

LOLER PROJECT TASK DESCRIPTIONS

EXPLANATION OF WORK PACKAGE **5** QUALITY ASSURANCE & CERTIFICATION

BRIEF: WP5 aims to bring together all the results from the previous work packages particularly WP4. This includes presentation through a dedicated LOLER project website and links to other websites and potential certification bodies. The options for a LOLER inspector register will be evaluated including an overall certification framework. This will require the development of core quality assurance documentation linked to vocational training & assessment of equipment inspectors.

MAIN TASKS:

1- Develop and promote a LOLER website.

SUB-TASKS:

- Design & construct a suitable website
- Maintain and update the website at appropriate intervals
- Promote the website through the partnership

2- Evaluate options for an inspector register and certification framework.

SUB-TASKS:

- Review appropriate certification organisations and evaluate suitability for the project goals
- Design an outline database for inspector registration

3- Produce quality assurance documentation relevant to a certification system based upon harmonised European LOLER standards

SUB-TASKS:

- Ensure pilot training & testing undertaken is consistent and rigorous
- Ensure all ELS assessment, verification & accreditation results are credible
- Ensure the overall certification system becomes operational & sustainable