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## UNION WELCOMES LAUNCH OF WOMEN'S NETWORK

Cumbria's largest general trade union has welcomed the recent launch of the Sellafield Women's Network (SWN)

SWN was launched formally last Friday at Energus, Lillyhall and heard from speakers from Government, NDA, Business Community in addition to Senior Executives from Sellafield as well as female workers on site.

The GMB Union, which was represented at the event by Senior Health and Safety, Equality Champions and Female representatives, said that the event had been a success with potential for a real moving forward of the equality and inclusion agenda within the Nuclear Sector.

Donna Walker, GMB Northern Regional Equality Officer said:

"The Sellafield Ltd Women's Network has the real opportunity to be is a tremendous step change in helping women from across the workforce to develop their talents to the full. The nuclear sector is highly skilled and the jobs within Sellafield and the supply chain are essential to regenerating the local economy, community as well as developing diverse talents. We welcome the opportunity to work in partnership in this vital subject area".

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