



Method Statement

Date: 14/03/16	Review: 14/03/18	MS No: MD113
Task: Use of Fire Training Trailer		
Area of Works: On site		
Resources		
Supervision: None required, service engineers trained to work unaccompanied and adhere to any on site local safety practices.		
Operatives: Senior service engineer (authorised and trained to work on training trailer)		
Equipment: Training trailer Source of ignition		
Substances: Assessments will be prepared and available on site and operatives have been fully briefed on the safe use of products.		
Training: Appropriate trade training		
Identified hazards (refer to relevant RAMS and COSHH data) MD112		
Method of Works: Trailer only to be towed by experienced and competent driver. Do not attempt reversing manoeuvres without the aid of a banksman. Trailer to be positioned on level, open ground. Maintain a safe distance of at least 4.5 metres from any building, vehicles or any type of combustible material. Once positioned, the trailer must be braked and then detached from the towing vehicle. The towing vehicle must be moved to a safe distance from the trailer. The operator must stand at a distance of not less than 3 metres from the trailer when carrying out demonstrations. Students must stand at a distance of not less than 3 metres from the trailer during demonstrations. Warn students prior to the use of the pyrotechnic flash simulator. Permit those with heart conditions or a nervous disposition to leave the area prior to the demonstration. Regularly inspect the condition of hoses for signs of damage or deterioration. When unattended, gas cylinders to be turned off at the manual control valve.		
Approved by _____		
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