Job Title	Process Safety Manager
Reports To	Head of Health and Safety
Grade	Grade 6
Purpose	The position is to lead and operate as a focal point for process safety management across WWU including process development, specialist support / coaching, advice and training that will drive, motivate, inspire and encourage all areas of the business to maintain a high standard of process safety performance and compliance to applicable legislative standards.
Key Accountabilities	Process Safety Management Lead on the development and implementation of the WWU process safety strategy assigning accountability and responsibility to appropriate stakeholders for overall successful delivery. Lead on the development, implementation and maintenance of the WWU process safety management system so that it remains effective and delivers overall compliance. Provide guidance and support in relation to process safety requests for information (incidents / data / process) both internally and externally. Where there is ownership of WWU process safety policy / procedures maintain them in accordance with published document management / control process. Where appointed either operate as lead investigator and / or support process safety accident / incident investigations (as required) to establish root causes, providing expert advice, support and guidance on legal framework including the development and management through to closure of identified interventions. Develop and implement a programme of continual improvement initiatives, that will continue to enhance WWU's process safety capability. Deliver regular business wide briefings, training and delivery to improve the overall understanding of process safety across the business. Identify, implement, and share best practice and shared learning both internally and externally. Where required provide expert process safety advice to WWU including process safety technical expert advice to Legal. Assist the Head of Health and Safety in the promotion of positive H&S culture so as to maintain the correct accountability / responsibility for H&S delivery across the business. People Management Successfully manage and maintain the competence, productivity and effectiveness of the assurance and governance team incorporating process safety inspectors including but not limited to The development and maintenance of a framework of safety and technical competencies that identifies the capabilities required to deliver team / business objectives. The development o

- Maintaining a high level of performance across the assurance and governance team.
- Providing support to the team so that all maintain a high level of personal safety, wellbeing and mental health.

Performance Governance and Monitoring

- Manage the collection, collation and reporting of process safety performance measures.
- Manage the analysis of process safety performance measures to identify trends, risks and opportunities.
- Facilitate the development of interventions in response to performance data analysis findings.
- Undertake qualitative and quantitative assessments (both on site and back office), on process safety procedures so that appropriate standards are maintained in terms of cost vs benefit.
- Lead on the preparation, undertake and monitor annual audit plans in response in accordance process for approval by the Board HSE Committee, using the organisation's Enterprise Risk Management Process
- Manage the effective implementation of process safety standards so that WWU maintains accreditation to all ISO standards and primarily ISO45001 & ISO55001.

External Relations

- Maintain good working relationships with the safety regulator (Health & Safety Executive) and other external agencies including OfGem / DESNeX. etc
- Maintain relationships with other GDNs, IGTs, UIPs, National Grid and EUSR for productive and proactive.

Main contacts for the role

Internal

- Head of Health and Safety
- The Responsible Engineer
- Network Controller
- Human Factor Specialist
- Authorising Engineers
- Competent Persons
- The HSE Board
- The Executive Team
- Head of Asset Management
- The Senior Management Team
 - All Divisions

External

- Health & Safety Executive
- OfGem
- DESNeZ
- Industry bodies and Trade associations such as the ENA and IGEM
- Other GDNs
- IGTs/UIPs
- National Grid
- EUSR

Job Dimensions

The Process Safety Manager alongside the management of direct reports will need to liaise closely with other members of the H&S Division including but not limited to the Head of Health and Safety, Engineering Compliance Manager / Responsible Engineer, H&S Senior Manager. They will work alongside senior managers across the business supporting them in the delivery and discharging of respective of process safety standards / responsibilities.