Thanks for contacting me regarding this Marine Licence Application. This scheme has not gone to tender yet, so no contractor has been appointed. Once the scheme has gone to tender and been awarded we will be in a position to forward the Method Statement from the successful tenderer.

A typical Method Statement for this scheme would involve:

1. Contractor establishes site compound.
2. Cuan Slip, Seil is in a Special Area of Conservation and therefore the impact of any contamination to the surrounding area is significantly higher. Stricter mitigation methods than under normal circumstances will be required and shall be included within the tender documents. Bidders will be required to provide relevant and suitable precautionary measures to ensure no contamination of marine environment.
3. Works shall be carried out to ensure minimal disruption to ferry service.
4. "*SEPA standing advice for The Department of Energy and Climate Change and Marine Scotland on marine consultations*" guidance shall be followed.
5. Old Boat Slip
    a. Remove existing mooring rings and break out any unsound concrete on surface of slipway. Estimated around 1cu.m of concrete removed from slipway to deposit off site.
    b. Drill existing surface & install dowels
    c. Pour new slab & install new mooring rings
    d. New fender, new handrails installed.
6. Main Ferry Slip
    a. Remove any loose areas / section of concrete around base of slipway. 53m total length, say 0.1cu.m per metre of slipway – 5.3cu.m of concrete removed from slipway to deposit off site.
    b. Form grout bags around base of slipway, using steel. Estimated 18cu.m of grout bags and 1000 25mm * 600mm steel dowels here.
    c. Pump XS3 C25/30 concrete with underwater additive into voided area at base of slipway. Estimated volume of concrete – 10cu.m.
    d. Install D-Fender on base at toe of slipway
7. Rubbing Strip
    a. Remove existing section of 21m steel rubbing strip – welded web
    b. Install new section of 21m steel rubbing strip – welded joints
8. Contractor dismantles site compound.