



London Hazards Centre
Headland House
308 Gray's Inn Road
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● CLIENTS' COMMENTS

"I have found the London Hazards Centre to be an invaluable service when preparing personal injury cases. I would recommend the Centre to all personal injury lawyers."

Alan Care, Leigh Day and Co, Solicitors

"I would like to thank you for speaking at yesterday's seminar and contributing to what I feel was a very successful day."

Building Design & Project Management, Lewisham Council

"I found the health and safety audit carried out at our premises extremely valuable. Fiona has provided excellent follow-up help after the visit too. What I particularly liked was the no-nonsense down-to-earth approach to a very complicated and daunting area of work."

**Kathleen Walsh, Finance & Office Manager,
London Advice Services Alliance**

"I would like to thank the London Hazards Centre for your valuable help. The information you provided arrived in the nick of time! We have put it to good use and have had a good response. I look forward to using the London Hazards Centre in the future - carry on the good work."

NUCPS, Haywood Gallery

"I'd like to take this opportunity to say thanks for your valuable help in my work on the project."

Child Accident Prevention Trust

"In many respects we consider the work of the London Hazards Centre to be exemplary. We regard our invitation to you as a token of our recognition of your valuable work."

European Trade Union Confederation

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HEALTH & SAFETY Consultancy Services

- Hazardous substances
- Occupational diseases
- Personal injury claims
- Health and safety statistics
- Workplace inspections
- Safety organisation
- Risk management

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● SERVICES

The London Hazards Centre provides a unique set of services to those who need professional help with health and safety issues. Organisations helped include:

- ▲ journalists throughout the print and broadcast media
- ▲ local authorities setting standards for safe systems of work
- ▲ trade unions combating hazardous working conditions
- ▲ community groups protecting their local environment
- ▲ lawyers pursuing personal injury compensation and community hazards cases

● RESEARCH

London Hazards Centre's library, built up over 10 years, has been designated a *Practical Information Centre* for the World Health Organisation's International Programme on Chemical Safety.

The Centre has:

- ▲ access to major national and international health and safety and medical databases
- ▲ a specialist library with information from around the world and an extensive database of health and safety literature
- ▲ a network of contacts in trade unions, non-government organisations, academic and medical organisations
- ▲ staff who combine technical skills with experience of providing practical advice to workers and community groups

● TOPICS

The Centre has access to information and skills covering a vast range of health and safety topics. Examples include:

- ▲ toxic substances - solvents, pesticides, paints, asbestos, manufactured mineral fibres, dusts, cleaning agents
- ▲ safety data sheets - accessing, interpreting and assessing manufacturers' information
- ▲ pest infestations - cockroaches, pharaoh's ants, fleas, rats
- ▲ occupational diseases - lung diseases, repetition strain injuries (RSI), cancer, noise-induced hearing loss, dermatitis, asthma
- ▲ hazardous working conditions - dusts, chemicals, sick building syndrome, poor lighting, VDUs, ergonomics, photocopiers, ventilation
- ▲ community pollution - contaminated land, water pollution, industrial pollution, waste disposal, redevelopment, electromagnetic fields
- ▲ the law - European Community directives and their implementation in Britain, the new "six pack" of regulations, UK law, safety representatives' rights, safety policies

The Centre specialises in the control and substitution of hazardous substances, and has developed chemicals policies for local authorities and assisted in their implementation.

● INSPECTIONS & RISK ASSESSMENT

Many workplaces are badly designed with little attention to ergonomic considerations and the health, safety and welfare of the people who work in them. The London Hazards Centre carries out inspections of workplaces and makes written recommendations on improvements in line with the law and best practice.

PRELIMINARY INQUIRY FORM

I/we would be interested in discussing using the London Hazards Centre's Consultancy Services.

Proposed topic/work area _____

Name _____

Organisation _____

Address _____

Phone no: _____ Fax no: _____

RATES

We charge two-tier consultancy fees to ensure our services are available to those with limited resources. Our rates, valid until 1 January 1994, are:

Solicitors/Media

£60 plus VAT per hour; £200 plus VAT per half day;

£400 plus VAT per full day.

Local authorities/Community groups/Trade unions

£30 plus VAT per hour; £100 plus VAT per half day;

£200 plus VAT per full day.

The London Hazards Centre provides other services, including training, gives advice and information to London groups, and publishes books on health and safety. Please write, fax or phone for further details.