



**Approved Roofing Ltd**

**Risk Assessment**

## Introduction

This document outlines the risk assessment for general roofing activities undertaken by Approved Roofing NE Ltd. It identifies potential hazards, assesses associated risks, and establishes control measures to minimise the likelihood of injury, damage, or harm during our operations across London and the UK.

## Risk Assessment Matrix

<b>Activity / Task</b>	<b>Hazard</b>	<b>Risk</b>	<b>Control Measures</b>	<b>Risk Rating</b>
Working at height	Falls from ladders, scaffolding or roof edges	Serious injury or fatality	Use of fall protection (harnesses, guardrails); trained staff; proper access equipment	High
Manual handling	Back strain or injury from lifting materials	Musculoskeletal injury	Manual handling training; use of lifting aids; team lifting where necessary	Medium
Use of power tools	Electric shock or cuts	Injury from tool misuse	PAT testing; use of correct PPE; staff training; regular equipment maintenance	Medium
Working in adverse weather	Slips, trips, exposure to extreme temperatures	Injury or illness	Monitor weather forecasts; postpone work in dangerous conditions; appropriate clothing	High
Asbestos in old roofing	Airborne fibre inhalation	Chronic respiratory illness	Pre-work asbestos surveys; use of licensed removers; proper PPE and containment	High
Roof structure failure	Collapse of weak or damaged roofs	Fall, injury, or fatality	Structural survey before work; edge protection; avoid working on unstable areas	High
Handling sharp	Cuts, punctures	Minor to moderate injuries	Wear cut-resistant gloves; proper handling procedures	Low

materials

Noise from tools/machinery	Hearing damage	Hearing loss over time	Use of ear protection; limit exposure duration	Medium
Working near live electricity	Electric shock	Electrocution	Identify and isolate sources; use insulated tools and PPE	High

## Review and Responsibility

This Risk Assessment is reviewed annually, or sooner if there are significant changes in operations, regulations, or if an incident occurs.

- **Responsible Person:** Arron Dolan, Managing Director
- **Date of Assessment:** 16 June 2025
- **Next Review Due:** 16 June 2026