

First Green Gas flare in Ukraine

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Green Gas Krasnodon has taken delivery of its first flare from Hofstetter Assembly and Installation is now well underway. Three trucks left Hindlebank on 17 August heading for the Polish-Ukrainian border with the flare, control container and an assortment of pipes, valves, measuring the devices and spares for our first project in Ukraine at the Sukhodilska Skhidna Mine, part of the Krasnodonugol group of mines in Krasnodon, Eastern Ukraine.

Having passed the border control successfully they then made their way across country to the customs control point in Lugansk. Customs clearance took just three days, somewhat of a record for Ukraine with our trucks finally arriving on site late in the afternoon of 27 August. We were well prepared and the Green Gas convoy was met by Falko Harff and the local construction crew. Before darkness descended all three containers had been offloaded and the precious cargo stored ready for construction to begin in earnest on 30 August. Since then, progress has been swift and in just a few days the site rapidly began to take shape.



Control Container



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Staff Container