



DATASHEET

THE CIRCULAR ECONOMY EXPERTS

FROM CONSTRUCTION TO AQUACULTURE: REPURPOSING REDUNDANT OILFIELD EQUIPMENT IS DRIVING THE CIRCULAR ECONOMY.

Reuse and recycling have been a cornerstone of John Lawrie Group since its founding in the 1930s, delivering significant environmental and monetary benefits to customers during that time. A notable shift in focus is taking place around the world to minimise the waste, pollution and the consumption of finite resources, improve sustainability, reduce environmental impacts and cut carbon emissions. This has led to the concept of the circular economy growing in prominence. It is a process whereby resources, which are otherwise deemed to be waste, are kept in use for as long as possible by either repurposing them into new products to be utilised in a new way, or by recycling.

From multinational corporations, to small and medium enterprises and third-sector organisations, the circular economy can benefit any business, regardless of their sector or location. The benefits to the business can include:

- > Reducing CO² emissions
- > Identifying alternative uses for items that benefit zero waste strategies
- > Boost corporate social responsibility activities.

John Lawrie Metals' decommissioning services provide ample opportunity to take ownership of quality materials that, when processed, are perfect for repurposing. The aquaculture and marine industries are a main recipient of many of these items. From anchor chain to wire rope these items are used as ballast and for the construction of fish farms around the UK and Europe.

Today, at its facilities in Scotland and the United States, John Lawrie Tubulars holds a stock of around 100,000 tonnes of steel tubulars that is suitable for use in piling and micro-piling projects in the construction and civil engineering sectors globally. To date, John Lawrie Tubulars has supplied millions of tonnes of steel tubulars for use as piling pipe, which has minimised waste, saved an equal volume of CO² emissions and helped establish a more robust economy.

In 2017, that innovation and commitment to reuse and recycling was acknowledged when John Lawrie Group won the Circular Economy Award at the VIBES – Scottish Environment Business Awards.



OUR DECOMMISSIONING CAPABILITIES:



**Onshore
decommissioning
service**



**Piece small to
medium items**



**Access to quayside
dismantling facilities**



**Size reduction service
at quayside**



**Excellent track
record**



**Reuse & recycling
specialists**



**Recycling subsea
infrastructure**



**Licensed waste
treatment facilities
throughout Scotland**



**Skilled & mobile
workforce**



**In-house HSEQ
support service**



**Documented safety
management system
OHSAS 18001:2007**



**Accredited ISO 14001
& 9001 management
systems**

Provision of specialist trucks, lifting and cutting equipment and a fully mobile, well-trained workforce as well as a highly innovative approach to project management and logistics means decisions are made quickly and jobs expedited efficiently. Our in-house HSE function includes method statements/risk assessments, training & competences.

We have a long established and experienced hands-on management team in place and a proven track record in managing, handling and processing a large number of decommissioning projects.

