## "10 STEPS TO SAFETY"

- 1. Ensure that you are <u>wearing a high visibility waistcoat</u> incorporating retroreflective strips, together with other protective equipment when appropriate.
- 2. Ensure that <u>works are correctly signed and coned</u> with all signs clearly visible to approaching motorists, and that any attendant vehicle is using an amber flashing beacon when appropriate.
- 3. Take special care for the disabled, blind, people with prams, children, the aged and infirm. Provide clearly defined safety zones and pedestrian routes.
- 4. Ensure that <u>traffic control</u> is used as necessary, and that <u>traffic signals</u> are working on the <u>vehicle actuated mode</u> unless otherwise agreed by the Highway Authority.
- 5. Provide <u>appropriate barriers and lighting</u> to all road and footway <u>openings and obstructions</u>. Ensure that all equipment is <u>secured</u> and that the site is left in a <u>safe condition</u> at the end of each work period.
- 6. Ensure that all <u>underground mains and services have been located</u> and their position clearly marked. Check for and eliminate any <u>danger presented by</u> overhead lines.
- 7. Check whether your work <u>creates or involves entry into a potentially dangerous atmosphere.</u>
- 8. Ensure that <u>noise levels do not present a danger</u> to yourself, workmates, local residents or passers by.
- 9. Adhere to all appropriate safe systems of work produced by your employer.
- 10. If you are in doubt about the safety of any activity <u>seek immediate advice</u> from your Supervisor, Police or Highway Authority as appropriate.

## **BESAFE-NOTSORRY!**

P.S. Ensure that details of an "Out of Hours" contact are clearly displayed at the works wherever possible.

I CONFIRM OUR WILLINGNESS TO FOLLOW THE PRINCIPLES OUTLINED ABOVE AS PART OF OUR OVERALL REQUIREMENT REGARDING ROAD SAFETY.

SIGNED	
ON BEHALF OF	
DATE	