

Tailoring Safe Working Practices to the Motor Industry

Background

Small garage based in North Yorkshire employed over 5 people.

Problem

- Insurance company wanted to see proof they were complying to the H&S Act 1974 with safety policy and risk assessments
- Aware systems could be better but did not know where to start
- Had hazardous substance issues
- Had electrical wiring issues
- Had vehicle movement & visitor issues
- Had equipment and storage issues

Outcome

- Improved safety management system so that it was accurate and tailored to business requirements
- Company fully aware of legal obligations, able to step by step improve all systems, continually improving and educating / developing workforce
- Had documented evidence of safety systems and procedures
- Able to answer all insurance questions
- Had competent advice and annually audited