

## RHINO ENGINEERING GROUP LIMITED INTEGRATED MANAGEMENT SYSTEM

# CONSTRUCTION (DESIGN AND MANAGEMENT) POLICY

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#### **ABOUT THIS POLICY**

This policy is applicable to Rhino Engineering Group Limited (REGL) and all subsidiary companies including Rhino Systems Limited (RSL), Rhino Site Systems Limited (RSSL) and Rhino HySafe Limited.

This policy defines how REGL complies with the requirements of the Construction (Design and Management) Regulations 2015.

REGL commits to meeting the responsibilities of the regulations to ensure that any construction works or repairs under their control are undertaken safely and without damaging workers or other people's health.

### **REQUIREMENTS**

Specific considerations will be given to the following:

- 1. Appoint the right people at the right time.
- 2. Ensure that arrangements are in place for managing projects, either directly by REGL personnel, or in conjunction with clients.
- 3. Give due consideration to health and safety factors in all projects by production of a Risk Assessment Method Statement (RAMS) prior to commencing any on site work. Specific areas that will be considered are:
  - Working at height prioritising the use of scissor lifts and access platforms as appropriate
  - Collapse of excavations / security of groundworks
  - · Rigidity and loadbearing capacity of building structure
  - Exposure to building dusts
  - Exposure to asbestos
  - Electricity / gas proximity of supply services before drilling into walls
  - Protection of members of the public introduction of exclusion areas
- 4. Allow adequate time for the design, planning, production and installation works to be completed safely and to the quality required.
- 5. Provide information to contractors and clients and communicate requirements as early and clearly as possible. Work with contractors and clients to resolve any issues in a timely and effective manner at the earliest opportunity.
- 6. Ensure adequate welfare facilities are available on site for REGL personnel.
- 7. Work with the principal contractor or client to produce a construction plan to proportionately manage any health and safety risks.
- 8. Pass required health and safety information to the principal contractor or client so that any risks can be assessed for future maintenance, repair, construction work or demolition.

#### **RESPONSIBILITY**

The Group Engineering Director has overall responsibility for implementation of this policy.

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