



Health and Safety (Offences) Act 2008

This new Legislation comes into force in January 2009 and introduces higher fines for breaches of Health and Safety Legislation as well as imprisonment being an option in more cases.

The fines for most offences will be increased from the current level of £5,000 to £20,000.

Site Waste Management Plan Regulations 2008

This Legislation requires a Plan to be implemented for all construction projects with a value over £300,000.

Details and guidance can be found on the Netregs website: <http://www.netregs-swmp.co.uk/>

From 6 April 2009:

- Office and shop employers will no longer have to complete the OSR1 form and register with their local authority; and
- HSE is publishing new versions of its approved health and safety poster and leaflet. To avoid an unnecessary burden on business, HSE has set a five-year transition period. The current poster and leaflets must be replaced by the new versions by no later than 5 April 2014.

TGF News


Summer 2009 will see the introduction of the **TGF Safety Net**.

This will be a website resource for our Clients that will provide:

- Client Login - providing secure access to the site.
- Document Repository - documents that TGF have produced will be available in *Adobe Acrobat* format.
- Legislation Updates.
- Industry News.
- Client Satisfaction Survey.



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