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All Q1 2023 targets progressing well. Surveys postponed from Q4 2022 have been completed.

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**Crown Estate** 

Scotland

Full time project manager (Lauren Donachie) recruited.

Annual report and annual financial report submitted.

First annual PrePARED Knowledge Exchange Meeting held at Aberdeen University. This was in cooperation with EcoWINGS and PeLAGIO projects. A successful meeting.

Website up and running.





## Summary of activities undertaken in Q1 2023

- Field work starts again in Q2.
- Some outstanding administrative actions will be completed this quarter (i.e. Q2):
  - three Change Form request explaining carry-over of 2022 underspend in preparation.
  - stakeholder analysis contract has been advertised with submission date end May.
  - Draft comms plan nearly ready
  - Internal governance discussions will improve engagement of Programme Advisory Group
  - Internal governance will address in-year financial control.

