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Request for Structural Engineering Support

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From: Allen, John: CP-Plan: RBKC
Sent: 15 June 2017 19:28
To: sarah.chaker@hse.gov.uk
Subject: Re: Request for Structural Engineering Support, Grenfell Tower

Thank you
John

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From: Sarah.Chaker@hse.gov.uk <Sarah.Chaker@hse.gov.uk>
Sent: Thursday, June 15, 2017 6:51:28 PM
To: Allen, John: CP-Plan: RBKC
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John

Thanks for establishing contact earlier. As agreed I am emailing you to ensure that we each have contact details.

To confirm our conversation, Health and Safety Executive (HSE) support for the recovery operation was offered to and accepted by Gold Command of the Strategic Coordination Group earlier today. This offer was subsequently communicated to Silver Command on site. HSE regulates a variety of work activities including construction (which is not at issue in the recovery phase) and the activities of the emergency services including police and fire crews. As regulator HSE necessarily adopts a strategic rather than a directing approach. You will need to procure appropriate engineering expertise to advise on specific structural safety matters.

I have asked Jan Andresen, Principal Specialist Inspector of Construction, to liaise with you as to how best HSE can support the recovery phase. I have passed on your contact details to him.

Should you have any concerns or questions please feel free to contact me at any time.

Regards

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