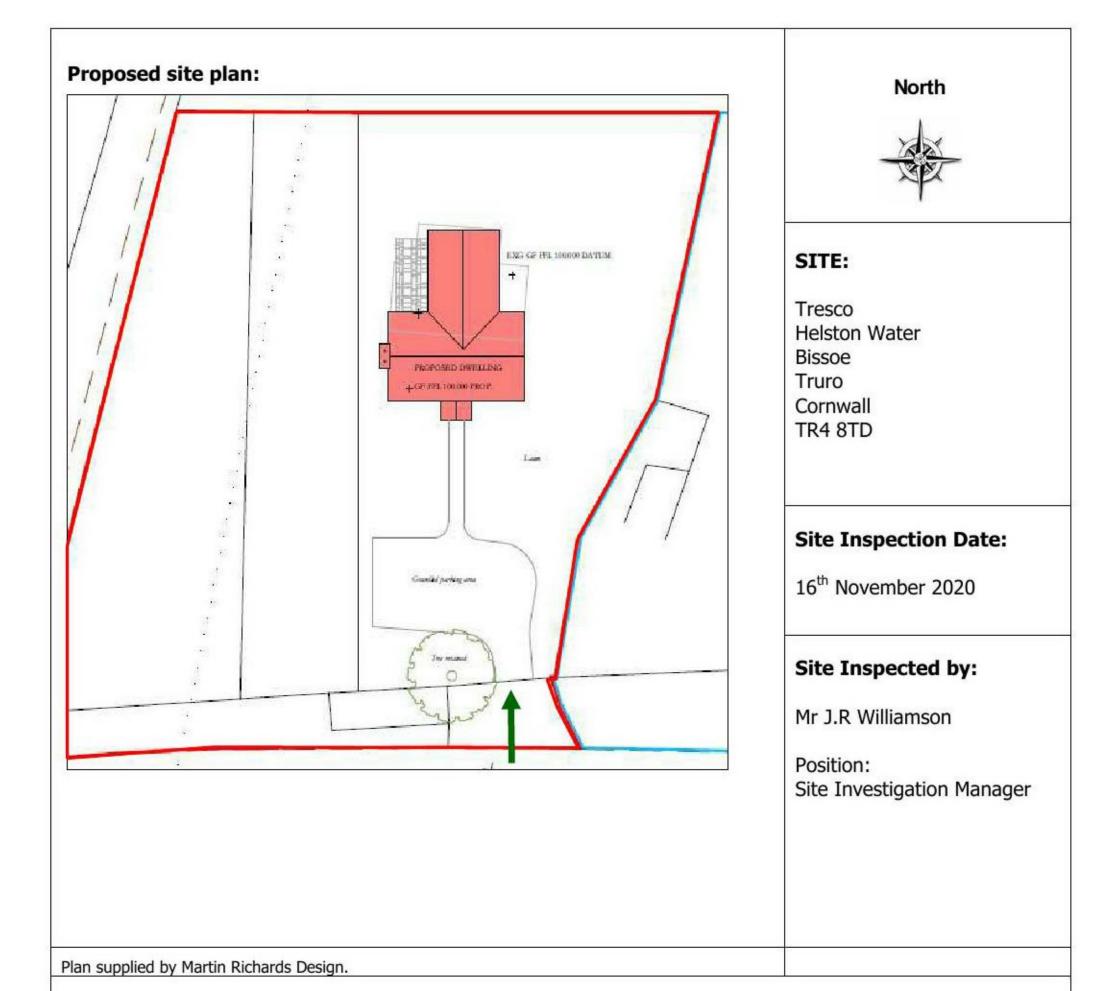
The remainder of the site is utilised as a garden amenity area comprising mainly of maintained grass lawns interspersed with mature trees and shrubs.

From observation, the natural topography of the land was recorded to slope marginally from the northeast to the southwest. In addition no naturally occurring freshwater bodies such as ponds, streams or rivers were recorded either within or in close proximity to the site bounds.

Following the inspection, no obvious contamination sources such as unbunded fuel storage tanks, notable olfactory odours, railway ballast or similar features that could have a detrimental impact upon the proposed development were identified. Please refer to section 6.2: Site Plan and Annex 2: Site Photographs for further details.



#### 6.2 Site Plan



#### Notes:

- Not to scale, for diagrammatic purposes only.
- · Application area outlined in red.
- Site access indicated by the green arrow.
- Total site perimeter estimated at 206m.
- Total site area estimated at 2305m<sup>2</sup>.



### 6.3 Surrounding Area

North	Agricultural field.
East	Agricultural field.
South	Access and unnamed public road.
West	Railway line.

### 7. <u>Environmental Setting</u>

7.1 Geology	The geological survey map (British Geological Survey 1:50 000 series, sheet 352 & BGS records) shows the site as lying within sedimentary bedrock comprising of Slate and Siltstone of the Mylor Slate Formation, formed during the Devonian Geological Period.  Metalliferous lode zones (metalliferous minerals that in-fill a fissure, or vein within a rock formation) that have the potential to introduce elevated heavy metal levels into the surrounding ground horizon are not indicated to lie within, or in proximity to the site area.
	to the site area.
7.2 Mining Information	The site is not indicated to lie within historic metalliferous mining land comprising of spoil heaps or workings.
7.3 Hydrogeology	Geological records indicate that the property is sited over rocks that can form minor aquifers of intermediate permeability. These can be fractured or potentially fractured rocks, which do not have a high permeability, or other formations of variable permeability including unconsolidated deposits. Although these aquifers will seldom produce large quantities of water for abstraction, they are important both for local supplies and in supplying base flow to rivers.  Overlying soils classification: Soils of intermediate leaching potential. (Environment Agency: Policy & Practice for the Protection of Groundwater/ Groundwater Vulnerability of Cornwall & Devon/ 1:100,000).

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7.4 Water Abstraction	BGS mapping records indicates that there are no water boreholes within 250m of the site.  Risk from groundwater considered low.  Historic mapping records show a well (N 124m).
7.5 <u>UXO</u> <u>Ordnance Search</u>	Zeticauxo 'UXO Bomb Risk Mapping' indicates that the site is in a low risk area for potential unexploded ordnance.  Please refer to Annex 3: UXO Ordnance Map



### 8. Homecheck Professional Report Information - within 250m radius of site

### See Annex 1: Environmental Report For Full Reference Details up to 250m

8.1 <u>Surface Water Features</u> (reference page 3)	The environmental report indicates that there are surface within 250m of the site.  Stream x2 (NNE 152m, WSW 195m)	vater features
8.2 Potential Pollution Sources	Registered landfill sites	None
(reference pages 4 - 6)	BGS recorded landfill sites	None
	BGS recorded mineral sites	None
	Waste transfer	None
	Local Authority recorded landfill sites	None
	Environmental Permitting Regulations	None
	Registered waste treatment or disposal site	None
	Historical landfill site	None
(reference pages 7 - 9)	Integrated pollution control (IPC) regulations	None
	Local Authority Pollution Prevention and Controls	None
	Control of major accident hazards	None
	Storage of hazardous substances	None
	Explosive sites	None
	Radioactive Substances Register	None
8.3 Known Pollution Incidents (reference pages 7 & 9)	The environmental report has indicated that there ar pollution incidents located within 250m of the site.	e no known
8.4 <u>Discharges to Water</u> (reference pages 7 & 8)	There are no identified discharge to water consents locate metres of the site.	ed within 250
8.5 Contaminated Land Register	Contaminated land register entries & notices	None
(reference page 5)	Contraventions	None



#### 8.6 Current Industrial Land Use

(reference pages 10 - 11)

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#### PCA

Potentially Contaminated Area Ref No.

There are no identified 'current industrial land uses' within 250m of the property.

#### None identified

Commercial/industrial land uses within 100m of the site have been considered within the Conceptual Site Model, located within section 9 of this report (area of highest risk). Should a land use be recorded that lies outside of 100m and has been identified to present a contamination risk to the property, such activities will be delineated within the CSM where appropriate.

#### 8.7 Past Industrial Land Use

(reference pages 10 - 11)

#### PCA

Potentially Contaminated Area Ref No.

There is one identified 'past industrial land use' within 250m of the property.

#### PCA 2

Railway (west 36m - positioned from central site area)

(reference pages 10 - 11)

#### PIL

Potentially Infilled Land Ref No.

The Environmental Report has indicated that there are no recorded PIL areas within 250m of the property.

#### None identified

Historic land uses within 100m of the site have been considered within the Conceptual Site Model, located within section 9 of this report (area of highest risk). Should a land use be recorded that lies outside of 100m and has been identified to present a contamination risk to the property, such activities will be delineated within the CSM where appropriate.



8.8 Flooding (reference pages 12 - 14)	The site is indicated to be potentially affected by surface water flooding within 25m of the site area.  Further information relating to flood risk zones can be located on the Environment Agency web site.
8.9 Radon Affected Zones (reference page 15)	The site lies within a potential radon affected area, it is indicated that over 30% of homes are above the action level.  Radon is a natural gas found in soil and rocks. It has no colour, taste or smell. Levels vary from country to country, region to region and from house to house in the same street. In open spaces, when radon mixes with air, it is quickly diluted into the atmosphere. When air containing radon gas rises from the soil and rocks beneath your property it is possible it may migrate internally, primarily through cracks in floors, walls and gaps around service pipes.  Generally a membrane of 300 micrometre (1200 gauge) polyethylene sheet (correctly installed) will be adequate to stop radon migration. Possible prevention measures may require the installation of an active radon ventilation system. We would recommend that advice is obtained from the Local Authorities regarding monitoring & protection.
8.10 Ground Stability Findings (reference page 16)	The British Geological Survey has identified the site as having a 'very low' potential for natural ground instability within 50 metres.



#### 9. <u>Preliminary Environmental Risk Assessment/Conceptual Model:</u> <u>Showing Potential 'Source-Pathway-Receptor Linkage' Modes</u>

#### POTENTIAL SOURCE

See tables below - Potential Contamination Source.

#### POTENTIAL PATHWAY

Inhalation of dust & soil particles, inhalation of vapours, direct ingestion of soil & dust particles, dermal absorption (soil exposure), private water abstraction, ground water, aquifers, consumption of fruit & vegetables, radon gas, landfill gas, alluvium gas (ground source migration pathways).

#### POTENTIAL RECEPTOR

Humans, eco-systems (plants, animals, organisms), property or controlled water bodies.

#### 9.1 Potential 'Onsite' Contamination Sources: Current & Past

See section 7.1 & 8.9 - Geology and Radon Affected Zones for additional information.

CURRENT/PAST CONTAM	INATION SOURCES : ONSITE	(1,2,3) number of entries/features identified HC - Homecheck Ref	0m (onsite)
POTENTIAL CONTAMINATION SOURCE	POTENTIAL CONTAM PATHWAY LINE		POTENTIAL RISK TO RECEPTORS
Local geology	Naturally occurring heavy metal of migration via soil & water. Probasite lying outside of mineralised 000 series, sheets 352 & BGS reco	ability: unlikely due to zone (Ref: BGS 1:50	Low
Potential radon affected area, HC Ref: section 3	Radon gas migration within migration via air. Probability: over action level, full radon proterecommended.	30% of homes above	High



#### 9.2 Potential 'Offsite' Contamination Sources: Current

See Section 8.6 - Current Industrial Land Usage for additional information.

CURRENT CONTAMINATION	ON SOURCES: OFFSITE	(1,2,3) number of entries/features identified HC - Homecheck Ref	Increasing distance from site
POTENTIAL CONTAMINATION SOURCE			POTENTIAL RISK TO RECEPTORS
None identified	None id	entified	None identified

### 9.3 Potential 'Offsite' Contamination Sources: Past

and are not included within the conceptual site model.

#### See Section 8.7 - Past Industrial Land Usage for additional information.

PAST CONTAMINATION SOURCES: OFFSITE (1,2,3) number of entries/features identified HC - Homecheck Ref			Increasing distance from site
POTENTIAL CONTAMINATION SOURCE		ONTAMINANTS & AY LINKAGE	POTENTIAL RISK TO RECEPTORS
Railway (1) HC Ref: 2.	Heavy metals, hydrocarbons, PAHs: potential migration via soil & water. Probability: unlikely no evidence for onsite contaminates, ballast, sidings, work depots or similar related features.		<b>Medium</b> (W 36m - from central site location)

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#### 10. Conclusions & Recommendations

Having conducted an onsite inspection and research of the available environmental and historic data relating to land contamination at the site locality, we can conclude that the potential contamination risks to end-users and local eco-system under the proposed planning application would be considered low, with the exception of probable radon gas migration.

Historic records dating from circa 1888 have shown that the site has consistently been utilised for residential purposes, with the property comprising of a dwelling and associated amenity land, with no significant changes being recorded.

Following inspection, no notable contamination sources were observed, or evidence of contaminates that would initiate a secondary phase of investigation. In addition no external contamination sources have been identified that would impact the proposed development.

For full determinations relating to possible source contaminants within and in proximity to the site and levels of assigned risk, see section 9: Preliminary Environmental Risk Assessment/Conceptual Model Showing Potential Source-Pathway-Receptor Linkage Modes. Photographs can be referenced within Annex 2 of this report.

Please note however that we have the following recommendations to make for the sites continued development:

#### **Radon Gas**

We would recommend that due to the site lying within a potential radon affected zone where over 30% of homes are above the action level, that full radon gas protection be incorporated within any new building designs. Such measures would require the correct installation of a passive radon barrier such as 'Visqueen Ultimate RadonBlok600', Cordek Radon Membrane or similar approved product with adequate under floor ventilation to disperse possible radon gas migration.

Following installation all works should be verified by the L.A Building Control Department, or suitably qualified individual. Further advice on radon gas prevention measures can be found at:

https://www.ukradon.org/information/reducelevels.

#### **Excess Soil Disposal**

Due to government legislation on landfill waste, should excess soil be generated through the construction process, such material must be removed by a licensed haulier and disposed of at an accredited waste disposal facility.

All records relating to haulage and disposal destinations must be kept for future reference and should include the following information: Haulage company details, date(s) of transfer/quantity of material and receiving landfill address.

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#### **Unexpected Contamination**

Should unrecorded contamination be encountered during the properties continued development phase, in the form of buried tanks, additional buried waste material, olfactory odours or obvious pollutants, we would advise that all works must stop within the suspect area and contact with ourselves be established before work is initiated within the area of concern.

Following the above recommendations, we have no further comments to make within the scope of this report.



#### 11. Notes

- 1. The conclusions and recommendations sections of this Preliminary Risk Assessment relates to the form and extent of development outlined herein for this specific property only and they should not be taken as suitable for any other form or extent of development within the boundaries of this property without further consultation with Approved Site Investigations Ltd.
- 2. This report only relates to the area defined in the attached environmental report.
- 3. The report should not be used in any way in connection with adjacent properties.
- 4. In respect of the archival mining report (if supplied) and the environmental report (Landmark/Groundsure data), the information is subject to the limitations and terms as defined in those reports. The supplier cannot guarantee the accuracy or completeness of the data provided, nor does the supplier guarantee to identify all the factors that may be relevant.
- 5. Approved Site Investigations Ltd cannot be held liable for contamination sources that may be introduced to the site, either within, or outside of the site boundaries subsequent to the writing of this contaminated land survey report.
- 6. This report is confidential to the named client(s) and we have no liability toward any person not party to commissioning this report.
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### Approved Site Investigations Ltd



Verified by:

Mr. J.R Williamson (Managing Director) HND Science (Industrial Mining Geology), Dip CSM

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#### 12. **Annexes**

**Environmental Report** Annex 1 -

Annex 2 -**Site Photographs** 

Annex 3 -**UXO Ordnance Map** 

Annex 4 -**References & Planning Procedure Guide** 



### Annex 1 - Environmental Report



### Homecheck Environmental



# Contamination Risk PASSED

#### **Professional Opinion**

Argyll Environmental Consultants have passed this report in accordance with the definition of contaminated land within Part 2A of the Environmental Protection Act 1990. Please refer to the Professional Opinion page and Section 1 for further information.



### Flood Risk: IDENTIFIED

Refer to Section 2 for further information

#### **Conveyancer Guidance**

We consider there to be a risk of flooding within 50m of the search centre. Please refer to Section 2 for further information.



### Radon: IDENTIFIED

Refer to Section 3 for further information



### Ground Stability: None Identified

Refer to Section 4 for further information

Report issued for the property at

Tresco, Helston Water Bissoe TRURO TR4 8TD

Report Reference

267148157\_1\_1

National Grid Reference

178910 41760

Customer Reference

A1821\_HCP

Report Date

13 November 2020

#### **Contact Details**

If you require assistance please contact your Search Provider or phone Customer Services on 0844 844 9966 or email helpdesk@homecheck.co.uk

#### **Landmark Contribution**

By purchasing this report, the recipient may be eligible for Remediation Contribution of up to £100,000 if served with a Remediation Notice by the Local Authority. Such a notice may require the homeowner to pay for all, or contribute to, the remediation of the property. For more information see Landmark's Terms and Conditions.



### Other Influential Factors:

Refer to Section 5 for further information

**Environmental Constraints: None Identified** 

See Section 5a





### Homecheck Environmental



In the professional opinion of Argyll Environmental Consultants, the level of contamination risk associated with the information disclosed in the Homecheck Professional report dated 13th November 2020 and reference 267148157\_1\_1, A1821\_HCP for

Tresco, Helston Water Bissoe TRURO TR4 8TD

- 1) is unlikely that the property would be designated "contaminated land" within the meaning of Part 2A of the Environmental Protection Act 1990.
- 2) is unlikely to have an adverse effect on the security of the property for normal lending purposes.

The professional opinion refers to Section 1 of this report and should always be read in conjunction with the full text of that report. No physical site inspection or survey has been carried out or is proposed.

Approved by

**Argyll Environmental Ltd** 



### **Contents and Summary of Findings**



Site Location



## Section 1: Contamination Risk Findings

Contamination Risk	0-25m	25-250m	250-500m	See Section
Designated Contaminated Land	No	No	No	1a
Landfill and Waste	No	No	No	1b
Potentially Contaminative Activities	No	No	Yes	1c
Known Pollution Incidents	No	No	No	1d
Other Potential Contaminative Land Uses	No	Yes	n/a	1e



### Section 2: Flood Findings

Flood	0-25m	25-250m	See Section	
River Flooding	No	No	2a	
Coastal Flooding	No	No	2b	
Surface Water Flooding	Yes	Yes	2c	



# Section 3: Radon Findings

Radon	Result	See Section
Radon Affected Property	Yes	3



# Section 4: Ground Stability Findings

Ground Stability	Result	See Section
Man-Made Factors	No	4a
Natural Factors	No	4b



### Section 5: Other Influential Factors

Other Influential Factors	Result	See Section
Environmental Constraints	No	5a





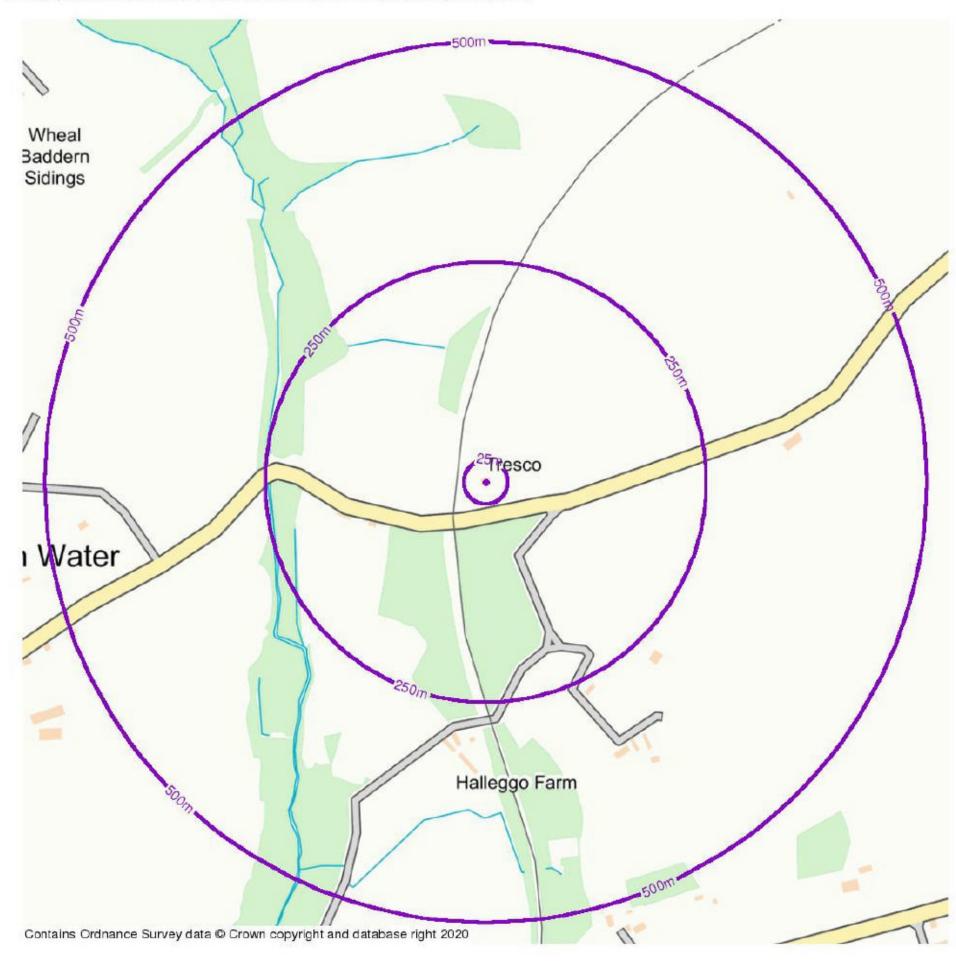
# Aerial Photograph

The photograph below shows the location of the site to which this report relates.





The map below shows the location of the site to which this report relates.





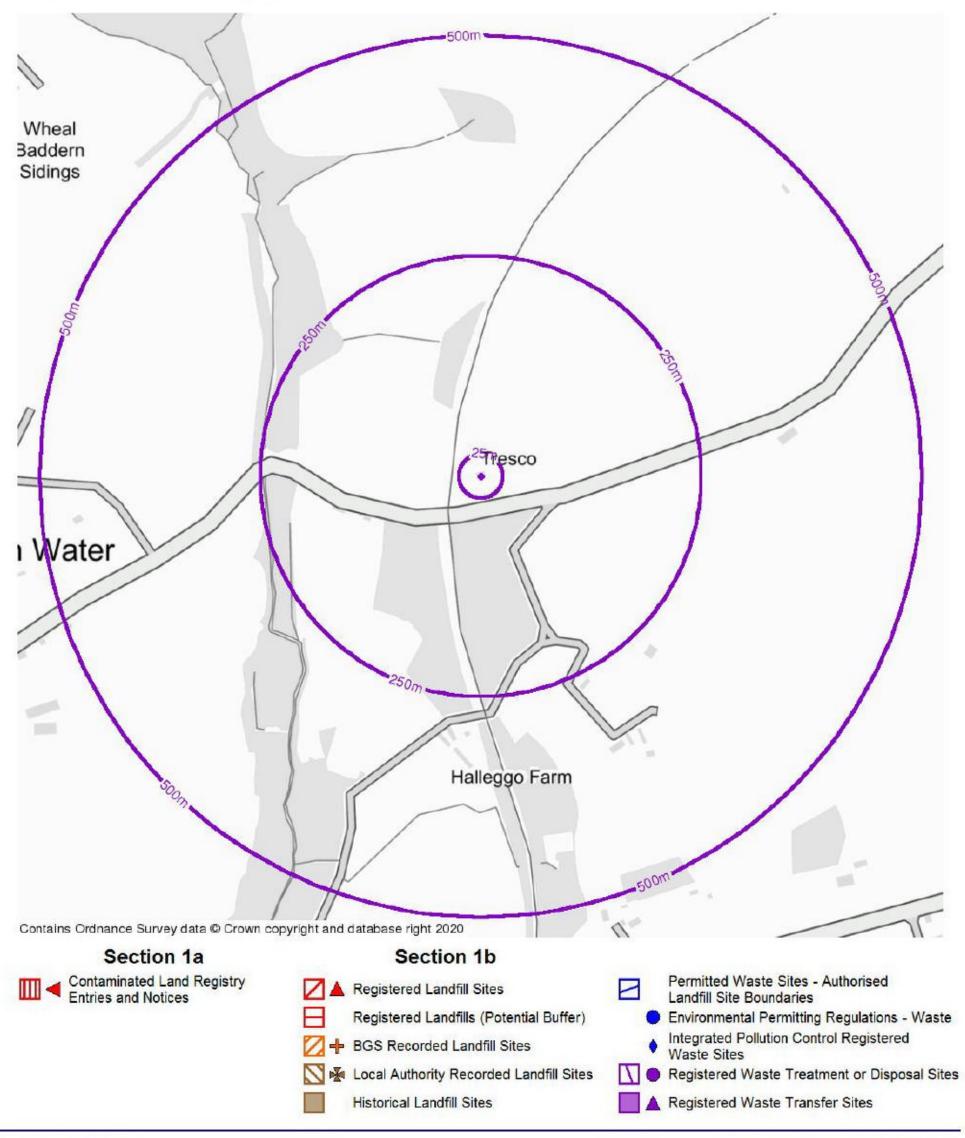
### Section 1: Contamination Risk Findings

The whole of section 1 deals with potential sources of contamination and provides the information by which this report has either been passed or referred for assessment.



### Section 1a and 1b: Information Map

The map detailed below shows the location of the Designated Contaminated Land and Landfill and Waste features highlighted within sections 1a and 1b of this report.



#### Section 1a: Designated Contaminated Land

The data within this section tells you whether your property or surrounding area has been identified by the Local Authority as "Contaminated Land" under the Environmental Protection Act 1990. Should there be an indication of contamination, it is not necessarily a cause for concern. Your report will be assessed by our professional environmental consultants who will advise you what, if any, considerations need to be made should you proceed with the property purchase.

Enquiry Has any contaminated land been identified within 500m of the property?		Result No	
Map ID Reference	Location	Details	Distance Contact
Contaminated Land Re	gister Entries and Notices	s	
No factors identified f	or this property		

#### Section 1b: Landfill and Waste

The information in this section is telling you about active and historic landfill and waste sites within 500 metres of the property. Having a landfill or waste site near your property does not necessarily mean that you or the property will be affected. However, it is something you need to be aware of, because landfill and waste can have a detrimental effect on the surrounding environment, house value and health. A closed landfill/waste site should be given equal consideration to an active site, because of landfill by-products. For instance, landfill with lots of organic material can continue to produce odours and gas for many years.

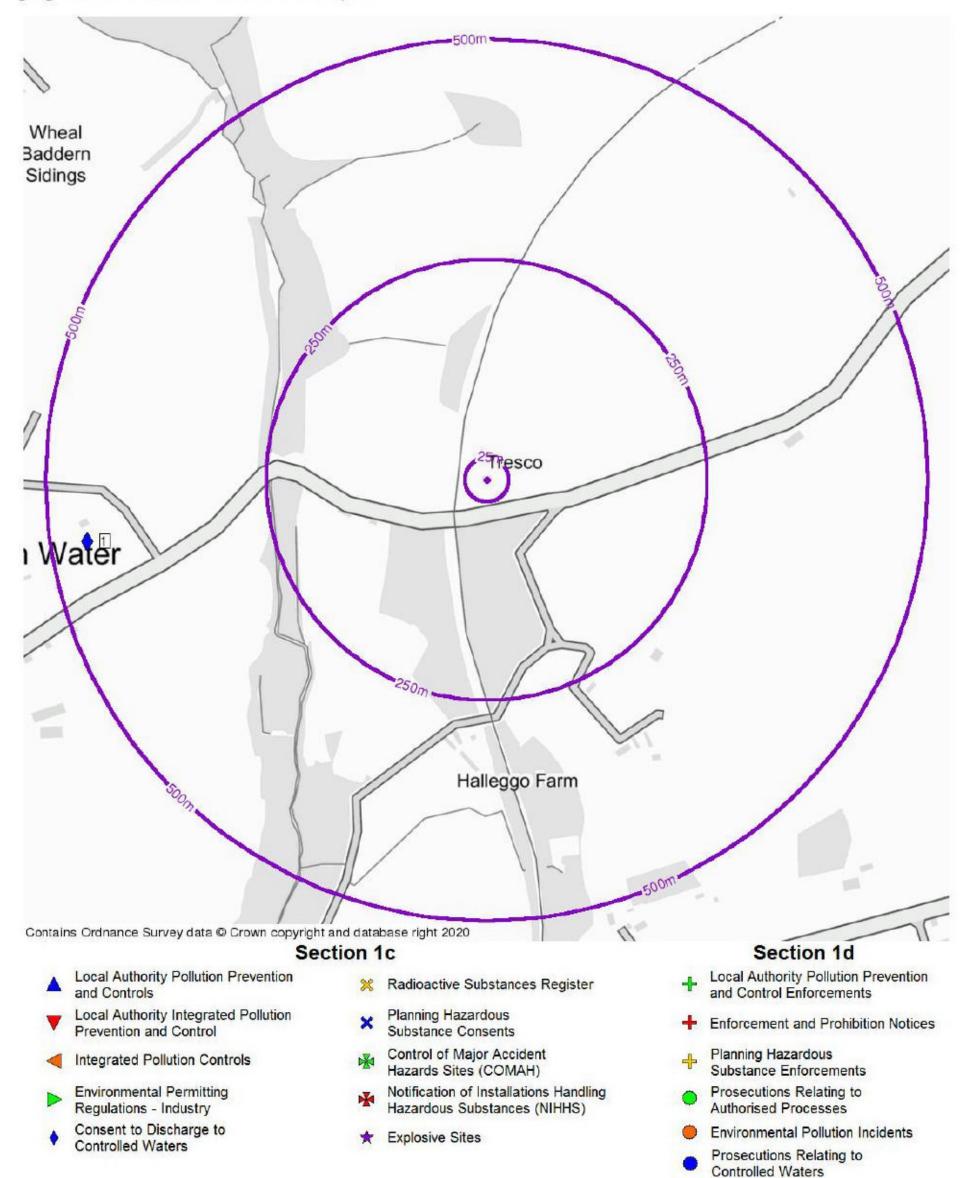
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Have any landfill and was	te sites been identified	within 500m of the property?	No	
Map ID Reference	Location	Details C	Distance	Contact
egistered Landfill Sites				
No factors identified fo	r this property			
GS Recorded Landfill S	ites			
No factors identified fo	r this property			
ocal Authority Recorde	d Landfill Sites			
No factors identified fo				
ocal Authority Recorde The following list detail		ver the search area who have made landfill data available:		
Carrick District Counc	il <mark>-</mark>	- Has supplied landfill data		3
Cornwall County Cou	ncil	<ul> <li>Had landfill data but passed it to the relevant environment agency</li> </ul>		4
For further information contacts indicated abo		cal Authority Recorded Landfill data you may wish to forward enquirie	es to one or	more of the
listorical Landfill Sites				
No factors identified fo	r this property			
ermitted Waste Sites -	Authorised Landfill Site	e Boundaries		

Map ID Reference	Location	Details	Distance	Contact
Integrated Pollution Co	ontrol Registered Waste S	ites		
No factors identified	for this property			
Registered Waste Treat	tment or Disposal Sites			
No factors identified	for this property			
Registered Waste Trans	sfer Sites			
No factors identified	for this property			



### Section 1c and 1d: Information Map

The map detailed below shows the location of the Potentially Contaminative Activities and Known Pollution Incidents features highlighted within sections 1c and 1d of this report.



### Section 1c: Potentially Contaminative Activities

This section describes current and historic licensed activities within 500 metres of the property, which have the potential to cause contamination or have an impact on the environment. The licensed activities could range from pollution to air, land or water; storage or disposal of radioactive substances; or storage of hazardous or explosive materials. Licences may no longer be active, but the nature of the past activity means it could still have an impact.

Enquiry  Have any potential	ly contamii	native activities been iden	tified within 500m of the property?	Yes Yes	
Map ID Reference		Location	Details	Distance	Contact
ocal Authority Po No factors iden		vention and Controls property			
ocal Authority Int No factors iden	and the same of the same	ollution Prevention And oroperty	Control		
ntegrated Pollutio					
Environmental Per No factors iden		egulations - Industry property			
Consent to Discha	rge to Con	trolled Waters			
1 Name: Mr K Dy	Name: Mr K Dyer  Reference: Nra-Sw-6554  Rose Villa Helstor Bissoe Truro	Rose Villa Helston Water Bissoe	Type: Sewage Discharge  Discharge Type: Sewage Discharges - Final/ Treated Effluent - Not Water Company	460m	1
		Conwaii	Property Type: DOMESTIC PROPERTY (SINGLE) (INCL FARM HOUSE)		
			Discharge Environment Type: Land/Soakaway		
			Receiving Water: Soakaway		
			Status: New Consent (Water Resources Act 1991, Section 88 & Schedule 10 as amended by Environment Act 1995)		
			Date of Issue: 17th May 1994		
			<b>Positional Accuracy:</b> Located by supplier to within 100m		
Radioactive Substa	THE PERSON NO.				
Planning Hazardo					
No factors iden	tified for this p	property			
Control of Major A		azards Sites (COMAH)			
	allations F	landling Hazardous Subs	tances (NIHHS)		
Explosive Sites					
20 30 4 5 5 5 5 5 5 5 5 5 5 5 5 5 5 5 5 5 5	tified for this p	property			

#### **Next Steps**

If you would like any further information in respect of the above findings we recommend that you contact the relevant Local Authority or the Environment Agency/Natural Resources Wales, their contact details can be found in the 'Useful Contacts' section of this report. Further Information is also available in the 'Useful Information' section.

#### Section 1d: Known Pollution Incidents

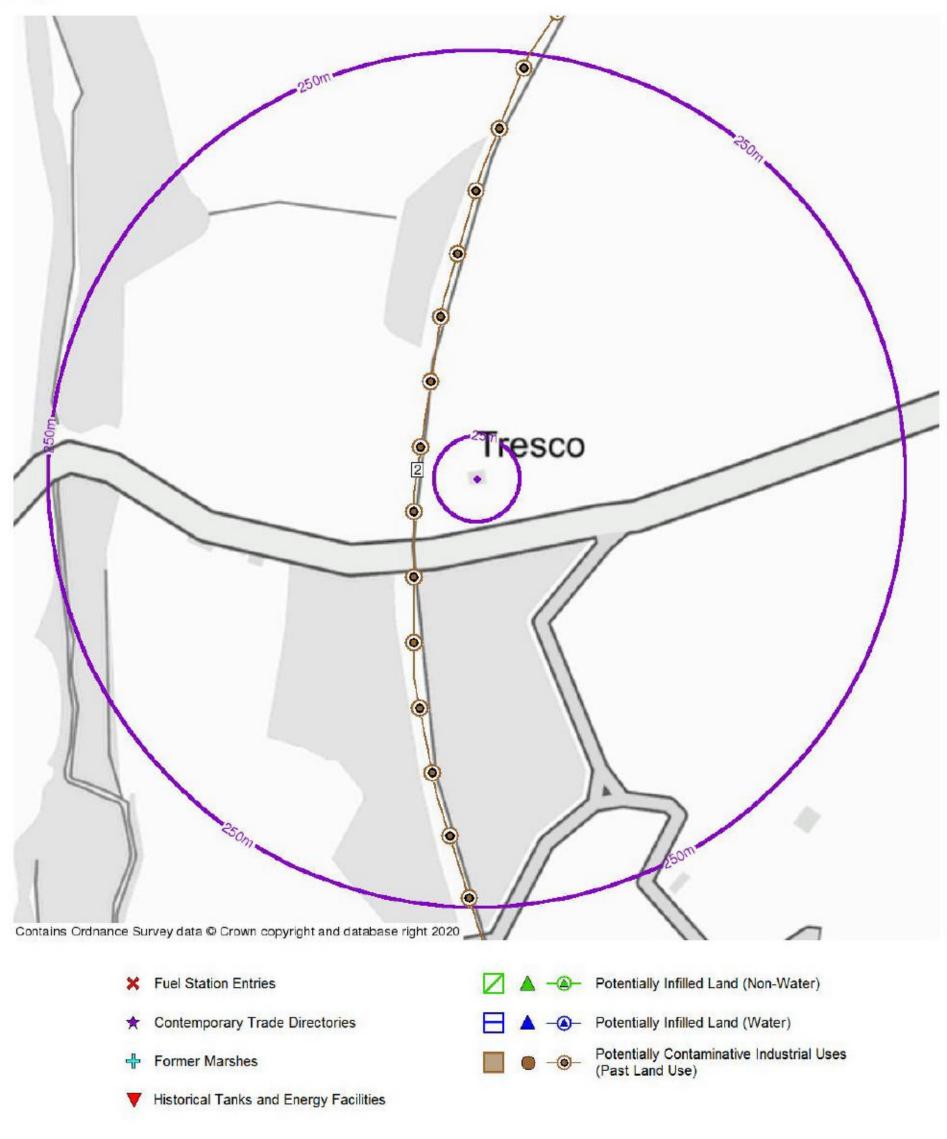
The data within this section describes unpermitted activity in your area (e.g. polluting incidents, or exceedance of permitted allowance) where the activity led to a prosecution or enforcement of regulations. Whilst all of these records are historic, the nature of the incident may have long term effects.

Enquiry			Result	
Have any known pollution incidents been identified within 500m of the property?		No		
Map ID Reference	Location	Details	Distance	Contact
ocal Authority Polluti	ion Prevention and Contro	ol Enforcements		
No factors identified	for this property	udroff (1960-1967) adflugad (1, 196-1969) a		
Enforcement and Proh	nibition Notices			
No factors identified	for this property			
Planning Hazardous S	ubstance Enforcements			
No factors identified	for this property			
	to Authorised Processes			
Prosecutions Relating				
Prosecutions Relating No factors identified	for this property			



### Section 1e: Information Map

The map detailed below shows the location of the Other Potential Contaminative Land Uses features highlighted within section 1e of this report.



#### Section 1e: Other Potential Contaminative Land Uses

This section describes either current or historic activity, which could be considered to be contaminative. This section makes no statement about whether the activity requires a licence; however our environmental experts deem that the activities described in this section could lead to potential contamination. The information is taken from a variety of sources including trade directories, Landmark's extensive historical map collection and analysis of historic activity. Records are highlighted due to the potential for contamination to exist.

			Result	
Have any other potential sources of contamination been identified within 250m of the property?				
Map ID Reference	Location	Details	Distance	Contact
Fuel Station Entries				
No factors identifie	d for this property			
Contemporary Trade	Directory Entries			
No factors identifie	d for this property			
Former Marshes				
No factors identifie	d for this property			
Potentially Infilled La	nd (Non-Water)			
No factors identifie				
	1			
Potentially Infilled La	nd (Water)			
Potentially Infilled La				
No factors identifie	d for this property	and Use)		
No factors identifie		and Use)  Class: Railways	36m	

#### **Next Steps**

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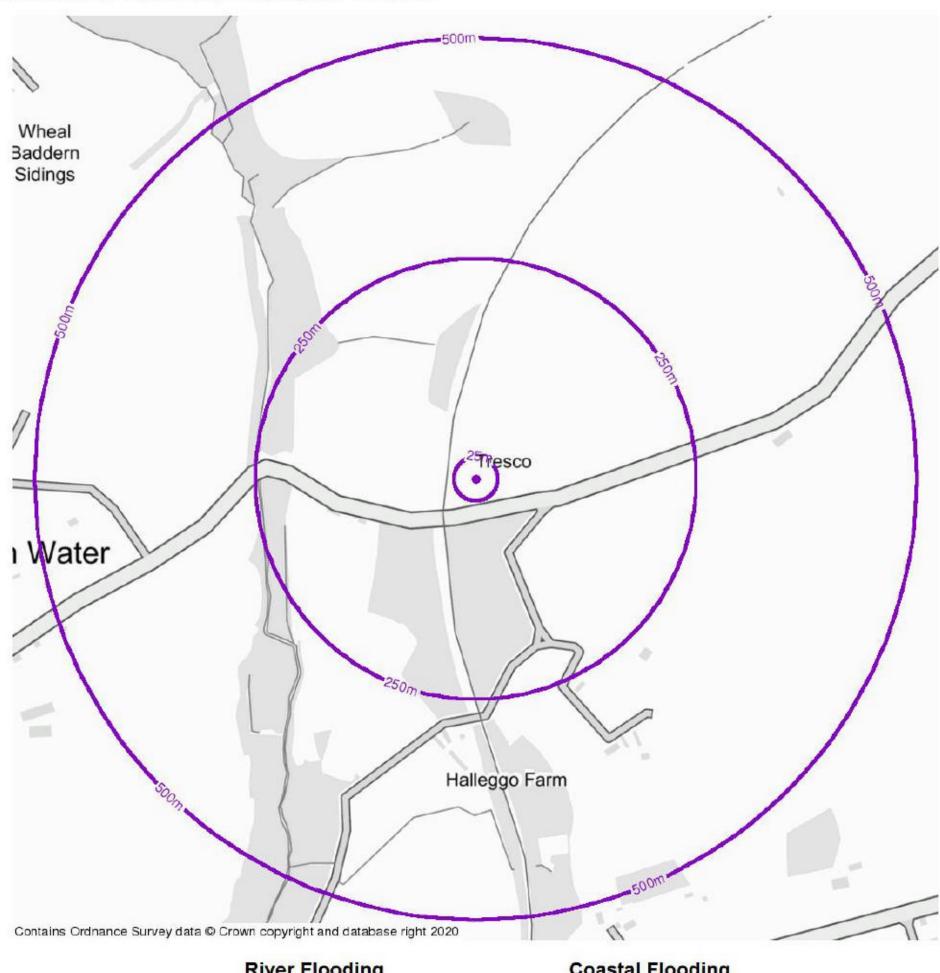


The whole of this section deals with potential sources of flooding that may impact the property.

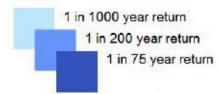


### Section 2a and 2b: River and Coastal Flood Map

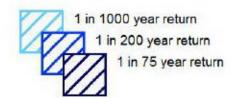
The map detailed below shows the location of potential river and coastal flood risk. The potential risk has been modelled on the basis of an event occurring on average every 75, 200 or 1000 years.



#### River Flooding



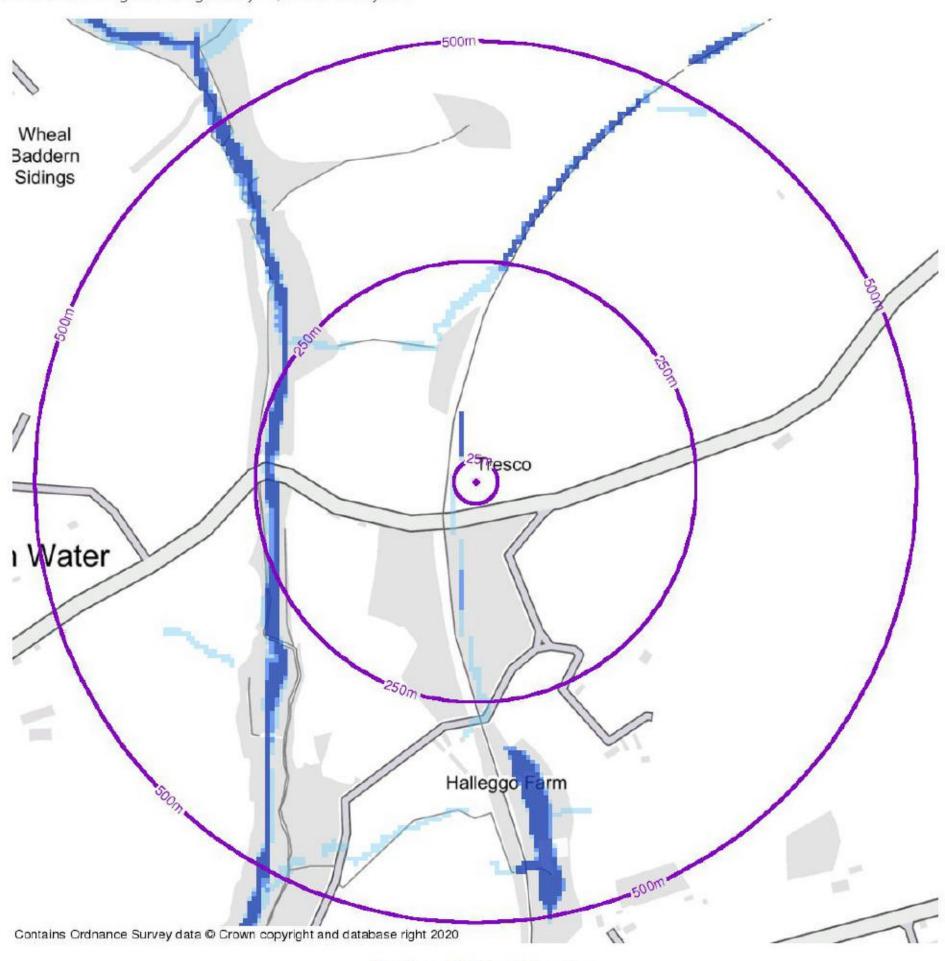
#### **Coastal Flooding**



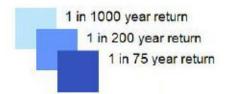


### Section 2c: Surface Water Flood Map

The map detailed below shows the location of potential surface water flood risk. The potential risk has been modelled on the basis of an event occurring on average every 75, 200 or 1000 years.



#### Surface Water Flooding



## Section 2a: River Flooding

River flooding mainly happens when the river catchment (that is the area of land that feeds water into the river and the streams that flow into the main river) receives greater than usual amounts of water (for example through rainfall or melting of snow). The amount of runoff depends on the soil type, catchment steepness, drainage characteristics, agriculture and urbanisation as well as the saturation of the catchment. The extra water causes the level of the water in the river to rise above its banks or retaining structures.

Result	Contact	
No	-	
No	-	

## Section 2b: Coastal Flooding

Coastal flooding is the inundation of land areas along the coast caused by sea water rising above normal tidal conditions. Coastal flooding can arise from a combination of high tides, wind induced tidal surge, storm surge created by low pressure and wave action.

Result	Contact
No	-

## Section 2c: Surface Water Flooding

Surface water flooding results from rainfall running over ground before entering a watercourse or sewer. It is usually associated with high intensity rainfall events (typically greater than 30mm per hour) but can also occur with lower intensity rainfall or melting snow where the ground is already saturated, frozen, developed (for example in an urban setting) or otherwise has low permeability.

Result	Contact
Yes	-

#### **Next Steps**

In order to gain more detailed information on the type and likelihood of your property being impacted by a flood event, and the potential impact on insurance, we recommend that you purchase our Landmark Flood Report.

If you would like more information please contact your Search Provider or our Customer Services Team on **0844 844 9966** or email **helpdesk@homecheck.co.uk.** 

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The information within this section tells you whether the property is located in a radon affected area. Radon is a radioactive gas which occurs naturally in rocks and soils. You cannot see, hear, feel or taste it. Exposure to particularly high levels of radon may increase the risk of developing lung cancer, and is therefore something you need to be aware of or should consider.

Enquiry	Result	Contact
Is the property in a radon affected area?	The property is in a radon affected area, as over 30% of homes are above the action level	2
What level of radon protection measures for new dwellings or extensions to existing ones is required for the property?	Full radon protective measures are necessary in the construction of new dwellings or extensions	2

#### **Next Steps**

The level of radon concentration can only be established by having the building tested. Action should be taken if the indoor radon level is measured and found to be above 200 becquerel's per cubic meter. If you would like any further information we recommend you contact Public Health England whose details can be found in the 'Useful Contacts' section of this report.

#### **Further Action**

Airtech Environmental Systems can advise on radon testing kits, which cost £39.36 including VAT and can run from 7 days to 3 months. They also have a team of surveyors on hand to provide recommendations and advice for any properties above the target level of 100 becquerel's per cubic meter or action level of 200 becquerel's per cubic meter. Airtech Environmental Systems can provide a report, recommendations and a quotation for any recommended works. For more detailed information please call their free-phone number 0800 378017.



# Section 4: Ground Stability Findings

This section provides summary information on factors that could affect the ground stability of the property. It considers both manmade factors (e.g. mining activity) and natural hazards (e.g. geological stability).

## Section 4a: Man-Made Factors

Enquiry	Result	Contact
Is the property within 25m of a Coal Mining Affected Area?	No	

## Section 4b: Natural Factors

Enquiry	Result	Contact
What is the potential for natural ground instability in the area within 50m of the property?	Very Low	-

Comment: The British Geological Survey has assessed the area of search as having very low potential for natural ground instability. This does not necessarily mean there is cause for concern in terms of the property's stability. Active subsidence will be dependent on local conditions, such as the proximity of trees or areas where trees have been removed, which require an inspection of the site to identify the nature of the ground on which the property is built. A house buyers survey is advised to look for signs of property damage that may indicate poor natural ground conditions.



# Section 5: Other Influential Factors

The following section provides information on a variety of factors which may have an influence on the property or surrounding area.



# Section 5a: Environmental Constraints

Enquiry		Result		
Is the property within 250m of an area likely to be impacted by Environmental Constraints?		No		
Map ID Reference	Location	Details	Distance	Contact
Areas of Outstanding N	atural Beauty			
No factors identified for	or this property			
Local Nature Reserves				
No factors identified for	or this property			
National Nature Reserve	es			
No factors identified for	or this property			
National Parks				
No factors identified for	or this property			
Ramsar Sites				
No factors identified for	or this property			
Sites of Special Scientifi	c Interest			
No factors identified for	or this property			
Special Areas of Conser	vation			
No factors identified for	or this property			
Special Protection Area	S			
No factors identified for				

#### **Useful Contacts**

#### Contact 1 - Environment Agency - National Customer Contact Centre (NCCC)

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Templeborough

Rotherham S60 1BY

#### Contact 2 - Public Health England - Radon Survey, Centre for Radiation, Chemical and Environmental Hazards

 Chilton
 Tel: 01235 822622
 radon@phe.gov.uk

 Didcot
 Fax: 01235 833891
 www.ukradon.org

Oxfordshire OX11 0RQ

#### Contact 3 - Carrick District Council (now part of Cornwall Council) - Environmental Health Department

County Hall Tel: 0300 1234 100 enquiries@cornwall.gov.uk
Treyew Road www.cornwall.gov.uk

Truro Cornwall TR1 3AY

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#### Flood Risk

A limited flood risk screening exercise is included in this report designed to satisfy basic flood risk screening due diligence including consideration of river, coastal and surface water flooding. Where a potential flood risk is "Identified" you may wish to consider commissioning a more detailed flood risk screening report. When there is "None Identified" this does not indicate that there is not risk of flooding at the property, but that the risk of flooding from the sources screened (river, coastal and surface water) within the vicinity of the property is such that the risk may not be considered significant.

#### **Location Map**

The Ordnance Survey location map may show features which are not necessarily otherwise included in this report. You are advised to supplement the information contained in the report with the descriptive text shown on the map.

#### Positional Accuracy

We locate data in a variety of ways according to information provided to us and subsequent in-house research. If data is provided as a point on the ground, we provide a "positional accuracy" which tells you how confident we are of the actual location.

#### Section 1b: Landfill and Waste

At present no complete national data set exists for landfill site boundaries, therefore, a point grid reference, provided by the data supplier, is used for some landfill sites. In certain cases the point grid references supplied provide only an approximate position, and can vary from the site entrance to the centre of the site. Where the exact position of the site is unclear for Registered Landfill data, Landmark construct either a 100 metre or 250 metre "buffer" around the point to warn of the possible presence of landfill. The size of this "buffer" relates to the positional accuracy that can be attributed to the site. The "buffer" is shown on the map as a red hatched area. For further information regarding landfill sites identified in the report, please contact the relevant environment agency or authority referenced in the Useful Contacts section.

The BGS holds records of over 3,000 landfill sites that accepted waste prior to the Control of Pollution Act (COPA) 1974. These were not subject to any strict regulation or monitoring.

Permitted Waste Sites and Environmental Permitting Regulations - Waste cover current or recently current consents issued for landfill sites, waste transfer, treatment or disposal sites by the Environment Agency/Natural Resources Wales, under Section 64 of the Environmental Protection Act 1990 (Part 2) and prescribed by regulation 10 of SI No. 1056 of the Waste Management Licensing Regulations 1994.

#### Section 1c: Potentially Contaminative Activities

Identified discharge consents could be for storm water discharges, soakaways or septic tanks.

If a radioactive substance licence has been identified the consent band will be given under enquiries and replies. Consents fall into one of four bands: Band 1 and 2 Nuclear licensed sites authorised by the Nuclear Installations Inspectorate e.g. nuclear power stations Band 3 Site registered/authorised to accumulate and dispose of radioactive materials, only non-nuclear operations are carried out on site e.g. hospitals Band 4 Sites registered to keep and use radioactive material e.g. laboratories, universities, commercial premises using appliances such as monitoring equipment, alarm systems, tritium lighting etc.

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#### Section 1e: Other Potential Contaminative Land Uses

This section relates to categories of potentially contaminative land uses that have been identified by the analysis of selected Ordnance Survey historical mapping. The published date (range of dates) of the map (s) and the distance from the centre of search to the nearest point of the feature is given. Further details of the extent of the site or its activities are not available. Should you wish to examine the Ordnance Survey maps these are normally available for public inspection at the local archive or local major library. Alternatively, extracts of editions of Ordnance Survey maps are available on www.old-maps.co.uk

Potentially infilled land has been identified when a 'cavity' (a hole made by an extractive industry or natural occurrence e.g. pond) was indicated on a historic map but there was no evidence of its existence in the last available map for the area. No details of what may have been used to fill the cavity or exactly when or if it was filled are available from the mapping.

The point locations of historical tanks and energy facilities are identified from the text on Ordnance Survey 1:1250 and 1:2500 scale mapping published between 1943 and 1996, based upon a predetermined list of abbreviations, e.g. El Sub (Electricity Sub-station) and F Stn (Filling Station). The position of the point has been located at the centre of the identified text so that it would be within approximately 30 meters of the feature it was describing. The features themselves are related to energy and petroleum storage and cover the following: tanks, petrol storage, potential tanks (at depots etc.), electricity sub stations and related features, gas and gas monitoring related features, oil related features and miscellaneous power features. NB: It should be noted that the Ordnance Survey abbreviation for tank (tk) is the same as that for tracks. Therefore some of the captured text may relate to tracks and not tanks when the exact nature of the feature is not clear from the mapping.

#### Section 2: Flood Findings

Sections 2a, b and c of the report provide data on modelled extents of river, coastal and surface water flooding generated by JBA Risk Management, a market leader in flood risk assessment commonly engaged by insurers to assess flood risk. The data has been modelled for several perils or return periods: 1 in 75, 1 in 200 or 1 in 1000 which relate to areas with a 1.3%, 0.5% and 0.1% annual probability of flooding in any one year respectively. Properties at risk of flooding during a 1 in 75 year event are typically considered to be at a high risk of flooding. The data has been generated to provide a UK wide screening tool and as a result may have inherent limitations. In addition, there may be areas of the country which are modelled to varying degrees of accuracy based on currently available topographical information.

#### Section 3: Radon Findings

Due to the nature of way the information is gathered, your property/site may have more than one probability of radon attributed to it. We report the worst case scenario on the property/site you have provided. This information is an estimate of the probability that a property /site in Great Britain is at or above the "Action Level" for radon (the level at which Public Health England recommends that radon levels should be reduced, those with an average of 200 Bq m-3 or more). This information satisfies CON29 Standard Enquiry of Local Authority; 3.13 Radon Gas: Location of the Property in a Radon Affected Area. Where the property/site is a new build, this information provides information on the level of protection required for new buildings under BR211 (Scivyer, 2007) Radon: Guidance on protective measures for new buildings.

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#### Section 5a: Environmental Constraints

The Local Nature Reserves national dataset is "indicative" not "definitive". Definitive information can only be provided by individual local authorities and you should refer directly to their information for all purposes that require the most up to date and complete dataset.

#### General

If after reading the details in this report regarding the sites identified, you still require further information, please contact the relevant environment agency or authority indicated in the Useful Contacts section quoting the corresponding reference given in the text of the report.

The contacts in the Useful Contacts section may be able to provide further information relating to items identified in the report, however they are not in a position to advise how these might affect the value of a property. The findings of the report should be discussed with your professional advisor.

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Email: admin@tpos.co.uk

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# Annex 2 - Site Photographs



## Photograph 1.



View: north

Looking toward the entrance of the site from the adjacent public road.

## Photograph 2.



View: west-north-west

Looking along the southern boundary of the plot from the adjacent public road.

The location of the railway bridging the road is as indicated.

## Photograph 3.



View: west

View towards the southwest corner of the site and the static caravan.

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## Photograph 4.



View: north-west

Looking across the site towards the northwest corner.

## Photograph 5.



View: north

Looking towards the existing dwelling located towards the northeast extent of the site.

## Photograph 6.



View: north

View along the eastern extent of the property towards the northeast corner.

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## Photograph 7.



View: south-west

View across the property from the northeast corner of the plot.

## Photograph 8.



View: west-south-west

Looking along the northern boundary of the site.

## Photograph 9.



View: south-east

View of the northwest corner of the existing dwelling.

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## Photograph 10.



View: south-south-west

Looking across to the southwest corner from the northern boundary, with the course of the railway line as indicated.

## Photograph 11.



View: south

Looking across the site towards the static caravan.

## Photograph 12.



View: north-north-west

View from the front elevation of the caravan across the garden amenity area.



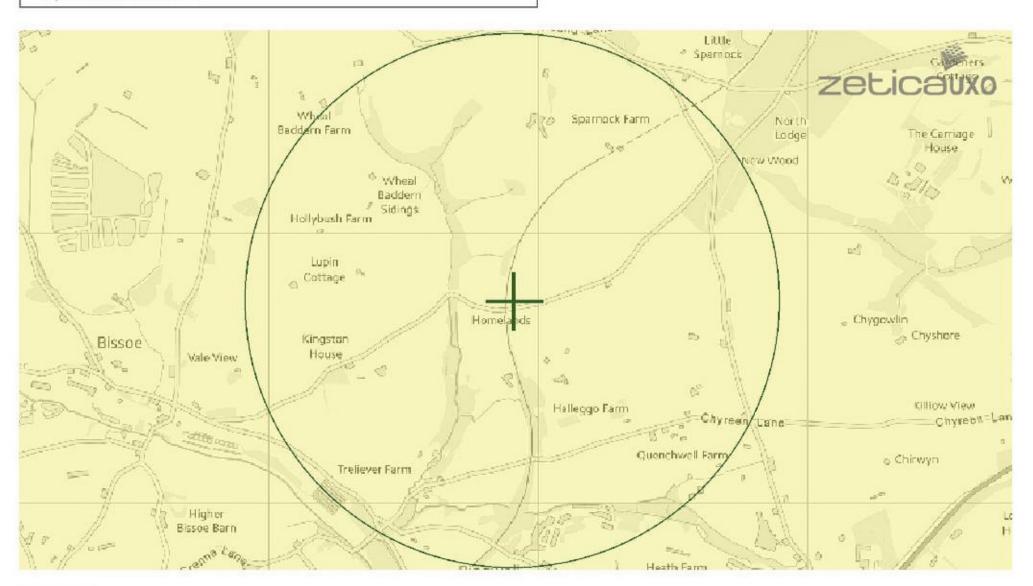
## Annex 3 - UXO Ordnance Search

#### **UNEXPLODED BOMB RISK MAP**



#### SITE LOCATION

Map Centre: 178914,41754



#### **LEGEND**

High: Areas indicated as having a bombing density of 50 bombs per 1000acre

Moderate: Areas indicated as having a bombing density of 15 to 49 bombs

Low: Areas indicated as having 15 bombs per 1000acre or less.



miltary



**UXO find** 



dock

Luftwaffe targets



**Bombing decoy** 

other

#### How to use your Unexploded Bomb (UXB) risk map?

The map indicates the potential for Unexploded Bombs (UXB) to be present as a result of World War Two (WWII) bombing.

You can incorporate the map into your preliminary risk assessment\* for potential Unexploded Ordnance (UXO) for a site. Using this map, you can make an informed decision as to whether more in-depth detailed risk assessment\* is necessary.

#### What do I do if my site is in a moderate or high risk area?

Generally, we recommend that a detailed UXO desk study and risk assessment is undertaken for sites in a moderate or high LIXB risk area.

Similarly, if your site is near to a designated Luftwaffe target or bombing decoy then additional detailed research is recommended.

More often than not, this further detailed research will conclude that the potential for a significant UXO hazard to be present on your site is actually low.

Never plan site work or undertake a risk assessment using these maps alone. More detail is required, particularly where there may be a source of UXO from other military operations which are not reflected on these maps.

If my site is in a low risk area, do I need to do anything? If both the map and other research confirms that there is a low potential for UXO to be present on your site then, subject to your own comfort and risk tolerance, works can proceed with no special precautions.

A low risk really means that there is no greater probability of encountering UXO than anywhere else in the UK.

If you are unsure whether other sources of UXO may be present, you can ask for one of our pre-desk study assessments (PDSA)

If I have any questions, who do I contact?

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The information in this UXB risk map is derived from a number of sources and should be used in conjunction with the accompanying notes on our website: (https://zeticauxo.com/downloads-and-resources/risk-maps/)

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\*Preliminary and detailed UXO risk assessments are advocated as good practice by industry guidance such as CIRIA C681 'Unexploded Ordnance (UXO), a guide for the construction industry'.



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Get mapping: Aerial Photographs

Jenkin, A.K.H

Ordnance Survey Maps/historical & current



## **Desktop Site Report (Preliminary Risk Assessment)**

Environmental survey listing site history Identify any contaminants of concern/conceptual model Mine search (historic survey) Walk-over survey

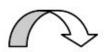
## Submit planning application & desktop report



## **Site Investigation & Risk Assessment**

Ground investigations in the form of potential: Soil sampling, trenching investigation/drilling Undertake risk evaluation & recommendations Proceed to remedial strategy should contamination be identified

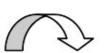
## Submit report for approval



## **Remediation Strategy**

Remediation strategy report for the development of the site

## Submit report for approval



## **Site Monitoring**

Site verification and completion of remedial works Monitoring of site should it be required







## **ASI Core Services:**

- ✓ Contaminated Land Surveys
- ✓ Soil & Water Analysis Reports
- ✓ Land Remediation Reports
- ✓ Site Verification & Completion Reports
- ✓ Drilling & Ground Profiling Investigations
- ✓ Trenching & Foundation Inspections
- ✓ Shaft & Mining Feature Securing Works
- **✓ Waste Classification Assessments**
- ✓ Historic Mine Searches (arranged upon request)
- ✓ Non Interpretive Environmental Reports

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