

## SSE announce intent to demolish plant on Slough Trading Estate

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SSE has today announced Keltbray as its Principal Contractor for the demolition of part of the Slough Heat and Power Plant on the Slough Trading Estate.

Planning permission to construct a Multifuel facility at the site was granted in 2015 and construction of the new Multifuel facility, which will have a generating capacity of up to 50MW, is expected to commence following demolition activities at the site.

Decommissioning of specific areas and associated plant are required to facilitate the new Multifuel development and this is underway in preparation for demolition. The remaining part of the Slough Heat and Power plant currently supplies energy, water and heat to its customers on the trading estate and this will not be affected by the demolition works.

Keltbray are a UK leading specialist contractor, which has a wealth of experience in complex demolition and decommissioning works.

Charlie Cryans, Director of Construction for SSE said: 'We are pleased to have been able to secure the expertise of Keltbray as our Principal Contractor for demolition works at the Slough site. They bring a wealth of knowledge and

experience in the field and we look forward to working with them on the delivery of the project.'

Bob Johnstone, Managing Director for Keltbray said 'We are delighted to have been selected by SSE to work with them on such an important project and look forward to working together to deliver the demolition of key parts of the Slough station'

Members of the public are invited to attend drop in sessions on Tuesday 13<sup>th</sup> November between 2pm and 6pm or Wednesday 14<sup>th</sup> November between 9am and 1pm at Slough Aspire, 350 Edinburgh Avenue, Slough Trading Estate, Slough, SL1 4TU. Members of the SSE and Keltbray teams will be in attendance, sharing more information about the demolition process and answering any questions.

For more information please visit <a href="www.sse.com/sloughmultifuel">www.sse.com/sloughmultifuel</a>

Any questions should be directed to SSE on 0345 076 0530 or media@sse.com

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