



## Training Services

### COURSE CONTENTS

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#### What is this course about?

This course will give the candidate a clear understanding of the relevant legislation relating to personal protective equipment in particular fall protection products. The Health and Safety Executive have identified a requirement to ensure all fall protection equipment manufactured from manmade fibres (webbing and rope) is subject to regular inspection and the results recorded in written records. BS Code of Practice 8437:2005

#### Who would benefit from this course?

The course is aimed at anyone who is required to undertake the responsibility to inspect thoroughly fall protection equipment and complete written reports as required by legislation and advised by the Health and Safety Executive (HSE) industry guidance, Inspecting Fall Arrest Equipment made from Webbing or Rope. (INDG367 01/09.)

#### The following issues are covered:

- An outline of relevant legislation and safe working practices.
- Knowledge of product manufacture and performance
- Personal Protective Equipment Regulations

#### Requirements for Fall Protection Equipment:

- Quality Control,
  - Markings, CE, EN, BSEN
  - Relevant European standards and codes
  - User manuals and Instructions for use
  - Manufacturers Statement of Obsolescence
  - Compatibility issues with other PPE equipment.
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- Reasons for inspecting and checking fall protection equipment
  - Pre-use Inspection of the equipment by users.
  - Understanding of the background INDG 367
  - The results of HSE research and testing relating to manmade fibre products
  - Recognition of different faults and issues with fall protection equipment
  - Identification and application of remedial actions available
  - Examples of different fall Protection faults and damage
  - Key issues relating to destruction and disposal of fall protection equipment
  - Key issues relating to recording findings of inspection
  - Advice on record keeping

#### This course involves all candidates completing:

- Practical inspection of fall protection equipment and correctly identifying a range of faults
- Written report of inspection
- A written assessment consisting of a multiple choice question paper
- A training pack will be issued to all candidates on this course.
- Certification and registration for all successful candidates.