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2008 INLAND SPILL COURSE OSRL/EARL

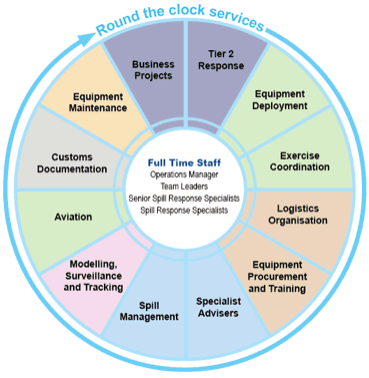
February 28, 2007

TRAINING OBJECTIVE

Review and comparison of inland spill preparedness and response programs OSRL/EARL and WCSS

OSRL / EARL

- Oil Spill Response and East Asia Response Limited
- www.osrlearl.com
- Global company – primarily in UK, Europe, Africa, Asia
- Audits, contingency planning, response, training, exercises/drills



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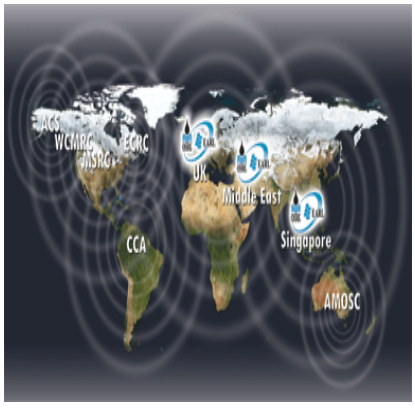
MEMBERSHIP

- 3 Categories – participants, associate and shipping associate
- Membership fees – production/number of sites and fee/services
- Equipment rental rates apply



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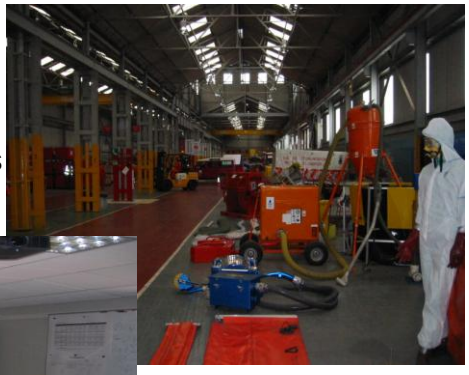
INLAND SPILL COURSE

- 3 day course
- Southhampton UK
- Classroom / 3 field exercises
- Operational overview



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EQUIPMENT

- Pre-packaged
- Aviation / transport trucks

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EQUIPMENT - Boom

- Mostly inflatable
- Sorbent

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EQUIPMENT - Skimmers

- Variety – weir, drum, disc and rope mops

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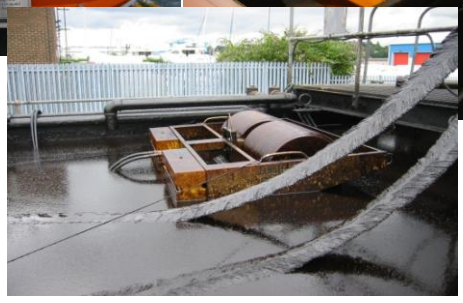
Skimmers- continued



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EQUIPMENT - Anchors

- In-steam – Bruce Anchors
- Shoreline – wood posts

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Small River – equipment deployment

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Leaking Container Exercise

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FIELD EXERCISE – Small Creek Dam

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CONCLUSION

- WCSS – leaders in inland spill response
- Training – positive experience; good benchmark check
- Follow up – test Bruce Anchors, look at skimmers and fast tank
- Operational overview – valuable, experience may be useful in WCSS strategic planning

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