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## Employers' Health & Safety Briefing – June 2010



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Welcome to Park City's new monthly Health & Safety briefing, which includes the latest Health & Safety law updates, free Health & Safety guides and valuable information for employers. This month's highlights are:



- [Free Health & Safety Training Courses - Survive & Thrive with Park City & Anglia Ruskin University](#)
- [World Cup: Why watching England can literally damage your health!](#)
- ['Alcohol at Work' - Free Policy for use during the World Cup](#)
- [Health & Safety Law Update - Fire Safety](#)
- [Are men more likely to get injured at work? - Men's Health Week 2010](#)
- [Schools fail to comply with asbestos legislation](#)
- [Lord Young launches Health & Safety Review](#)

**The Prime Minister has announced a review of Health & Safety laws in order to stop companies from being burdened with unnecessary red tape and bureaucracy. As the employers' champion for reducing unnecessary legislation and as an employer ourselves, this is music to our ears.**

Lord Young has been appointed by David Cameron as his adviser on Health & Safety law and will review current Health & Safety legislation and practice in the UK. The review will also focus on concerns about the perception of Health & Safety legislation and its application in the workplace.

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At Park City, we are strongly in favour of reducing the burden of red tape and bureaucracy. The result of this apparent officialdom has been the creation of a risk averse business culture where employers are hindered and worried by the perception that risk must be eliminated entirely.

Roly Buss MBE, one of Park City's expert Health & Safety consultants said; "This perception of Health & Safety has to change. I agree with Judith Hackett (Chair of the HSE) that too often people use Health & Safety as an excuse to hide behind. In contrast to popular belief, our role as Health & Safety consultants is not to eliminate risk entirely from the workplace but to ensure that risk is managed to a tolerable level or as low as reasonably practical (LARP)"

At Park City, we always try to take a sensible and pragmatic approach in terms of managing risk in the workplace. As an employer ourselves, we know that certain activities always involve risk but this risk has to be managed so that your workplace is as safe and productive as possible.

Juliet Price, Managing Director

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Training and Development



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- Free Health & Safety Training Courses - Survive & Thrive with Park City & Anglia Ruskin University
- IOSH Managing Safely Course - 29th - 30th June & 6th - 7th July 2010
- IOSH Directing Safely Course - 14th July 2010



### Park City's June Survey:

Is Health & Safety a hindrance on your company?

- Yes
- No
- Don't know

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