

## WE ARE HERE TO PROTECT YOUR BUSINESS FROM FIRE

With our specialist team of fire safety professionals, we endeavour to find you fire safety solutions which are practical and cost effective for your business.

Complete our Fire Safety Compliance check below to see if you comply with your fire safety responsibilities.

	Yes / No
Are you aware of your duties under fire safety legislation?	
Have you completed a Fire Risk Assessment of your premises?	
Do you have a Fire Safety Policy & Evacuation Procedures?	
Have all your staff received basic fire safety training?	
Are any of your staff trained on fire extinguisher use?	
Are any of your staff trained to Fire Warden / Marshal level?	
Have you completed a Fire Drill in the last 6 months?	
Do you complete in house checks on your fire safety equipment?	
Do you have your fire safety equipment serviced regularly? (fire alarm / emergency lighting / extinguishers)	
Do you have your electrical equipment inspected and tested?	
Do you check and maintain your fire doors and partitions?	
Have you adequate fire safety and evacuation signage installed?	

If you have ticked NO to any of the questions above YOU MAY NOT BE FULLY INSURED!

Why not take advantage of our **FREE CONSULTATION** and we can advise you of the best way forward.



If you need help with any aspect of fire safety contact us and we can arrange a free fire safety review Head Office: (028) 9045 2297

# **FIRE RISK ASSESSMENTS**

A Guide to Fire Risk Assessments and Selecting a Competent Fire Risk Assessor

#### What is a Fire Risk Assessment?

An evaluation of your premises in terms of fire safety and risk to life from fire.

#### Who needs a Fire Risk Assessment?

Every business needs to complete a Fire Risk Assessment. If you have five or more employees you need to record your findings.

#### Why is it best for your Fire Risk Assessment to be completed by a professional?

An experienced Fire Risk Assessor will give you subjective advice, taking into account cost verses benefit and recommend actions which are reasonably practicable. Compliance ensures your piece of mind, protects your business, employees and visitors to your premises. A valid Fire Risk Assessment is also an essential requirement of your commercial insurance policy.

# What are your obligations in selecting a suitable Fire Risk Assessor?

No matter who carries out the Fire Risk Assessment the duty holder or business owner retains the responsibility for ensuring the adequacy of that assessment. If employing a specialist to undertake the Fire Risk Assessment, whilst you are not expected to be an expert in fire safety you should make reasonable checks to ensure that they are competent to complete the job properly.

#### How should you select your Fire Risk Assessor?

Your selected company should be 3rd party accredited under a company scheme (BAFE SP205) and your selected assessor on a Fire Risk Assessor Register (IFPO). UKAS Accredited Company Certification Scheme – BAFE SP205 Company Scheme. Professional Body Person Registration Scheme – IFPO Fire Risk Assessors Register.

#### How can Fire Safety Solutions NI help?

We hold the BAFE SP205 accreditation and have multiple accredited Fire Risk Assessors all around the Province. We have the experience and expertise to protect you and your business providing a cost effective, professional service with the highest level of customer service.

## Don't gamble with your fire safety, put it in the hands of the professionals Call us today (028) 9045 2297





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