

## **MOL OIL & GAS REFINERY – Százhalombatta, Hungary**

**Client:** MOL (Hungarian Oil & Gas Corp.)

**Value:** £27million



### **Description:**

MOL Hungarian Oil & Gas Plc is the national Oil & Gas company for Hungary, it forms part of the large MOL Group and is by far the largest, in terms of turnover for the Hungarian sector as a whole. The project is a first for the region, involving the operation and maintenance of the existing water treatment plant and waste incineration assets adjacent to the refinery, in a 15 year term contract with Earth Tech. The development of the wastewater treatment and waste incineration facilities of the Danube Refinery at Százhalombatta and the long-term supply of related services, has marked a significant turning point in the outsourcing of activities in the oil industry.

Earth Tech have taken over the operation of the wastewater treatment and waste incineration facilities of the Danube Refinery and will provide these activities to MOL as a service for 15 years. MOL will remain the owner of the related assets. As part of the outsourcing agreement, 45 employees were transferred to Earth Tech to work alongside our staff.

In co-ordination with MOL, Earth Tech has implemented the significant development of the wastewater treatment and waste incineration facilities. As part of the project, the segregation of the sewer system, the build of new wastewater treatment units, as well as modernising the incinerator, has been constructed on the basis of Earth Tech's design documentation. Earth Tech will finance the investment of nearly HUF 10 billion (£27million) and after the completion of the project MOL will refund it. As a result, the wastewater treatment and waste incineration facilities of the Danube Refinery, and will ensure it's compliance with the significantly stricter environmental pollution specifications that are expected to be in force in both the EU and in Hungarian legislation.

This contract represents an important step forward in the development of environmental standards at the Duna Refinery, in that it is realised through a cooperation agreement between MOL and an internationally recognised, experienced service provider Earth Tech.