



NQMS SQP Declaration of Document Adequacy

Project

Project Name	Grenfell Investigation into Potential Land Contamination Impacts Stage 2 (July 2021)
Project Address	Within 1km of Grenfell Tower, West London
NQMS Declaration Reference	0721-D4199

Summary Description of Project / Proposed development

This declaration refers to a report produced by AECOM on Stage 2 of the soil investigation into potential land contamination caused by the Grenfell Tower fire. The work was undertaken during the period May 2020 to March 2021, with the sampling of soil and crops taking place in October to November 2020. The investigation has been carried out under Part 2A of the Environmental Protection Act 1990 and in accordance with the statutory guidance for Part 2A, and has been subject to review by the Multi-Agency Partnership, Scientific Advisory Group, and me as the independent Suitably Qualified Person.

The objectives of the investigation were to determine the geographical extent of any significant contamination caused by the fire; establish whether there are unacceptable risks to human health; provide recommendations in relation to the Part 2A classification of all potential significant contaminant linkages; and provide recommendations for whether or not any land appears to meet the definition of contaminated land, under Part 2A. Stage 2 followed on from the Stage 1 investigation, which was reported in 2019 and subject to a separate SQP declaration under the [NQMS](#) (See below). I was able to observe parts of the site walkover and soil sampling and also reviewed and commented on earlier drafts of the report.

Document

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Declaration

I, Paul Nathanail, confirm that I am the person described in the SQP Details section and hold current valid registration as a Suitably Qualified and Experienced Person Registration No. SQP0103 with the NQMS.

I have reviewed the document described in the Document Details section, in relation to the project and site described in the Site Details section, and I am satisfied that:

1. The work has been carried out by appropriately capable people with reference to the Brownfield Skills Framework.
2. That the work carried out is, to the best of my knowledge, undertaken with reasonable skill and care, and the information and data reported:
 - i. describe an appropriate scope and objectives and
 - ii. accord with relevant good practice guidance and standards and
 - iii. are based upon appropriately robust science and
 - iv. are factually correct and
 - v. have been appropriately reviewed.
3. That all specialist aspects have been reviewed by an appropriately qualified/competent person with relevant skills and experience in that specialist area.
4. That the interpretation and conclusions are reasonable.
5. That proposals to mitigate actual potential or residual risks are appropriate.
6. I am competent to sign this Declaration and that
 - a. I am fully aware and comply with the Code of Conduct of The Geological Society through which I hold Chartership 17031.
 - b. The work of this review and Declaration are within the limits of my knowledge, competence and professional capacity.

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Signed: *Paul Nathanail*

Date: 9 July 2021

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