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Ceramic Stripping Knife – Product Recall

Processes & Technology (P&T) have been made aware that the supplier of item 30980922 – Ceramic Stripping Knife has supplied SP Energy Networks with a non-approved knife.

A quarantine notice was raised by P&T with Logistics as soon as the supplier's error had been noticed. However, Logistics have confirmed that a number of these non-approved knives have been issued prior to the quarantine notice being raised.

The top picture shows the **Approved** Boddingtons 281500 ceramic stripping knife.

The bottom picture shows the **non-approved** Langley ZBK-1 ceramic stripping knife. P&T are committed to reduce risk by design and due to the length and curvature of the blade on the Langley ZBK-1 knife, there is a potential risk of cutting two cores at once.



Approved Boddingtons 281500



non-approved Langley ZBK-1

Recommendations and action points

- **SPEN Staff** Check your tools, remove any non-approved Langley ZBK-1 knives found and return to either Bonnybridge (SPD) or Queensferry (SPM) stores to be quarantined, where a new Approved Boddingtons 281500 (30980922) knife will be issued.
- Team Leaders / Line Managers To ensure this recall process is undertaken within a timely manner, all Team Leaders and Line Managers please ensure your team complete the action stated above.
- Logistics Ensure that the current quarantine remains in place and that any nonapproved knives returned to stores are added to the quarantined stock. Issue an Approved Boddingtons 281500 knife