

ONESTEEL MANUFACTURING COMMUNITY NOTICE

October 2025

Environmental Licencing Arrangements for Whyalla Steelworks from November 4, 2025

Like any industry or entity that conducts certain matters known as “Prescribed Activities of Environmental Significance” - which are designated in Schedule 1 of the SA *Environmental Protection Act 1993* - OneSteel is required to hold an **environmental authorisation** (a Licence) issued under Part 6 of that Act to allow management of those activities to be regulated by the EPA. A full list of activities for which OneSteel is licensed is below.

OneSteel has held such a Licence in one form or another for the last 25 years, either issued directly from the EPA, or forming part of the *Whyalla Steel Works Act 1958* but still regulated on a day-to-day basis by the EPA.

OneSteel’s current 10-year Licence in the *Whyalla Steel Works Act 1958* expires on November 3rd this year and so has applied for a Licence from the EPA to continue its existing operations and the relevant prescribed activities.

As part of the EPA’s statutory public consultation as part of the licensing assessment process, the EPA have placed an advert in the Whyalla News and are also writing to residents and businesses directly adjacent to the Whyalla Steelworks licensed premises.

There are no changes to the scale or scope of activities that the Whyalla Steelworks conducts as a result of this application.

OneSteel and the EPA have worked together to undertake a review and modernisation of the Licence to ensure that it reflects contemporary standards.

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Whyalla Steelworks Update – Environment Licence

The list of relevant Prescribed Activities of Environmental Significance from Schedule 1 of the SA Environmental Protection Act 1993 for which OneSteel is licensed:

LICENSED ACTIVITIES

- 1(1) Chemical Storage and Warehousing Facilities
- 1(2)(a)(i) Chemical Works: inorganic
- 1(3) Coke Works
- 1(5) Hydrocarbon Storage or Production Works
- 2(7) Ferrous and Non-ferrous Metal Melting
- 2(8) Metallurgical Works
- 3(1) Waste Recovery
- 3(2)(b) Scrap Metal Treatment Works
- 3(3) Waste Disposal
- 3(5) Activities Involving Listed Wastes
 - 7(1) Bulk Shipping Facilities
- 7(2) Railway Operations
- 7(3)(c) Crushing, Grinding or Milling: rocks, ores or minerals
- 7(4) Dredging
- 7(5) Coal Handling and Storage
- 8(2)(a) Fuel Burning: rate of heat release exceeding 5 megawatts
- 8(4)(b) Marinas and Boating Facilities
- 8(6a) Desalination Plants
- 8(7) Discharges to Marine or Inland Waters