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Engineering peace of mind

Understanding and complying with the
new Regulatory Reform Fire Safety Order

October 2006 saw the introduction of the '**Regulatory Reform Fire Safety Order**'. In essence this means that responsibility for fire safety shifts further into the hands of employers. The UK fire certificate process, previously provided by the fire service, has ceased.

Employers need to follow the guidance laid down and complete a written Fire Risk Assessment of their premises. This must be in accordance with the recently issued guidance in respect of the 'Regulatory Reform Fire Safety Order' (RRO) identifying different assessment types for specific building usage.

Fire risk assessment is a detailed and specialist subject. It also carries significant potential liabilities, especially if the assessment is not conducted in strict accordance with legislative requirements. To achieve this in a professional and competent manner, and ensure liability is minimized for all, Trinity have developed a full **Fire Risk Assessment and support service**. All aspects of the Trinity package are in accordance with the latest Government and H & S standards.

This new legislation is sensible. In today's world safety is an expected norm, but fires in the work-place still cost 38 lives, over 1300 injuries and £2.5 billion in 2004.

Q: What is the new Fire Safety Order and what does it mean to me?

A: The RRO requires you to have a written document in an approved format, detailing the current level of fire risk and the existing fire precautions.

The onus for fire safety now lies on your organisation and its partners/directors/legally responsible person.

Q: How much time do I have to comply?

A: The RRO came into force on the first of October 2006. Simultaneously the fire brigade certification function ceased in most brigade areas (although all fire services still offer fire safety advice to businesses). It is never too soon to start as fire is a risk every day.

Q: How can Trinity help me?

A: Trinity can help with all that is required to comply with the new regulations.

TRINITY OFFER:

- An on site evaluation of your fire safety and risks, to the required PAS79 standard format by a qualified assessor in accordance with the RRO
- An up to date and impartial written Fire Risk Assessment report
- An up to date fire precautions evaluation and report
- Clear guidance and solutions on how to meet your legal requirements
- All required fire safety product/service/training and support.

DON'T DELAY!

IT'S NEVER TOO SOON
TO BE SURE YOU ARE SAFE
FROM FIRE. CALL YOUR
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