

# Contractors and the Self Employed Health & Safety Policy 2011

Contractors and the self employed who are working for this company, will be required to signify that:

- They are conversant with the Health and Safety at Work Etc. Act 1974 and Approved Codes of Practice.
- They will conduct their activities in accordance with the requirements of this Safety Policy.
- They will observe the special requirements relating to young persons.
- They will submit risk assessments, COSHH assessments and where necessary, method statements as required at pre-contract meetings, two weeks before their intended start date on site.
- They accept that operations requiring method statements will not be permitted to commence, until the statements have been received and approved.
- They will provide evidence of training and certificates of competence, as required.
- No hazardous product or substance will be used, unless it is subject of a COSHH assessment, correctly labelled in approved containers or packages, and suitable storage arrangements.
- Before work commences on hazardous operations a Permit to Work procedure will be obtained from the Principal Contractor.
- They acknowledge that the Principal Contractor has the duty and responsibility to ensure that all employees comply and co-operate with, this Safety Policy.

## Contractor Declaration

I hereby declare:-

- All my employees are conversant with the requirements of the Health and Safety at Work. Act 1974, all codes of practice and other statutory regulations and requirements,
- That we will conduct our operations and activities in accordance with the provisions therein, and the Principal Contractors Safety Policy.
- Risk assessments, method statements, etc. will be prepared and submitted two weeks before our intended start date on site, for inspection and assessment of their relevance.
- Risk assessments, etc. will be available to and within the knowledge of, my employees.

Company:

Signed:

Position in company:

Date:

**The COPY of this page MUST be completed and returned to the office**