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Horizon Nuclear Power continues sponsorship of Anglesey Agricultural Society

Horizon Nuclear Power has confirmed its ongoing commitment to supporting the Anglesey Agricultural Society - including its popular Anglesey Show - with the announcement of a further £5,000 sponsorship for 2018.

Horizon has been a sponsor of the Anglesey Agricultural Society since 2013 and has had a presence at the Anglesey Show for the last nine years. This newly-announced financial backing will be used to sponsor the main pavilion for all the events held at the showground this year.

At the Anglesey Show in August, the Horizon team will be based in its usual space – adjacent to the main show jumping ring – giving visitors the chance to try out a number of exciting science, technology, engineering and maths (STEM) activities, as well as the opportunity to meet the team.

Gwen Parry-Jones, Director of Nuclear Operations at Horizon Nuclear Power, said: “The Anglesey Agricultural Society is host to one of the biggest and best community events on the island – the Anglesey Show – and we’re proud to continue sponsoring the organisation again this year.

“Having a presence at the show is a great way for us to speak to local people in a fun and relaxed environment, while supporting such an important island-based organisation. We’re committed to building and sustaining positive relationships with local communities and look forward to welcoming everyone into our marquee again in August.”

Sponsors Sub-Committee Chairman, Mr R Islwyn Humphreys, at the Anglesey Agricultural Society, said: “On behalf of the local community the Anglesey Agricultural Society wishes, once more, to gratefully acknowledge Horizon Nuclear Power’s financial support for the maintenance of the Pavilion. These funds enable the Society to hire out the pavilion and facilities to local associations and clubs on significantly cheaper terms and attract a wider diversity of users.”

The annual Anglesey Agricultural Show will be held on 14 and 15 August at the Mona Showground. Visit www.angleseyshow.org.uk for more details.

Find out more about Horizon Nuclear Power and the proposals for Wylfa Newydd by visiting www.horizonnuclearpower.com, calling 0800 954 9516 or emailing wylfaenquiries@horizonnuclearpower.com.

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Notes to editors:

- Horizon Nuclear Power was formed in 2009 to develop new nuclear power stations in the UK. The company was acquired by Hitachi Ltd of Japan in November 2012.
- Horizon's development on Anglesey will represent a multibillion pound investment in North Wales, creating high-quality, long term employment opportunities and unlocking lasting economic and social benefits for the region.