



## Risk assessment form

Area location: Ace Windows		Date: 16/5/2017
Identify the hazard	Who can be harmed? x	Rank
Working at Height From a Tower Scaffold	Employees	Low
	Client staff	
	Contractors	
	Visitors	
	General public	
	Other(s)	
Identify the consequences in detail (that is, what type of harm or loss can occur)		
<p>Falls from a height resulting in a fatality</p> <p>Falls from a height resulting in broken bones</p> <p>Falls from a height resulting in cuts and bruises</p>		
List the existing control measures		
Working at height is avoided if possible		
A Tower Scaffold Safety Checklist to be carried before any work commences.		
Tower Scaffolding Risk Assessment to be carried out before any work commences.		
All equipment is visually inspected before use		

Employees of Ace Windows NE must ensure that Tower scaffolds are never used in ;

- adverse weather conditions eg( strong wind);
- as a support for ladders, trestles or other access equipment; with broken, damaged or missing parts;
- with incompatible components.

Employees of Ace Windows NE must always ensure that;

- the tower is resting on firm, level ground with the locked castors or base plates properly supported.
- Bricks or building blocks are never used to take the weight of any part of the tower;
- Stabilisers or outriggers are installed when required and always follow the instruction manual;
- That a tower is never erected to a height above that recommended by the manufacturer.
- That workers do not overreach

All scaffolding is erected, dismantled and altered in accordance with manufactures instructions.

The scaffold is provided with guard rails and toe boards and not overloaded.

The use of fall restraint and fall arrest systems may be used if suitable belay points are available

The use of any harness and ancillary equipment to be inspected before use and a test carried out on the harness which includes a full visual inspection.

The area is cordoned off to protect the public /residents

No lone working

Appropriate Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) is used and sturdy footwear.

**Actions required** (list any additional actions that may be required to further reduce risks)

Lead Window Fitter to ensure a risk assessment and WAH checklist is carried out before work commences

Ensure manufactures instructions are situated on every vehicle and available to staff

Ensure WAH training and tower erecting and dismantling takes place.

Ensure a standard test program is implemented on a annual basis where all equipment and ancillary equipment is inspected.

Risk assessment carried out by R Pyne

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Overall risk presented (after control measures are implemented)

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