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Strategic Safety Systems Ltd. Newsletter February 2013 Issue 1	
<p>Dear Philip,</p> <p>Welcome to the first February edition of our newsletter. (See comments below on the change of frequency.)</p> <p>What we aim to do is to provide information which is of use to you and to let you know the activities in which we have been involved. We also aim to let you know of any incidents that have occurred in, and legislation that is related to, the areas in which we work. We realise that, with the broad spectrum of our activities, some may not be relevant to you but we hope you find the rest useful.</p> <p>Whilst the intention of this newsletter is to be useful, we realise that most people are plagued by spam and should you wish to prevent future issues being sent to you, unsubscribe using the link at the bottom of the page.</p> <p>Regards,</p> <p>Philip Chambers Strategic Safety Systems Ltd.</p>	<p>IN THIS ISSUE</p> <p>CHANGE TO NEWSLETTER FREQUENCY</p> <p>ENVIRONMENTAL LEGISLATION UPDATES</p> <p>DRIVING AT WORK A BIG CAUSE OF ROAD ACCIDENTS</p> <p>ACCIDENTS AND INCIDENTS</p> <p>QUICK LINKS</p> <p>Our website More about INTACT Health, safety, environmental support</p>
<h3>Changes to newsletter frequency</h3>	
<p>People have found this newsletter very informative. We're delighted about that. Because of this, we have increased the frequency so that it is published twice per month instead of the previous once per month interval. Hence the addition of Issue 1 below the date at the top.</p>	
<h3>Environmental legislation updates</h3>	
<p>There are some updates of which people should be aware:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• The Producer Responsibility Obligation (Packaging Waste) Amendment Regulations 2012 set recycling targets for 2012 to 2017.• The Environmental Permitting (Amendment) Regulations 2013 have some minor changes but these do not affect the activities listed in Schedule 1 which is where all SSS clients operate.• The Climate Change Levy (General) (Amendment) (No. 2) Regulations 2012 have a change relating to combined heat and power, but again, this does not affect SSS clients. <p>However, because of these changes, we will be updating the SSS Register of Legislation to issue U. Those of you with whom we have an on-going auditing agreement will receive automatic free copies. Others may purchase updates at a nominal cost. Contact us to arrange for updates.</p>	
<h3>Driving at work a big cause of road accidents</h3>	
<p>According to the Government, in 2010 approximately 24% of the road injuries and 30% of the deaths in road accidents were work related. Having a good preventative plan in place to limit occupational road risks is not only a good business decision but it will have a positive effect on staff</p>	

relations and wellbeing. SSS can provide advice and best practices on driving for work.
[Contact us for more details.](#)

Accident and incidents

A worker lost two fingers at Honda's Swindon plant when he was distracted by management. Honda were fined £16000 including costs.

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A company were fined £16000 including costs for the appalling state of electrical fittings.

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Interesting that both fines were the same, one because of actual injury, the other because of potential death.

I hope you have found this information of interest. If you have any suggestions of other information you would like to see, please [contact me](#)

Regards,

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