Oil Spill Clearance - On-Scene Commander (IMO Level 2 Equivalent)

Participants
Staff from Operations & Marine Services division

Training Service Provider
Oil Spill Response Limited

Overview
Develop both your tactical and strategic skills in spill response management, allowing you to make effective and efficient decisions with our flagship training course. On this unique course of theoretical and practical training, you’ll develop a sound understanding of the use of different response techniques and gain an appreciation of all aspects of oil spill response.

This is an IMO Level 2 equivalent standard course certified by the UK Maritime and Coastguard Agency.

Key Takeaways
The table-top and practical exercises within this course aim to equip you with the skills and knowledge to become a key member of an oil spill response team; one with practical spill equipment knowledge and handling experience.

This course will give you the knowledge and understanding in the following areas:
- Overview of oil spill response
- Fates and effects of oil, potential environmental and economic impacts and the importance of preparedness
- Response techniques used during an incident including practical element, conducting an inland, shoreline and offshore response
- Importance of media relations during response operations and the opportunity to practice skills
- Spill termination and the liabilities that sit with responsible parties

What Will Be Covered
Day 1
- Introduction and safety brief
- Overview of oil spill response
- Causes, fates and effects
- Environmental and economic impacts
- Tier III base site tour
- Contingency planning
- Site safety (hazards to responders)
- Spill management

Day 2
- Recovery devices
- Containment and protection
- Introduction to inland spills
- Table-top exercise
- River exercise
Day 3
- Offshore exercise
- Spill assessment and tracking
- Tracking and quantification exercise
- Dispersants
- Case study

Day 4
- Table-top exercise
- Shoreline clean-up
- Waste management
- Shoreline exercise

Day 5
- Media relations
- Spill termination
- Liabilities, claims and compensation