

ICL PUBLIC INQUIRY

BEFORE

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE LORD GILL

**RECOMMENDATIONS ON BEHALF OF ICL PLASTICS
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(1) That the duties to maintain and inspect LPG pipework are clearly defined as between LPG supplier and customer.

(2) That a consolidated Code of Practice and/or Guidance is produced by the HSE and/or UK LPG regarding LPG installations at commercial premises including LPG pipework whether buried or not.

(3) That consideration is given to extending the provisions of The Gas Safety (Installation and Use) Regulations 1998 to cover supply of gas to commercial premises (currently excluded in terms of Regulation 2(4)(b)).

(4) That consideration is given to the creation of a Register of LPG gas installations at commercial premises to be held by the HSE or other nominated body which Register should include details (age of installation, LPG gas supplier, etc) relating to the installation.

(5) That insofar as LPG installations at commercial premises are already in existence, to establish the number of installations potentially at risk and to consider practicable methods to check the condition of any underground pipework.

It is recognised there may well be significant commercial implications in relation to these issues which will more appropriately be addressed/canvassed in Phase Two of the Inquiry.

IN RESPECT WHEREOF

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