

# FIRE RISK ASSESSMENT

#### PROPERTY ASSESSED:

Pennytown Court Somercotes Somercotes

**DE55 4TB** 



UPRN: 9

**Inspection Date:** 15/08/2022 **Validation Date:** 20/09/2022

**Valid to: 20/09/2023** 

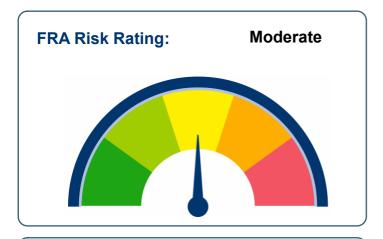
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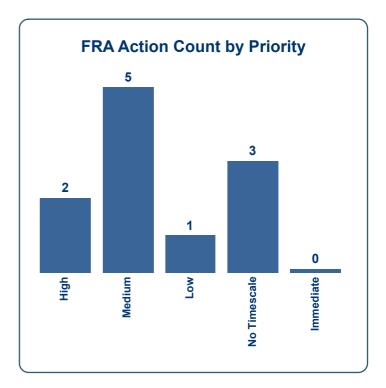


# **Executive Summary**





FRA Action by Type			
Recommendations: 3			
Actions: 8			
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**Premises Risk Rating: Moderate** 

Reassessment Priority: High - 1 Year

Recommended evacuation strategy for this building is: Simultaneous Evacuation

On satisfactory completion of all remedial works the risk rating of this building may be reduced to:: Tolerable

#### **FRA - Summary**

Responsible Person	CEO Futures
Property Designation	Community Centre
Management Extent	Partially Managed Building - Manager or Senior Staff not onsite regularly
No of Floors	1
No of Flats (if applicable)	0
Ground floor Area (m2)	35
Total Area of all floors (m2)	35

FRA Completed By:	Gary Broadhurst
FRA Type:	Type 1
QA Validation Date:	20/09/2022
QA Carried Out By:	Jack McLinden

Validator's Signature:



#### High 2

Ref.	Category		Priority	Complete By
Q1	Measures To Limit Fire Spread And Development		High	20/Oct/2022
Finding/Observation Action		Action/Recommendation		
The ceiling in the boiler room below the first floor accommodation is not suitably fire stopped		The ceiling requires further fire stopping to ensure it provides the required fire separation between floors		rovides

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Ref.	Category		Priority	Complete By	
Q4	Measures To Limit Fire Spread And Development		High	20/Oct/2022	
Finding	Finding/Observation Action/Recommendation		n		
		Management to check co	eck compartmentation within the roof space rea		
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Ref.	Category		Priority	Complete By
E1	Cooking		Medium	19/Dec/2022
Finding/Observation Action/Recommendation		tion		
All service users are given induction which includes information on all equipment usage  The kitchen is provided with a gas cooker that was tested for blow out and failed to cut off the gas supply		The gas cooker should test failed	be further inspected as th	ne blow out

Ref.	Category		Priority	Complete By
H1	Hazards Introduced By Contractors	Hazards Introduced By Contractors		19/Dec/2022
Finding/0	Finding/Observation Action/Recommendation		on	
Evidence was not available to confirm there is satisfactory control over works carried out in the building by contractors (e.g. hot work permits).		A documented procedure is recommended for ensuring all contractors are controlled on site and only operate within approved industry standards. This should include a permit to work and a hot work permit procedure where appropriate. All contractors should be advised of the emergency procedures and hazardous areas.		
		and nazardous areas.		



Ref.	Category		Priority	Complete By
N1	Emergency Lighting		Medium	19/Dec/2022
Finding/Observation Action/		Action/Recommendation		
The escape lights cover all escape routes although one light showed a red LED. See O1		The engineer should che defective	ck the light unit to ensure it is	s not

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Ref.	Category		Priority	Complete By
01	Fire Safety Signs & Notices		Medium	19/Dec/2022
Finding/Observation		Action/Recommendation		
fire door I	was generally considered adequate and included, keep locked shut, no smoking, fire fighting nt and running man	Display a fire action notic	ce inside the main entrance	

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Ref.	Category		Priority	Complete By
P1	Means Of Giving Warning In Case Of Fire		Medium	19/Dec/2022
Finding/0	Finding/Observation Action/Recommendation		ation	
detection includes I all other a use of pro A reset bu	ing is fitted with a domestic hard wired interlinked fire and warning system in the common areas which heat detector in the kitchen and smoke detectors in areas which is considered suitable for the type and operty utton is also provided on the wall however it was not od who or what it is for	Display a sign next to the	e reset button with instructions	S

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Ref.	Category		Priority	Complete By
A2	Electrical Ignition Sources		Low	19/Mar/2023
Finding/0	Dbservation	Action/Recommendation	n	
	PAT is carried out in accordance with HSE recommendations however no equipment seen displayed up to date information  Ensure all equipment is labelled		abelled	



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F1 Lightning No Timescale  Finding/Observation Action/Recommendation  No lightning protection system was seen on site. Recommend management undertake a risk assessment of the building to determine if lightning protection is required	Ref.	Category		Priority	Complete By
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	inding/O	bservation	Action/Recommendation	n	
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Ref.	Category		Priority	Complete By
T6	Procedures And Arrangements		No Timescale	
Finding/C	Observation	Action/Recommendation	1	
Unable to	confirm at the time of the assessment	Consider provision of a v visitors	oluntary PEEPS system for d	lisabled

Ref.	Category		Priority	Complete By
Y1	Y1 Engagement With Residents		No Timescale	
Finding/Observation		Action/Recommendation	ı	
The property is only in use when the facilities are booked in advance  Ensure at least one person in trelevant fire safety matters		• .	ed of all	



Reassessment Priority	High - 1 Year
Responsible Person	CEO Futures
BAFE Cert	CHES077

#### **General Information**

UPRN	9
Address	Pennytown Court Somercotes Somercotes
Postcode	DE55 4TB
Fire Risk Assessor	Gary Broadhurst
Date of Inspection	15/08/2022
Checked by	Jack McLinden
Reassessment Date	15/08/2023

## **General Information**

Property Designation	Community Centre
Property Type	Purpose built community centre
No of Floors	1
No of Flats (if applicable)	0
Ground floor area (m2)	35
Total area of all floors	35
Building Description	Pennytown court community centre. The purpose-built ground ground floor community centre is semidetached and stands below apartments and back from the road Facilities inside include entrance lobby, kitchen, toilets, lounge, and storerooms The property has one exit which is the main entrance door, is is opened by key and is provided with thumb turn device inside All internal doors were all in good solid condition and solid construction The kitchen is provided with a gas cooker which was tested for safety cut out by lighting a ring and blowing out the flame, which then failed to turn off the supply The windows can be opened to provide fresh air and ventilation Waste is removed by the service users on the day as no bins are provided All escape routes were clear of obstruction and the furniture inside the lounge appeared old but was in good condition The property is provided with a simple fire detection and warning system which appears compliant with BS 5839 part 6, and comprises of heat detector in the kitchen and smoke detectors throughout the escape routes with a reset button on the wall As the property will be used by different persons each time it is recommended

	that a sign is displayed next to the fire reset button explaining how and when it should be used The system appears suitable for the type and use of the property and ample emergency lighting is provided on all escape routes There is provision of firefighting equipment which consisted of C02 and Foam equipment with fire blanket in the kitchen. The equipment was last tested in February 2022 as evidenced by the attached labels Signage included, general fire action notice and running man exit signs which were considered adequate for the evacuation strategy which is simultaneous evacuation The boiler house is set beneath residential accommodation and requires further inspection with a view to improving the fire stopping on the ceiling Overall, the property appeared well kept, and clean and tidy and is only used on occasion by different user groups who are given sufficient information about their responsibilities when on site
Building Construction	Traditional brick with pitched and tiled roof
Extent of common areas	lounge, lobby, kitchen, stores
Areas of the building to which access was not available	roof space
If applicable state which flats were sample inspected	N/A



#### 1. The Occupants

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Ref.	Question	Policy Principles
17	Identify any people who are especially at risk: - sleeping occupants - disabled occupants - occupants in remote areas and lone workers - young persons - others	
Answe	r	Finding/Observation
	nceivable that there may be young persons, and elderly s in the building as well as persons with disabilities	



#### 2. Fire Safety Legislation

Ref.	Question	Policy Principles
21	The following fire safety legislation applies to these premises	
Answer		Finding/Observation
Regulato	ry Reform (Fire Safety) Order 2005	
Ref.	Question	Policy Principles
22	The above legislation is enforced by	
Answer		Finding/Observation
Derbyshi	re Fire and Rescue Service	
Ref.	Question	Policy Principles
23	Other key fire safety legislation (other than Building Regs 2000)	
Answer		Finding/Observation
None		
Ref.	Question	Policy Principles
24	The other legislation referred to above is enforced by	
Answer		Finding/Observation
N/A		
Ref.	Question	Policy Principles
25	Guidance used as applicable to premises and occupation	
Answer		Finding/Observation
Small & N	Medium Places of Assembly	
Ref.	Question	Policy Principles
26	Is there an alteration or enforcement notice in force?	
Answer		Finding/Observation
No		
Ref.	Question	Policy Principles
27	Fire loss experience (since last FRA)	
Answer		Finding/Observation
No		



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Answer

No

Are they any PV cells installed and do they have the appropriate isolation systems and signage to assist

the fire and rescue service?

Ref.	Question	Policy Principles		
A1	Is the fixed electrical installation periodically inspected and tested, (include dates if known)?	FHG complete Fixed wire testing in line with current regulations every 5 years and complete an annual visual inspection on all properties.		
Answe	r	Finding/Observation	1	
Yes		See principle.		
Ref.	Question	Policy Principles		
A2	Is PAT testing in common areas carried out?	PAT testing is complete at the time of the visual inspection as mentioned above. All items in the communal areas will be tested.		
Answer		Finding/Observation	1	
Yes		PAT is carried out in accordance with HSE recommendations however no equipment seen displayed up to date information		
Action/Recommendation			Priority	Due Date
Ensure all equipment is labelled			Low	19/Mar/2023
Ref.	Question	Policy Principles		
A3	Is there a policy for personal electrical appliances (consider restrictions of communal supply points such as outlets and T pin outlets)?	All personal items are not to be left in communal areas.  Mobility Scooter Policy		
Answe	r	Finding/Observation	Finding/Observation	
Yes		See principle.		
Ref.	Question	Policy Principles		
A4	Is the use of adapters and leads limited?			
Answe	r	Finding/Observation	1	
Yes				
Ref.	Question	Policy Principles		

Finding/Observation



#### **B. Smoking Policies**

Ref.	Question	Policy Principles	
B1 Are there suitable arrangements to prevent fire as a result from smoking?		No smoking policy in all communal areas- signage displayed.	
Answer		Finding/Observation	
Yes		No signs of smoking were seen inside the property at the time of the assessment and no smoking signs are displayed	
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Ref.	Question	Policy Principles
B2	Is the policy being adhered to and are "No smoking" signs provided in the common areas?	
Answer		Finding/Observation
No		See B1



#### C. Arson

Ref.	Question	Policy Principles		
C1 Are premises secure against arson by outsiders? (Please state how)				
Answer		Finding/Observation		
Yes		The entrance door was secure and working at the time of the site visit and includes a thumb turn to release which worked as it should		

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Ref.	Question	Policy Principles	
C2	Are bins secured or fire loading stored in a suitable location? (Please state bin type, location, if and how it is secured)		
Answer		Finding/Observation	
N/A		Waste and recycling are removed from the building when it is used	



#### D. Portable Heaters And Heating Installations

Ref.	Question	Policy Principles
D1 If used, is the use of portable heaters regarded as safe?		
Answer		Finding/Observation
N/A		

D2 Are fixed heating systems maintained annually? All Safety inspections	carried out appually by qualified persons	
	All Safety inspections carried out annually by qualified persons.	
Answer Finding/Observation	Finding/Observation	
Yes See principal answer wet radiators	See principal answer. the building is heated by gas boiler and wet radiators	

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## E. Cooking

Ref.	Question	Policy Principles			
E1	Are reasonable measures in place to prevent fires as a result of cooking, including replacing filter(where necessary)?				
Answer		Finding/Observation	Finding/Observation		
on all equipment on the kitchen is pro		on all equipment usa	given induction which includage age ded with a gas cooker that w o cut off the gas supply		
Action/Recommendation		•	Priority	Due Date	
The gas cooker should be further inspected as the blow out test failed		ed	Medium	19/Dec/2022	

#### F. Lightning

Ref. Question		Policy Principles	
F1 Does the building have a lightning protection system?		No lightning protection policy in place	
Answer		Finding/Observation	
No		No lightning protection system was seen on site.	



#### G. House-Keeping

Ref.	Question	Policy Principles
G1	Are combustible materials kept away from any sources of ignition, including gas and electrical intake cupboards?	
Answer		Finding/Observation
Yes		

Ref.	Question	Policy Principles	
G2 Are the escape routes kept clear of items combustible materials or waste and free of any trip hazards?			
Answer		Finding/Observation	
Yes		All common area escape routes were clear of items	

Ref.	Question	Policy Principles
G3	Are mobility scooters or electric vehicles stored in the means of escape?  If yes has an assessment been undertaken in line with the NFCC "Mobility Scooter Guidance for Residential Buildings"?	
Answer		Finding/Observation
No		

#### H. Hazards Introduced By Contractors

Ref.	Question	Policy Principles		
H1	Is there satisfactory control over works carried out in the building by contractors (e.g. hot work permits)?			
Answer		Finding/Observation		
Unknown		Evidence was not available to confirm there is satisfactory control over works carried out in the building by contractors (e.g. hot work permits).		
Action/	Action/Recommendation		Priority	Due Date
A documented procedure is recommended for ensuring all contractors are controlled on site and only operate within approved industry standards. This should include a permit to work and a hot work permit procedure where appropriate. All contractors should be advised of the emergency procedures and hazardous areas.		. This	Medium	19/Dec/2022

#### I. Dangerous Substances

Ref.	Question	Policy Principles
11	If dangerous substances are used, has a risk assessment been carried out as required by the Dangerous Substances and Explosives Atmospheres Regulations 2002 and are they stored correctly?	All contractors must submit RAMS for procurement processes, and these are reviewed annually by FHG.  A specific risk assessment is to be completed for each job.
Answer		Finding/Observation
N/A		See principle.



#### J. Other Significant Hazards

Ref.	Question	Policy Principles
J1	Are all issues deemed satisfactory? [1]	
Answer		Finding/Observation
Yes		
Ref.	Question	Policy Principles
J2	Are all issues deemed satisfactory?	
Answer		Finding/Observation
Yes		



# K. Means Of Escape

Ref.	Question	Policy Principles		
K1	Is the escape route design deemed satisfactory? (Consider current design codes)			
Answer		Finding/Observation		
Yes				
Ref.	Question	Policy Principles		
K2	Is the fire-resisting construction (including any glazing) protecting escape routes and staircases of a suitable standard and maintained in sound condition?			
Answer		Finding/Observation		
Yes		All doors were solid constructed and in good working condition		
Ref.	Question	Policy Principles		
K3	Is there adequate provision of exits (including exit Widths) for the numbers who may be present?			
Answer		Finding/Observation		
Yes		One exit door is provided which was in good working order		
Ref.	Question	Policy Principles		
K4	Are doors on escape routes easily opened? (and are sliding or revolving doors avoided?)			
Answer		Finding/Observation		
Yes				
Ref.	Question	Policy Principles		
K5	Do final exits open in the direction of escape where necessary?			
Answer		Finding/Observation		
Yes				
Ref.	Question	Policy Principles		
K6	Are travels distances satisfactory? (consider single direction and more than one direction, property risk profile and occupancy characteristics)			
Answer		Finding/Observation		
Yes				
Ref.	Question	Policy Principles		
K7	Are there suitable precautions for all inner rooms?			
Answer		Finding/Observation		
N/A				



Ref.	Question	Policy Principles		
K8	Are escape routes separated where appropriate?			
Answer		Finding/Observation		
N/A				
Ref.	Question	Policy Principles		
K9	Are corridors sub-divided where appropriate?			
Answer		Finding/Observation		
N/A				
Ref.	Question	Policy Principles		
K10	Do escape routes lead to a place of safety?			
Answer	•	Finding/Observation		
Yes		All escape routes lead to the final exit door and outside.		
Ref.	Question	Policy Principles		
K11	Are the stairs and/or lobbies provided with adequate ventilation? (If considered satisfactory, please state provision)			
Answer	,	Finding/Observation		
Yes		The centre is provided with opening windows see main picture		
Ref.	Question	Policy Principles		
K12	Is there any other issues that could affect the means of escape, for example plastic conduit/loose cables not secured by fire rated fastening?			
Answer	•	Finding/Observation		
No				

#### L. Flat Entrance Doors

Ref.	Question	Policy Principles
L1	Are the sample inspection flat entrance door or doors in good condition and appropriately fire rated?	
Answer		Finding/Observation
N/A		



#### M. Common Area Fire Doors

Ref.	Question	Policy Principles	
M1 Are all common area fire door and frames in good condition and appropriately fire rated?			
Answe	r	Finding/Observation	
Yes		The doors provided are in good condition and will provide adequate separation for the maximum numbers inside the building	

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#### N. Emergency Lighting

Ref.	Question	Policy Principles			
N1	If emergency lighting is provided, is the coverage sufficient and in good repair? (Internal and external)				
Answe	er .	Finding/Observation	on		
Yes			The escape lights cover all escape routes although one light showed a red LED. See O1		
Action	/Recommendation		Priority	Due Date	
The er	gineer should check the light unit to ensure it is not defective		Medium	19/Dec/2022	
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Ref.	Question	Policy Principles
N2	If EL not provided, is borrowed/artificial lighting sufficient for escape? (Internal and external)	
Answer		Finding/Observation
N/A		



#### O. Fire Safety Signs & Notices

Ref.	Question	Policy Principles		
O1	Is there adequate provision of visible fire safety signs and notices? (Consider directional, exits, stairs, fire action notices, Fire door keep shut, fire equipment and 'do not use lift' signage)			
Answe	r	Finding/Observation	1	
Yes		0 0	•	uate and included, fire fighting equipment and
Action/Recommendation			Priority	Due Date
Display a fire action notice inside the main entrance			Medium	19/Dec/2022

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Ref.	Question	Policy Principles
O2	Wayfinding Signage (buildings over 11 metres in height). Are there clear markings for flat and floor recognition provided?	
Answer		Finding/Observation
N/A		



#### P. Means Of Giving Warning In Case Of Fire

Ref.	Question	Policy Principles		
P1	Is a reasonable fire detection and fire alarm system provided in the common areas, where necessary?			
Answe	er	Finding/Observation	n	
Yes		detection and warnir includes heat detect other areas which is property	with a domestic hard on a system in the commor in the kitchen and so considered suitable for provided on the wall what it is for	non areas which moke detectors in all or the type and use of
Action	Recommendation		Priority	Due Date
Display a sign next to the reset button with instructions			Medium	19/Dec/2022

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Fire Alarms Control Switch	
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Ref.	Question	Policy Principles
P2	If installed, is the common area AFD adequate for the occupancy and fire risk?	
Answer		Finding/Observation
Yes		See P1

Ref.	Question	Policy Principles
P3	If not installed, are the premises deemed safe without a common area AFD system?	
Answer		Finding/Observation
N/A		

Ref.	Question	Policy Principles
P4	If there is a communal fire detection and fire alarm system, does it extend into the dwellings?	
Answer		Finding/Observation
N/A		



Ref.	Question	Policy Principles
P5	Where appropriate, has a fire alarm zone plan been provided?	
Answer		Finding/Observation
N/A		
Ref.	Question	Policy Principles
P6	Where appropriate, are there adequate arrangements for silencing and resetting an alarm condition?	
Answer		Finding/Observation
Unknown		See P1
Ref.	Question	Policy Principles
P7	If applicable, is a separate domestic hard-wired smoke/heat alarm within the flats installed to a suitable standard?	
Answe	r	Finding/Observation
N/A		
Ref.	Question	Policy Principles
P8	If applicable (Sheltered scheme) is the smoke detection within the flats monitored by an alarm receiving centre/on site scheme manager via a telecare system?	
Answer		Finding/Observation
N/A		



#### Q. Measures To Limit Fire Spread And Development

Ref.	Question	Policy Principles		
Q1	Is there adequate levels of compartmentation between floors and between flats and the common escape routes?			
Answer		Finding/Observation		
No		The ceiling in the boiler room below the first floor accommodation is not suitably fire stopped		
Action/Recommendation			Priority	Due Date
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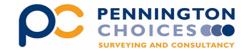
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Ref.	Question	Policy Princip	oles	
Q2	Are hidden voids appropriately enclosed and/or fire-stopped? (consider above suspended ceilings)			
Answe	r	Finding/Obse	ervation	
N/A				
Ref.	Question	Policy Princip	oles	
Q3	Is there adequately fire protected service risers and/or ducts in common areas, that will restrict the spread of fire and smoke?			
Answer		Finding/Obse	Finding/Observation	
N/A				
Ref.	Question	Policy Princip	oles	
Q4	Is compartmentation maintained in the roof space?			
Answe	r	Finding/Obse	Finding/Observation	
Unknown		No access to	No access to the roof space is provided .	
Action/Recommendation			Priority	Due Date
Management to check compartmentation within the roof space over the carea		he common	High	20/Oct/2022



	Question	B. P B. A. A. A
Q5 A		Policy Principles
ir	Are electrics, including embedded meters, enclosed n fire rated construction?	
Answer		Finding/Observation
N/A		
Ref.	Question	Policy Principles
d	As far as can reasonably be ascertained, are fire lampers provided as necessary to protect critical neans of escape against passage of fire, smoke and products of combustion in the early stages of a fire?	
Answer		Finding/Observation
N/A		
Ref.	Question	Policy Principles
	s there reasonable limitation of linings to escape outes that might promote fire spread?	
Answer		Finding/Observation
Yes		Walls and surface finishing's appeared to comply with class "0" materials.
Ref.	Question	Policy Principles
	Are soft furnishings in common areas appropriate to mit fire spread/growth?	
Answer		Finding/Observation
Yes		The furniture appeared in good condition.
Ref. C	Question	Policy Principles
c	Does the premises have any external balconies, cladding or materials which may promote external fire pread?	
Answer		Finding/Observation
No		
Ref.	Question	Policy Principles
b	Has a note been prepared of the external walls of the building and details of construction materials used? Does the note include and identify the level of risk that the design and materials used?	
Answer		Finding/Observation
N/A		
Ref.	Question	Policy Principles
c	Does the External wall note include any mitigating circumstances that may have been taken to reduce the risk?	
Answer		Finding/Observation
N/A		



Ref.	Question	Policy Principles
Q12	Has the responsible person reviewed the external wall note on a regular basis and revised it if there have been any significant changes in the external walls.	
Answer		Finding/Observation
N/A		
Ref.	Question	Policy Principles
Q13	Are all other fire spread/compartmentation issues satisfactory?	
Answer		Finding/Observation
Yes		

## R. Fire Extinguishing Appliances

Ref.	Question	Policy Principles
R1	if required, is there reasonable provision of accessible portable fire extinguishers?	
Answer		Finding/Observation
Yes		Fire fighting equipment included C02, water and a fire blanket in the kitchen

#### Images

Image: R11 Image: R12







#### S. Relevant Automatic Fire Extinguishing Systems

Ref.	Question	Policy Principles
S1	Are there any automatic fire suppressant systems on site?	
Answe	r	Finding/Observation
No		
Ref.	Question	Policy Principles
S2	Are there any fixed fire fighting mains within the premises?	
Answe	r	Finding/Observation
No		
Ref.	Question	Policy Principles
S3	If any other relevant systems / equipment is installed, state type of system and comment as necessary	
Answer		Finding/Observation
No		



#### T. Procedures And Arrangements

Ref.	Question	Policy Principles	
T1	Recommended evacuation strategy for this building is		
Answer		Finding/Observation	
Simultaneous Evacuation			
Ref.	Question	Policy Principles	
T2	Has a competent person(s) been appointed to assist in undertaking the preventative and protective measures including in house checks?		
Answer		Finding/Observation	
Yes		The visiting officer was aware of all fire safety provisions and requirements for the site, and carries out regular inspections.	
Ref.	Question	Policy Principles	
Т3	Are there appropriate documented fire safety arrangements and procedures in place in the event of fire?		
Answer		Finding/Observation	
No		The fire action notices when provided will give relevant information as to what to do if a person hears the fire alarm or discovers a fire. See O1	
Ref.	Question	Policy Principles	
T4	Are there suitable arrangements for liasion and calling the Fire Service?		
Answer		Finding/Observation	
Yes		Staff, contractors, or visitors when the building is occupied will call 999.	
Ref.	Question	Policy Principles	
T5	Are there suitable fire assembly points away from any risk?		
Answer		Finding/Observation	
Yes		The fire assembly point is outside and is clear of the building.	
Ref.	Question	Policy Principles	
Т6	Are there adequate procedures in place for the evacuation of disabled people who are likely to be present?		
Answer		Finding/Observation	
Unknown		Unable to confirm at the time of the assessment	
Ref.	Question	Policy Principles	
Т7	Are staff nominated and trained on the use of fire extinguishing appliances?		
Answer		Finding/Observation	
N/A		No staff on site.	



Ref.	Question	Policy Principles
Т8	Are staff nominated and trained to assist in evacuation (Where applicable e.g. Offices, supported schemes)?	
Answer		Finding/Observation
N/A		No staff on site.

# U. Training

Ref.	Question	Policy Principles	
U1	Do staff receive adequate induction and annual refresher fire safety training? (To include fire risks in the premises, fire safety measures in the building, action in the event of fire and on hearing alarm, location and use of fire extinguishers, calling the fire service)	All touchdown points (small offices) staff receive Inductions and annual refreshers on fire safety fire safety. But at all the schemes no permanent staff are present.	
Answer		Finding/Observation	
N/A		No staff on site.	
Ref.	Question	Policy Principles	
U2	Are employees nominated to assist in the event of fire given additional training?		
Answer		Finding/Observation	
N/A		No staff on site.	

## V. Testing And Maintenance

Ref.	Question	Policy Principles
V1	Are all fire safety provisions for the building (AFD, Emergency Lighting, sprinklers etc.) routinely tested and maintained?	Alarms- FHG Greenscapes, MITIE E/L- FHG Greenscapes, MITIE, Assets Surveyor Extinguishers- MITIE Fire Doors- FHG Greenscapes, Assets Surveyor Final Exits/ Escape Routes- Greenscapes/ Neighbourhoods
Answei	•	Finding/Observation
Yes		All fire safety provisions require testing in accordance with the relevant guides or standards

#### W. Records

Ref.	Question	Policy Principles
W1	Is all routine testing and staff training including fire drills suitably recorded and available for inspection?	
Answer		Finding/Observation
Yes		Records are available to view online



#### X. Premises Information Box

Ref.	Question	Policy Principles
X1	Is a Premises Information Box located at the premises accessible to the Fire and Rescue Service, secure from unauthorised access and kept up to date?	Log book is kept on SharePoint with proposed specific QR code access.
Answer		Finding/Observation
N/A		Not required.

#### Y. Engagement With Residents

Ref.	Question	Policy Principles	
Y1	Has all Fire Safety information & procedures been disseminated to the residents?		
Answer		Finding/Observation	
N/A		The property is only in use when the facilities are booked in advance	

#### Z. Any Other Information

Ref.	Question	Policy Principles
Z1	Are all issues deemed satisfactory? [1]	
Answer		Finding/Observation
Yes		
Ref.	Question	Policy Principles
Z2	Are all issues deemed satisfactory?	
Answer		Finding/Observation
Yes		



# ZAAR. Assessment Risk Ratings

Ref.	Question	Policy Principles
ZAAR1	Likelihood of Fire Low: Unusually low likelihood of fire as a result of negligible potential sources of ignition. Medium: Normal fire hazards (e.g. potential ignition sources) for this type of occupancy, with fire hazards generally subject to appropriate controls (other than minor shortcomings). High: Lack of adequate controls applied to one or more significant fire hazards, such as to result in significant increase in likelihood of fire	
Answer		Finding/Observation
Medium		

Ref.	Question	Policy Principles
ZAAR2	Potential Consequences of Fire Slight harm: Outbreak of fire unlikely to result in serious injury or death of any occupant. Moderate harmful: Outbreak of fire could foreseeably result in injury (including serious injury) of one or more occupants, but it is unlikely to involve multiple fatalities. Extreme harm: Significant potential for serious injury or death of one or more occupants likely to involve multiple fatalities	
Answer		Finding/Observation
Moderate Harm		

Ref.	Question	Policy Principles
ZAAR3	Premises Risk Rating	
	Trivial: No action is required and no detailed records	
	need be kept	
	Tolerable: No major additional controls required.	
	However, there might be a need for improvements that	
	involve minor or	
	limited cost.	
	Moderate: It is essential that efforts are made to	
	reduce the risk. Risk reduction measures should be	
	implemented within a	
	defined time period. Where moderate risk is	
	associated with consequences that constitute	
	extreme harm, further	
	assessment might be required to establish more	
	precisely the likelihood of harm as a basis for	
	determining the	
	priority for improved control measures.	
	Substantial: Considerable resources might have to be	
	allocated to reduce the risk. If the building is	
	unoccupied, it should not	
	be occupied until the risk has been reduced. If the	
	building is occupied, urgent action should be taken.	
	Intolerable: Building (or relevant area) should not be	
	occupied until the risk is reduced	
Answer		Finding/Observation
Moderat	e	

Ref.	Question	Policy Principles
ZAAR4	On satisfactory completion of all remedial works the risk rating of this building may be reduced to:	
Answer		Finding/Observation
Tolerable		

## **Risk Rating**



The following simple risk level estimator is based on a more general health and safety risk level estimator of the type contained in BS 8800:

Liberthe ed of fire	Potential consequences of fire		
Likelihood of fire	Slight Harm	Moderate Harm	Extreme Harm
Low	Trivial	Tolerable	Moderate
Medium	Tolerable	Moderate	Substantial
High	Moderate	Substantial	Intolerable

Taking into account the fire prevention measures observed at the time of this risk assessment, it is considered that the hazard from fire (likelihood of fire) at these premises is:

Medium

In this context, a definition of the above terms is as follows:

Low: Unusually low likelihood of fire as a result of negligible potential sources of ignition.

**Medium:** Normal fire hazards (e.g. potential ignition sources) for this type of occupancy, with fire hazards generally subject to appropriate controls (other than minor shortcomings).

High: Lack of adequate controls applied to one or more significant fire hazards, such as to result in significant increase in likelihood of fire

Taking into account the nature of the building and occupants, as well as the fire protection and procedural arrangements observed at the time of this fire risk assessment, it is considered that the consequences for life safety in the event of fire would be:

**Moderate Harm** 

In this context, a definition of the above terms is as follows:

Slight harm: Outbreak of fire unlikely to result in serious injury or death of any occupant.

**Moderate harmful:** Outbreak of fire could foreseeably result in injury (including serious injury) of one or more occupants, but it is unlikely to involve multiple fatali-ties.

Extreme harm: Significant potential for serious injury or death of one or more occupants likely to involve multiple fatalities.

Accordingly, it is considered that the risk to life from fire at these premises is:

**Moderate** 

A suitable risk-based control plan should involve effort and urgency that is proportional to risk. The following risk-based control plan is based on one advocated by BS 8800 for general health and safety risks:

Risk Level	Action and time table
Trivial	No action is required and no detailed records need be kept.
Tolerable	No major additional controls required. However, there might be a need for improvements that involve minor or limited cost.
Moderate	It is essential that efforts are made to reduce the risk. Risk reduction measures should be implemented within a defined time period. Where moderate risk is associated with consequences that constitute extreme harm, further assessment might be required to establish more precisely the likelihood of harm as a basis for determining the priority for improved control measures.
Substantial	Considerable resources might have to be allocated to reduce the risk. If the building is unoccupied, it should not be occupied until the risk has been reduced. If the building is occupied, urgent action should be taken.
Intolerable	Building (or relevant area) should not be occupied until the risk is reduced.

(Note that, although the purpose of this section is to place the risk in context, the above approach to fire risk assessment is subjective and for guidance only. All hazards and deficiencies identified in this report should be addressed by implementing all recommendations contained in the following action plan. The fire risk assessment should be reviewed regularly.)





# Life Safety Fire Risk Assessment Certificate of Conformity

This certificate is issued by the organization named in Part 1 of the schedule in respect of fire risk assessment provided for the person(s) or organization named in Part 2 of the schedule at the premises and / or part of the premises identified in Part 3 of the schedule.

#### Schedule:

Signed for and on behalf of the issuing Certificated Organization:

James Hutton

Dated: 9/20/2022

# **Appendix 1. Action Details**

Ref.	Category	Priority	Comments	Recommendation	Quantity To Be Completed	By Photo Ref.
A2	ELECTRICAL IGNITION SOURCES	Low	PAT is carried out in accordance with HSE recommendations however no equipment seen displayed up to date information	Ensure all equipment is labelled	19/03	2023
E1	COOKING	Medium	All service users are given induction which includes information on all equipment usage The kitchen is provided with a gas cooker that was tested for blow out and failed to cut off the gas supply	The gas cooker should be further inspected as the blow out test failed	19/12	2022
F1	LIGHTNING	No Timescale	No lightning protection system was seen on site.	Recommend management undertake a risk assessment of the building to determine if lightning protection is required		
H1	HAZARDS INTRODUCED BY CONTRACTORS	Medium	Evidence was not available to confirm there is satisfactory control over works carried out in the building by contractors (e.g. hot work permits).	A documented procedure is recommended for ensuring all contractors are controlled on site and only operate within approved industry standards. This should include a permit to work and a hot work permit procedure where appropriate. All contractors should be advised of the emergency procedures and hazardous areas.	19/12	2022
N1	EMERGENCY LIGHTING	Medium	The escape lights cover all escape routes although one light showed a red LED. See O1	The engineer should check the light unit to ensure it is not defective	19/12	2022 N11
01	FIRE SAFETY SIGNS & NOTICES	Medium	Signage was generally considered adequate and included, fire door keep locked shut, no smoking, fire fighting equipment and running man	Display a fire action notice inside the main entrance	19/12	2022 O11
P1	MEANS OF GIVING WARNING IN CASE OF FIRE	Medium	The building is fitted with a domestic hard wired interlinked fire detection and warning system in the common areas which includes heat detector in the kitchen and smoke detectors in all other areas which is considered suitable for the type and use of property  A reset button is also provided on the wall however it was not understood who or what it is for	Display a sign next to the reset button with instructions	19/12	2022 P11, P12
Q1	MEASURES TO LIMIT FIRE SPREAD AND DEVELOPMENT	High	The ceiling in the boiler room below the first floor accommodation is not suitably fire stopped	The ceiling requires further fire stopping to ensure it provides the required fire separation between floors	20/10	2022 Q11

Ref.	Category	Priority	Comments	Recommendation	Quantity	To Be Completed By Photo Ref.
Q4	MEASURES TO LIMIT FIRE SPREAD AND DEVELOPMENT	High	No access to the roof space is provided .	Management to check compartmentation within the roof space over the common area		20/10/2022
Т6	PROCEDURES AND ARRANGEMENTS	No Timescale	Unable to confirm at the time of the assessment	Consider provision of a voluntary PEEPS system for disabled visitors		
Y1	ENGAGEMENT WITH RESIDENTS	No Timescale	The property is only in use when the facilities are booked in advance	Ensure at least one person in the user group is informed of all relevant fire safety matters		