

POLYETHYLENE PIPE FUSION JOINTING WORKSHOP – 2ND NOVEMBER 2016, LONDON

Water UK and the British Plastics Federation Pipes Group are organising a one-day workshop on 2nd November 2016 in London. This is relevant to everyone who is involved with designing, purchasing, on site management and ensuring the integrity of PE pipelines for water.

The newly updated WIS 4-32-08 specification for fusion jointing of polyethylene pipes is a key building block to advancing construction standards across the water industry. The workshop at the British Plastics Federation in London will explain the improvements to WIS 4-32-08.

WIS 4-32-08: Issue 4 “Fusion jointing of polyethylene pressure pipeline systems using PE80 and PE100 materials” has been updated through the Plastic Pipes Liaison Group, a successful and long-running joint initiative between members of Water UK and members of the BPF Pipes Group.

It is hoped that the new standard will receive commitment from the entire supply chain, as PPLG Chair Dr Joseph Sanders, Leakage and Network Strategy Manager Affinity Water, explains: “We need to ensure our future water supply is built on the strongest foundations, so we are urging those involved in laying our water pipelines to really embrace this new standard. The workshop will explain the improvements and the significance across the supply chain.”

The workshop will include presentations and discussions on various aspects of the updated WIS 4-32-08:

- **The updated WIS 4-32-08**
- **The single supply chain** - providing consistency from purchase to installation
- **Further improving quality of joints** - the importance of the cooling process
- **Good workmanship** – using the updated WIS 4-32-08 to underpin best site practice.

The workshop is free to pre-registered attendees and takes place on Wednesday 2nd November 2016 at the British Plastics Federation, BPF House, 6 Bath Place, Rivington Street, London EC2A 3JE. Places are limited and we will be encouraging attendance from across the whole supply chain, so please contact us promptly to request a place.

BOOK A PLACE NOW

Further information on the workshop is available from Caroline Ayres, BPF Pipes Group, email: carolinea@plasticpipesgroup.com or tel: 01932 343409