

Asbestos Policy

Network Scaffolding Contractors Ltd recognise their duties and responsibilities under the Control of Asbestos Regulation 2012 and are committed to ensuring that all works undertaken are suitably assessed and managed to ensure the health, safety and welfare of its operatives, as well as persons not under their control and members of the general public.

POLICY

Network Scaffolding Contractors Ltd has put in place a management structure to ensure the asbestos management policy objectives are met. This includes the allocation of suitably trained management personnel who are responsible for asbestos management, and the introduction of an asbestos management plan within the Network Scaffolding Contractors Ltd's Integrated Management System.

Objectives

- Prevent exposure to the hazards associated with asbestos containing materials (ACMs)
- Assess the risk from ACMs based on their condition and accessibility
- Review the effectiveness of the Asbestos Management Policy and Asbestos Management Plan on a regular basis.
- Promote awareness of the hazards of exposure to asbestos and Network Scaffolding Contractors Policy and Procedures, through training of relevant staff.
- Maintain and record all training, inspections and medical records in accordance with the guidelines set within the regulation.
- Provide all necessary resources, equipment, information, instruction, training and supervision required to work safely to any employee who is likely to knowingly come into contact with ACMS.
- Ensure that all notifications in respect of "notifiable" works are submitted to the HSE within the agreed timescale set by the HSE.

This policy is maintained and reviewed at least annually to ensure continual suitability and that any changes in our organisation, arrangements, scope of operations and our working practices are considered.

The Procedure

For further information on procedures, refer to the Asbestos Management Plan.



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