

THE "CITA" INCIDENT

BRIAN LOWEN trained as a Public Health Inspector with Ipswich Borough Council in the early 1960's. After qualifying he worked at Ipswich for four years before moving to Colchester Borough Council and then to Hertsmere Borough Council as a specialist Environmental Health Officer. Seeing an advertisement for the job on the Isles of Scilly he thought "that would do very nicely" and so it has turned out to be as he has been Environmental Health and Chief Technical Officer with the Council for the past 16 years.

SUMMARY Brian will give a summary of the recent incident on the Isles of Scilly when the m.v. Cita hit the rocks on St. Mary's throwing her cargo of 150 containers into the sea and the resultant cooperation of different authorities involved in the clear up exercise.

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