

DESCRIPTION OF REPORTABLE ACCIDENTS

Appendix A

Directorate of the Environment

January 2006

No. of reportable accidents for month:- 1

This was:-

A Plasterer whilst using a heavy breaker, twisted his back, when it jammed.

Total number of all injury accidents for month:- 2

Total number of accidents for month:- 3

February 2006

No. of reportable accidents for month:- 2

These were:-

A Plumber, whilst loading rubbish on a van, caught his left hand on a screw, causing a cut.

A Fitter pulled a muscle to his left shoulder, whilst refitting a spring to refuse vehicle underside.

Total number of all injury accidents for month:- 7

Total number of accidents for month:- 9

March 2006

No. of reportable accidents for month:- 4

These were:-

A Painter's shoulder started aching, whilst using a paint roller.

A Cleansing Operative, caught his foot whilst getting out of the cleansing vehicle, causing him to fall, breaking a bone in his left wrist.

A Fitter strained his back whilst lifting hub from underside of vehicle.

A Bricklayer twisted his ankle on a brick, whilst getting off trestle scaffolding, causing a fracture.

Total number of all injury accidents for month:- 14

Total number of accidents for month:- 18

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Education and Leisure

January 2006

No. of reportable accidents for month:- 1

This was:-

A Gravedigger was carrying planks to the wagon, when he slipped and fell, and the planks fell on his leg and foot.

Total number of all injury accidents for month:- 1

Total number of accidents for month:- 2

February 2006

No. of reportable accidents for month:- 0

Total number of all injury accidents for month:- 3

Total number of accidents for month:- 3

March 2006

No. of reportable accidents for month:- 0

Total number of all injury accidents for month:- 3

Total number of accidents for month:- 3

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Social Services

January 2006

No. of reportable accidents for month:- 1

This was:-

A Home Carer was leaving a service user's premises and misjudged the steps leading from the property, and tripped, causing injury to her neck (pull).

Total number of all injury accidents for month:- 12

Total number of accidents for month:- 13

February 2006

No. of reportable accidents for month:- 0

Total number of all injury accidents for month:- 21

Total number of accidents for month:- 21

March 2006

No. of reportable accidents for month:- 2

These were:-

A Home Carer slipped on snow whilst walking from a client's home, causing a fracture to her ankle.

A Day Service Officer (Temporary), tripped over a bean bag and sprained his ankle.

Total number of all injury accidents for month:- 8

Total number of accidents for month:- 10