



## Walsh Construction Ltd

# Asbestos - Statement of Intent

Walsh Construction Ltd recognises THE DANGERS involved when dealing with handling and removing asbestos materials. As a responsible employer, Walsh Construction Ltd acknowledges the need to take measures to minimise the risk of exposure to all employees.

Where it is reasonable to assume that asbestos may be present, a survey will be carried out prior to work commencing by a suitably qualified specialist company.

The survey will be inspected prior to works commencing, and appropriate action will be taken dependant on the complexity of the survey report.

All employees are aware of the asbestos dangers and are not permitted to work with or remove any asbestos containing material. Should any site personnel suspect the presence of asbestos, they must their report to a senior member of staff.

Handling or removal works will only be carried out by accredited (licensed) specialists and this will be clearly documented. A clearance certificate must be issued by an independent UKAS accredited analytical firm in accordance with legislation.

Due regard is given to Health & Safety in respect of the provisions and compliance of:

- The Health and Safety at Work Act 1974.
- The Management of Health & Safety at Work Regulations 1999
- The Control of Asbestos at Work Regulations 2002, 2006, 2012
- Asbestos (Licensing) Regulations 1983
- The Asbestos (Prohibitions) Regulations 1992
- All other relevant legislation and Approved Codes of Practices.

Company employees working or handling asbestos is strictly prohibited.

Full details of the Asbestos Policy are available upon request.

Signed by Jon Bird, Managing Director.