Addressing Quality Performance across EDF Energy and its supply base.

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# **Principles Adopted in Addressing Supply Chain Issues**

- 1. Our Supply Chain is vital to ensuring **nuclear safety**
- 2. Target the whole **value** proposition, long term strategy
- 3. It's **relationships** not contracts that deliver value
- 4. When it comes to safety and quality, **culture** is everything
- 5. Removing obstacles to success is our **collective responsibility**
- 6. Lifetime demands require lifetime commitments





# Our Collective Vision to Quality `A Strategic Imperative`

# "Proud to Get it Right First Time, Every Time"

We will raise the profile of Quality to meet and exceed our expectations by delivering high Quality products and services. This will be demonstrated through our behaviours and culture focussed on the prevention of errors.

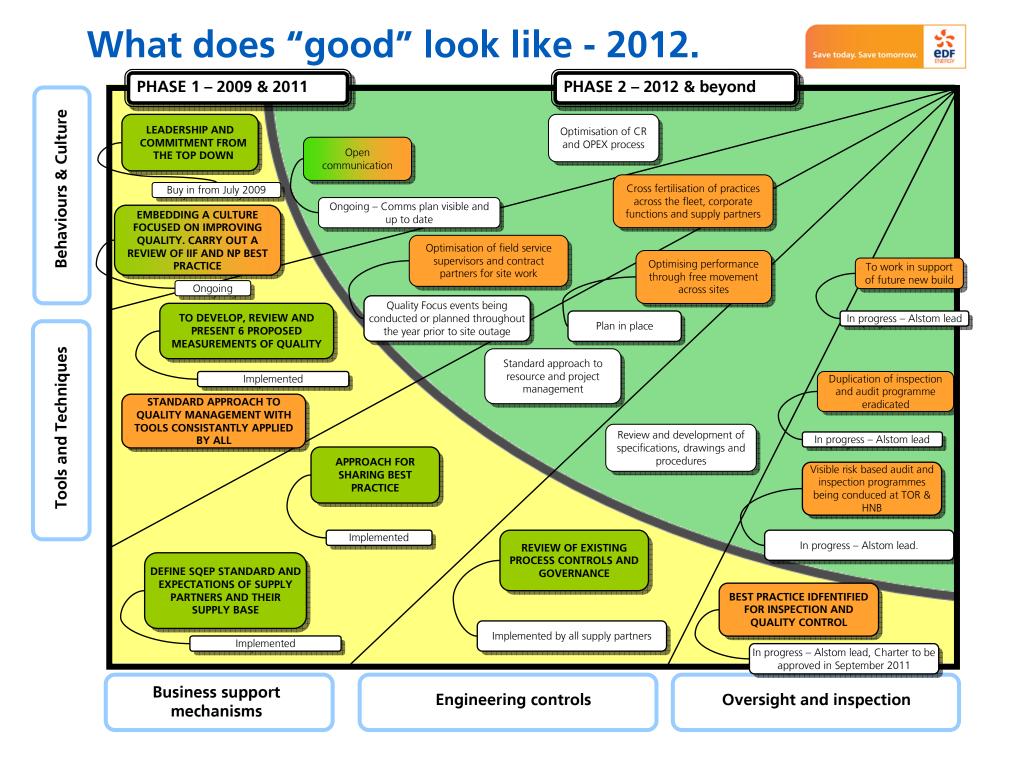


# **Primary Root Causes** associated with Quality Failures in 2009 to 2011 inclusive.

| BEHAVIOURAL PRACTICES - Step Up To Quality. |      |      |      |   |
|---|------|------|------|---|
|   | 2011 | 2010 | 2009 |   |
| Process                                     | 23%  | 35%  | 20%  | Work Stream: Review existing process, Procedural and specification controls  SUPPORT MECHANISMS:  Work Stream: Clearly define SQEP standards for suppliers and their supply base.  OVERSIGHT & INSPECTION:  Work stream: Identification of best practise Quality Inspection and control |
| Specification                               | 5%   | 25%  | 30%  |   |
| Workmanship                                 | 18%  | 25%  | 10%  |   |
| Verification                                | 5%   | 5%   | 5%   |   |
| Contract Review                             | 0%   | 5%   | 5%   |   |
| Mech failure                                | 10%  | 5%   | 15%  |   |
| Design                                      | 5%   | 0%   | 5%   |   |
| Human Performance                           | 29%  | 0%   | 5%   |   |
| FME   | 0%   | 0%   | 5%   | <u>«</u>  |
| Obsolescence                                | 5%   | 0%   | 0%   |   |

**Tools & techniques - Quality Measures** 





## Step up to Quality

Save today. Save tomorrow.



Nuclear Generation

# Proud to get it right first time, every time

- Working together to meet and exceed delivery expectations.
- Delivering products, services and designs which are error and defect free.
- Following processes and procedures with a healthy questioning attitude.

- Specify and agree performance expectations
- Check and continuously develop the competence of our people and suppliers
- Process and procedural adherence
- Maintain accurate documents & records
- Apply Quality Control and Human Performance tools and techniques
- If in doubt stop and ask

Increasing customer satisfaction through powerful partnerships























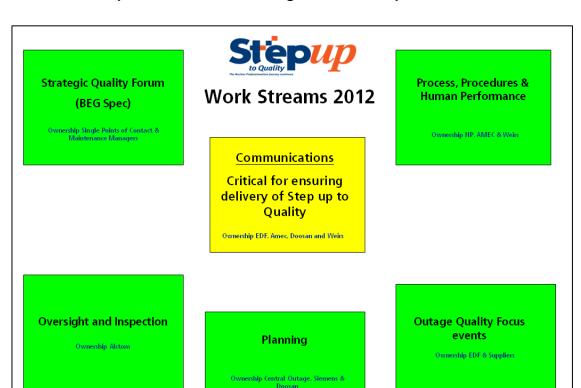


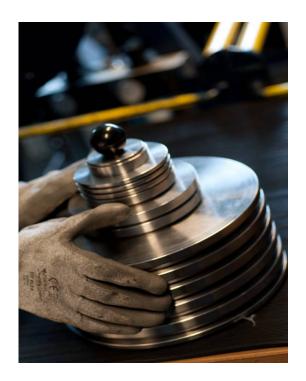
# Step up to Quality – Get it right first time, every time.

### The programme is focussed on :

- •Working together to meet and exceed delivery quality expectations
- •Delivering products, services and designs which are error and defect free
- •Following processes and procedures with a healthy questioning attitudes

Working collaboratively across organisations to improve collective performance - full integration in our processes









# **Step up to Quality - 2012 film**

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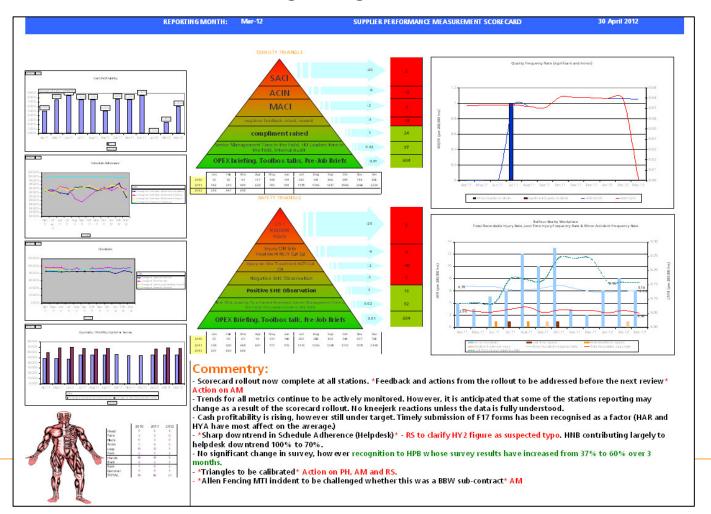


# **Signed Charters.**



# **Improving Quality Performance**

- Measuring quality
  - Scorecards for all key partners
  - Move towards a Quality Frequency rate
  - Provides a normalising of figures based on hours





# Partners View of Journey to Safe Reliable Generation

#### Where we have come from

- Short term tactical engagement
- Nature of outage programme workload led to reactive task management
- Limited sharing of data and future planning information
- Full commitment to change and drive co-ordinated planning & performance improvement

#### Current relationship leading to step change

- Long term commitment and understanding of key business drivers.
- Collaborative environment enabling honest and open discussion with EDF Energy & supply partners
- Step up to Quality has engaged all teams Promoting sharing of best practice, human performance & questioning attitude
- Shared Business reviews with performance feedback Improved safety & significant quality performance improvement

#### Future direction

- Shared asset management plan commitment to life extension
- Resource succession planning inc. shared apprentice development
- Increased EDF & supply partner outage collaboration
- Role in through life management







## Results in area of Supplier Quality Performance.

- A 60% reduction in the number of significant quality events between 2009 and 2011.
- High levels of collaboration and best practice sharing across our key suppliers
- Suppliers engagement with EDF Energy Nuclear Generation Nuclear professionalism and Human performance programmes.
- The strengthening and alignment of processes covering resources, operating experience, knowledge transfer, procedural adherence, outage planning and oversight & inspection.
- A supply chain committed to continually challenge and improve their collective performance



