



FREEDOM OF INFORMATION

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REQUEST	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • How many fires have you attended in the past year within buildings that have been under construction / within the construction industry? • How many of these fires were caused by 'hot work'? (welding, cutting, soldering and any work that involves an open flame). • What kind of hot work was involved? • Were there any injuries, casualties or fatalities involved? • What kinds of buildings were involved? 	
RESPONSE	
<p>Past year, dates used - 20 October 2020 – 19 October 2021</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • How many fires have you attended in the past year within buildings that have been under construction Six • How many of these fires were caused by 'hot work'? (welding, cutting, soldering and any work that involves an open flame). Potentially one incident - involves unspecified equipment • Unknown if/what hot work was involved in the potential one incident. • There were no injuries, casualties or fatalities involved in any of the six incidents. • Building types involved – detached houses, public house conversions, former fire station and flats under construction. 	

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