CORONAVIRUS – MEMBER GUIDANCE NOTE SITE CLOSURE

Construction sites should continue to operate if they can do so in a manner consistent with Public Health England guidance, recognising that the vast majority of construction work cannot be undertaken from home.

The Construction Leadership Council have issued Standard Operating Procedures which should be followed on all sites.

We recommend that you conduct a risk assessment for each site you currently have employees working on and for each employee.

In the first instance, the site manager should be contacted with a view to obtaining guidance on the individual site safety requirements needed, relating to COVID-19. The reason for the above is that most sites will have different rules in place depending on size, work completed and numbers of personnel.

It is reasonable to expect that the sites that stay open, will have individual safety requirements because of this.