# We spend 250,000 hours a year improving the performance of UK businesses

BS OHSAS 18001

This experience allows us to see first-hand how managing health and safety with a **BS OHSAS 18001** management system helps you keep people safe and deliver real benefits

### Health and safety issue

### Striving "towards zero accidents" can be a challenge for any organization

# Organizations need to stay up-to-date with legislation and remain compliant, as breaches can lead to fines and prosecutions

A poor health and safety record can quickly damage an organization's reputation with both customers and investors

High absenteeism is often an issue for organizations and difficult to manage without a clear process in place

## How BS OHSAS 18001 helps

- It provides a system to identify OH&S hazards and minimize health and safety risks
- It makes sure that all elements to effectively manage health and safety are clearly defined
- It gives you the techniques to identify potential causes of accidents within the workplace
- It helps you to improve employee awareness of risks
- It makes sure you take account of legal requirements when setting up, implementing and maintaining your OHSAS 18001 system
- It ensures you commit to complying with applicable legal requirements
- It makes you communicate relevant information on legal and other requirements to employees and interested parties
- It shows that health and safety is a priority
- It makes sure you have appropriate measure to protect your staff
- It reassures stakeholders a best practice system is in place
- It makes sure you continually improve your health and safety performance
- It helps you implement policies and procedures that can help you tackle absenteeism
- It makes sure you put in place clear processes for everyone to understand and follow
- It shows your employees your commitment to keeping them safe

### Benefit

- Reduced incident and accident rates
- Improved performance monitoring and accident reporting
- Better control of OH&S risks
- Decrease in overall costs of accidents
- Decrease in insurance premiums
- Improved levels of compliance to health and safety legislation
- Reduced likelihood of fines and prosecutions, which in turn can lead to less HSE or local regulator visits and lower insurance premiums, providing financial benefit
- Improved reputation and stakeholder satisfaction positively presenting your organization for tenders and investment opportunities
- A competitive advantage to grow your business
- Reduced absenteeism and improved employee morale, leading to increased productivity
- Greater involvement and commitment from employees and the management team, resulting in improved health and safety culture
- Improved communication and training

## Supporting products and services

Our training tutors can help your teams to understand how to implement BS OHSAS 18001 and conduct internal audits on your management system **Business Improvement Software powered by Entropy**<sup>™</sup> is an affordable modular solution with tools to help you effectively prepare for **BS OHSAS 18001** certification

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