



Internal audit checklist

This checklist is to be used by water industry entities.

It should be used when completing an annual internal audit of compliance with their safety, reliability, maintenance and technical management plan.

Contact details			
Water industry entity			
Contact name		Phone	
Contact title		Email	

1. Introduction			Comments
a)	Is the Safety, Reliability, Maintenance and Technical Management Plan (SRMTMP) effective and functional?	Yes No	
b)	Has the purpose of the SRMTMP changed?	Yes No	
c)	Have the scope and objectives changed?	Yes No	
d)	Is the responsible person for the SRMTMP still current?	Yes No	
e)	Is the organisational chart up to date?	Yes No	
f)	Have any roles and responsibilities for the key position(s) changed?	Yes No	
g)	Is the communication strategy for the plan still current?	Yes No	
h)	Are relevant legislation, codes and standards listed?	Yes No	
i)	Are the major approvals and licenses listed?	Yes No	
2. Description of the operation			Comments
a)	Do the assets summary and the high level descriptions including system/scheme list reflect your current infrastructure?	Yes No	
b)	Is there additional asset design and operational information?	Yes No	
c)	Who is responsible for operations?	Name	
		Phone	
		Email	
3. Operational safety and reliability			Comments
a)	Leadership and commitment Has there been any changes to: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> the person who is responsible for water and/or sewerage infrastructure safety WHS policy statement employee selection, competency and training commitment contractor and end-user training commitment? 	Yes No	

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b)	Effective planning Has there been any changes to: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • design management approach • design life of plant in line with nominated standards or otherwise • safety in design requirements adopted • procurement systems and processes? 	Yes	No	
c)	Controlled implementation Has there been any changes to: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • construction and commissioning management systems • safe operational procedures • maintenance and reliability considerations • decommissioning, demolition and abandonment/disposal • emergency response management? 	Yes	No	
d)	Monitoring and evaluation Has there been any changes to: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • incident management, including classification, reporting and investigation • document management system • reporting requirements? 	Yes	No	
e)	Audit and review Has there been any changes to auditing processes, reviews and responsibilities (including, but not limited to, long-term evaluation plans)?	Yes	No	
4. Formal safety and reliability assessment				Comments
	Has there been any changes to the: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • hazard identification and rating system • risk response mitigation and controls • risk assessment principles and guidelines? 	Yes	No	
5. Asset management				Comments
	Has there been any changes to the: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • asset management system • change management system • operations and maintenance strategies • maintenance program? 	Yes	No	
6. Contract management				Comments
	Has there been any changes to the: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • contract management system • contract assessment process • contractor management - that is, CMS? 	Yes	No	
7. Customer/public protocols and agreements				Comments
	Has there been any changes to the: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • stakeholder communication protocols • public communication protocols • education and notices related to recycled water • supply agreements - statement and/or list of recipients • register of customer contact — issues raised, identified and the response? 	Yes	No	

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8. Compliance monitoring			Comments
	Has there been any changes to the: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • performance monitoring and compliance structure • KPI measurement and reporting processes • periodic operations audits / water quality monitoring and compliance • corrective actions and continuous improvement strategies? 	Yes No	
9. Emergency response and incident reporting			Comments
	Were there any emergencies or incidents? If yes; <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • How many? • Were the incident(s) reported in accordance with the OTR requirements? • Were the incident(s) investigated (internally/externally)? 	Yes No	
10. Update of the SRMTMP			Comments
a)	Has the version table in the SRMTMP been updated and all changes noted?	Yes No	
b)	Has the updated version of the SRMTMP been provided to the OTR for approval?	Yes No	

Submission

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