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RISK ASSESSMENT - *Generators*

HAZARD	WHO	RISK	CONTROL MEASURE	FURTHER ACTION REQUIRED YES/NO
Moving & Lifting (without wheels)	Staff	Medium	Follow manual handling guidelines. Minimum of 2 person lift. Do not lift up more than 5 steps unless using 3 persons.	NO
Filling with fuel.	Staff	Medium	Ensure unit is switched off. Refill using funnel, carefully as to not drop any fuel on hot surfaces. Always inform someone before you start to re-fuel. Keep fire extinguisher to hand.	NO
Hot surfaces.	All	Low	Keep generators away from public areas and cordon off using hazard tape. Keep any combustible materials a minimum of 5m from unit.	NO
Fuel	All	Low	Store fuel away from generator and away from public areas. Cordon off using hazard tape. Keep Fire Extinguishers within reach. Store fuel in approved containers. Keep closed. No smoking around fuel or generators. Wear PPE if required. Clean any spillages using absorbing kit or sand.	NO
Exhaust Fumes	All	Low	Only use outside in a well ventilated area.	NO
Electric Shock.	All	Low	Always check all connections and cables. Do not use in heavy rain. Ensure the earth rod is connected before starting.	NO

RISK ASSESSMENT CARRIED OUT BY -	DATE OF ASSESSMENT	ANY OTHER ACTIONS REQUIRED:
Robert Weir	21/06/2021	<i>Ensure all staff are briefed on this Risk Assessment prior to working with and fuelling any generators.</i>

This Risk Assessment has been produced in conjunction with manufacturers criteria and experience from extensive use of equipment.