

Agenda

Subject: EIC Environmental Laboratories
Working Group

Date: 8th September 2021

Time: 14.30-16.30

Venue: Teams (Virtual)

1. **Welcome and Introduction – Ken Scally – Suez**
2. **Guest Speaker: Ian Ross, Global PFAS Practice Lead – for Tetra Tech** who will be speaking about his experiences on PFAS.
3. **Minutes of the last meeting and matters arising.**
4. **Member discussion on HSG248-2021, and UKAS response** – This item follows the EIC emergency meeting and where EIC wrote to UKAS requesting a response to Member concerns, which we have had a written response. Please see attached.
5. **Update from Steve Forster on the Withdrawal of Blue Book methodology** and a position from the Standing Committee of Analysts (SCA) on the refusal to publish Blue Book. This will be followed by Member discussion on whether the text should be published as an industry guide through Joint Industry Working Group (EIC/CLAIRE) Jointly badged publication.
6. **Microplastics update with BSI Committee** - EH/3/6 – the sampling subcommittee for Water Quality [ISO/TC 147/SC 6 N 694, ISO/PWI 5667-27 Water quality - Sampling - Part 27 - Sampling for microplastic particles and fibres in water](#) – Ken Scally
7. **AOB**