

Case No: 2026-0135 Date of visit: 08/04/2026

Additional inspector(s): Main Inspector:

Site No: FS0993 Site Name: Chalmers Hope

Business No: FB0095 Business Name: Cooke Aquaculture Scotland Ltd

Case Types: 1 VMD 2 3 4 5 6

Water Temp (°C): Thermometer No: FHI 045 completed N/A

Observations: Region: OR Water type: S CoGP MA O-3

Dead/weak/abnormally behaving fish present? Y If yes, see additional information/clinical score sheet.

Clinical signs of disease observed? Y If yes, see additional information/clinical score sheet.

Post mortem signs observed? N If yes, see additional information/clinical score sheet.

Diagnostic samples taken? N

UNI/REG only - if unable to carry out intended visit detail reason below:

Additional Case Information:

Paperwork remotely 02/04/26; Movement record 07/04/26; site inspection 08/04/26. Site receives part grown fish for finishing to harvest. No sea lice or predation issues this cycle. Morts are removed and sent to Dounby yard before disposal to biogas plant. Have issues from plankton and jellyfish dependent on environmental conditions. One or two fish showing signs of physical damage to snouts, eyes and flanks which is due to weather and possible physical damage whilst handling during a hydrolicer treatment in January. One fish removed for VMD sampling and no post mortem signs of disease internally. Fish are currently being harvested by dead haul to Kirkwall. Fish originated from Yetts o'Muckhart, via Fara West. Site inspected by ■■■ & ■■■, VMD sampled by ■■■.

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Registration/Authorisation Details

- 1. Business/site details summary checked by site representative? Y
- 2. Changes made to details? Y

Site Details (include cleaner fish for all sections)

Total No facilities	12	Facilities stocked	11	No facilities inspected	12
Species	Atlantic salmon				
Age group	2024 S0				
No Fish	387,125				
Mean Fish Wt	5.645				
Next Fallow Date (Site)	June 2026	Next Input Date (Site)	August 2026		
Recent (last 4 wks) disease problems?		N	Any escapes (since last visit)?		N
If yes, detail:					

Movement Records

- 1. Movement records for all species held available for inspection? Y
- 2. Date of last inspection: **06/11/2025**
- 3. Are records complete and correctly entered? Y
- 4. Are movement records available for dead fish and waste? Y
- 5. Are records complete and correctly entered? Y
- 6. Have all introductions and imports (since last inspection) from outwith the GB health zone been recorded in the movement records? N/A

Transport Records

- 1. Are any movements carried out not using a STB (by (or on behalf of) the business)?
- If yes, is there a system in place for maintenance of transportation records?

Mortality Records

- 1. Mortality records for all species held available for inspection? Y
- 2. How are mortalities disposed of? **Other (detail)**
- If other detail: **Biogas Keenan Recycling New Deer or Gask**
- 3. Mortality records complete and correctly entered? Y
- 4. Recent mortality (last 4 wks): **Wk 11 0.02%; Wk 12 0.11%; Wk13 0.25%; Wk14 0.00%**
- 5. Evidence of recent increased/atypical mortalities? N
- If yes, facility nos/no mortality per facility/no stock per facility/reason: **[REDACTED]**
- 6. Any other peaks in mortality during period checked? N
- If yes, detail: **[REDACTED]**
- 7. Have increased (unexplained) mortalities been reported to vet or FHI? N/A
- If yes, detail action: **[REDACTED]**
- 8. Have 'mortality events' been reported to FHI? If no, enter details on mortality events sheet. N/A

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 Sampling:

Priority samples: VI BA PA MG HI

Time sampling starts/ends: Main Insp: VMD No.

Environmental conditions: 1 2 3 4 5

Summary samples HIST BA MG VI PA Total Samples

Add Fish/Pools - click button

Pool/Fish No													
Fish nos	1												
Pool Group													
Species	SAL												
Average weight	5.0000												
Sex	N/A												
Water Type	SW												
Stock Details		Fara West FS1017											
	Stock Origin												
Facility No	10												

Fish Health Inspectorate visit report

Summary for information of site operator

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Case no:	20260135	Inspectors:	[REDACTED]

Inspection under the Animals and Animal Products (Examination for Residues and Maximum Residue Limits) (England and Scotland) Regulations 2015

The above site was visited in accordance with the Animals and Animal Products (Examination for Residues and Maximum Residue Limits) (England and Scotland) Regulations 2015.

Samples were taken to be analysed for veterinary residues.

The Inspector did not observe any clinical signs associated with the listed diseases as described in the Aquatic Animal Health (Scotland) Regulations 2009.

Records

The information required for the public record of aquaculture production businesses regarding this site was verified and where necessary updated.

Medicine records were inspected and found to be adequately maintained.

Aquaculture animal and aquaculture animal product movement records were inspected and appeared to be adequately maintained.

Mortality records were inspected and found to be adequately maintained.

Please contact myself or the duty inspector should you require any further information or have any queries regarding this report.

Signed: [REDACTED]

Date: 22/04/2026

Fish Health Inspector

The Fish Health Inspectorate Service Charter detailing standards of service is available on the Scottish Government website at [Fish Health Inspectorate Service Charter - gov.scot \(www.gov.scot\)](http://www.gov.scot)

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