

RISK LEVEL ESTIMATOR TABLE BASED ON BS8800

RISK LEVEL ESTIMATOR	SLIGHTLY HARMFUL	HARMFUL	EXTREMELY HARMFUL
HIGHLY UNLIKELEY	TRIVIAL RISK	TOLERABLE RISK	MODERATE RISK
UNLIKELY	TOLERABLE RISK	MODERATE RISK	SUBSTANTIAL RISK
LIKELEY	MODERATE RISK	SUBSTANTIAL RISK	INTOLERABLE RISK

- USING ALL THE AVAILABLE INFORMATION FROM THE PRODUCT LABEL AND MSDS, AND YOUR OWN OPINIONS/ JUDGEMENT ESTIMATE-
 - THE LEVEL OF HARM THAT THE SUBSTANCE POSES- THIS IS THE LEVEL OF HARM THAT IS ASSOCIATED WITH THE STORAGE, USE, DISPOSAL AND ALSO ANY EMERGENCIES SUCH AS SPILLAGE, FIRE, FIRST AID ETC. ASSOCIATED WITH THE SUBSTANCE FROM SLIGHTLY HARMFUL THROUGH TO EXTREMELEY HARMFUL.
 - AND THEN ESTIMATE THE LIKLIHOOD THAT THE HARM WILL BE REALISED FROM HIGHLY UNLIKELY THROUGH TO LIKELY
 - THIS WILL GIVE A RISK LEVEL ESTIMATION FROM TRIVIAL TO INTOLERABLE
 - TRIVIAL TO TOLERABLE GENERALLY IMPLIES THAT NO FURTHER CONTROLS ARE NECESSARY, HOWEVER THIS SHOULD BE MONITORED TO ENSURE THAT EXISTING CONTROLS ARE BEING USED
 - MODERATE RISK WOULD REQUIRE EFFORTS TO REDUCE THE RISK, AND MEASURES SHOULD BE IMPLEMENTED WITHIN A DEFINED TIME PERIOD- FOR MODERATE RIKS ASSOCIATED WITH EXTREMELY HARMFUL CONSEQUENCES FURTHER ASSESSMENT MAY BE NECESSARY
 - SUBSTANTIAL RISK REQUIRES THAT CONSIDERABLE RESOURCES MAY HAVE TO BE ALLOCATED TO REDUCE THE RISK

TRIVIAL- TOLERABLE	LOW RISK
MODERATE	MEDIUM RISK
SUBSTANTIAL- INTOLERABLE	HIGH RISK

- ONCE THE LEVEL OF RISK HAS BEEN ESTIMATED, ENTER THIS ONTO COSHH 2 DOCUMENT BY

~~TICKING THE APPROPRIATE RISK RATING- LOW THROUGH TO HIGH.~~