



Submarine Support Management Group (SSMG)

SEA provides 13 Suitably Qualified and Experience Personnel (SQEP) into the Submarine Support Management Group (SSMG) under the Submarine Engineering Support Contract (SESC). Babcock Marine acts as Prime, supported by SEA and BMT Defence Ltd as subcontractors and full risk-sharing partners.

Under this SESC arrangement SSMG provides Technical Support Services to ISM and joint working with the MoD to improve the integration of support planning and delivery between ISM, SSMG and the waterfront. SEA's responsibilities include support to Class Management, Safety, Defect Investigation and the Combat Systems elements.

The SSMG Combat System Support Group manage the delivery between DSM and the waterfront and provide the necessary skill to support the following Combat System activities:

- Design Assessment and Change (DAC);
- Configuration and In Service Support (CISS);
- Task Management and Engineering Consultancy;

SSMG activities have covered:

- Development of Capability Insertion plans;
- Combat System design change solutions;
- Management and documentation changes to the combat system design baseline for in service submarines;
- Management and documentation of the combat system configuration baseline for in service submarines;
- Provision of technical support and analysis
- Provision of effective supportability and design advice for Design Change.
- Provide specialist support to other CSE organisations outside the CSG



