

## **HEALTH & SAFETY POLICY STATEMENT.**

The management of Gauge Factors Ltd acknowledges & fully accepts, so far as is reasonably practicable, their responsibilities for ensuring high standards of health & safety. The company is committed to ensuring high standards of health, safety and welfare for all its employees, visitors, contractor's staff and members of the public who may be affected by our activities.

Gauge Factors Ltd recognises the importance of health, safety & welfare at work and as far as is reasonably practicable will endeavour to provide a working environment that is safe and without risk to health, complying to its statutory obligations as stated within section 2 (2) of the Health & safety at Work etc. Act 1974 and subsequent & relevant statutory requirements and to:

Carry out suitable risk assessments of premises & tasks carried out within them, including the risks from fire, noise, manual handling exposure to chemicals etc.

Provide properly maintained, guarded & safe plant & equipment.

Ensure that all substances & items being used, stored, transported & disposed of are done so safely and without risk to health or the environment.

Ensure that employees are provided with training, supervision, information and instruction to enable them to undertake their tasks safely. And to provide necessary safety devices, protective equipment and training for their use.

Provide safe and healthy working environments, by maintaining premises in a condition that is safe and without risk to health. Ensuring a safe means of access and egress.

Management are responsible for maintaining high safety standards to prevent occupational illness and injury. This will be achieved by assessing risks, removing hazards wherever possible and implementing safe systems of work for our employees.

In return Gauge Factors Ltd requires all employees, visitors etc. to recognise their own individual responsibility and to comply with all health and safety requirements relevant to their activities by:

Working safely, following the training and instruction given. Complying with the safe systems of work and procedures that implement them.

Reporting all incidents immediately, (including near misses that have/may have resulted in injury) and assisting with investigation and subsequent measures to prevent any reoccurrence.

Using any personal, protective equipment (PPE) where it is required.

Taking care of yourself and others who you come into contact with who may be affected by your activities.

This policy statement, associated procedures and practices will be reviewed regularly to ensure Gauge Factors Ltd ensure continued health & safety performance.

Mr Graham Dawson  
Managing Director 13.9.24