

**Ground Handlers – Safety Statement Declaration**

Company: \_\_\_\_\_

	<b>Safety Health And Welfare At Work Act 1989 Requirements</b>	YES	NO
1	Does your Safety Statement comply with Irish Legislation ?		
2	Does it contain the correct Emergency Numbers for Airport?		
3	Does it contain HSA contact numbers?		
4	Does it contain the local company safety contact number ?		
5	Does it contain Corporate safety contact number?		
6	Does it refer to Accident reports on IR 1 form?		
7	Does it Specify the manner in which the safety, health and welfare of persons employed shall be secured at work?		
8	Is it based on an identification of the hazards and an assessment of the risks to safety and health at the place of work to which the safety statement relates?		
9	Does it specify the arrangements made and resources provided for safeguarding the safety, health and welfare of persons employed at a place of work to which the safety statement relates		
10	Does it specify the co-operation required from employees		
11	Does it specify the names, including the names of authorised deputies and job titles where applicable, of the persons responsible for the performance of tasks assigned to them by the safety statement?		
12	Does it specify how the terms of the safety statement are brought to the attention of persons employed by him and to other persons at the place of work who may be affected by the Safety Statement		
13	Have you carried out the Risk Assessment as required under section 12 (3) of the 1989 Act.		
	<b>Safety Health And Welfare At Work (General Application) Regulations 1993</b>		
14	Have arrangements for cooperation and coordination of action with other employers been put in place? (Regulation 6)		
15	Does it specify the arrangements you have in place for sharing of information with other employers? (Regulation 11)		
16	Does it specify the arrangements you have in place for ensuring employees of other employers have received necessary instructions? (Regulation 11)		

I ..... (Name).....(Position)  
of .....(Company Name) certify that the answers given above are correct and certify that our Safety Statement Complies with the Requirements of the Safety Health & Welfare at Work Act 1989 and associated Irish Legislation.

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**A copy of your company Safety Statement must accompany the signed copy of this Declaration**

**Note** Other Safety Regulations made under a number of Acts listed below require the carrying out of **Specific Risk Assessments** which also form part of the Safety Statement.

## Acts

1. The Factories Act, 1955
2. Dangerous substances Acts, 1972 and 1979
3. Safety in Industry Act, 1980
4. Safety Health & Welfare at Work Act 1989
5. Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Road Act 1998
6. The Road Traffic Acts 1961 to 2002
7. Safety Health & Welfare at Work Act 2005 – coming into force 1<sup>st</sup> September '05.

## Regulations

1. Regulations and Orders made under The Factories Act, 1955
2. Regulations made under European communities Act, 1972
3. Regulations made under Dangerous substances Acts, 1972 and 1979
4. Regulations and Orders made under Safety in Industry Act, 1980
5. Regulations made under Safety Health & Welfare at Work Act 1989
6. Regulations made under the Chemical Weapons Act 1997
7. Regulations made under Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Road Act 1998
8. Regulations made under The Road Traffic Acts
9. Miscellaneous Regulations and Orders

Safety Legislation can be accessed through the Health & Safety Authority (HSA) web site [www.hsa.ie](http://www.hsa.ie) or through the Irish Statute Book [www.irishstatutebook.ie/](http://www.irishstatutebook.ie/)

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