

HEALTH AND SAFETY UPDATE

Report of the Chief Executive

1. SUMMARY

Details of recent health and safety performance and current issues.

2. **RECOMMENDATION**

To consider the report.

3. MATTER FOR CONSIDERATION

3.1 ACCIDENT AND INCIDENT REPORTS

Accidents and incidents involving Derby Homes' staff are recorded using a formal reporting system. In November and December there were 2 reported accidents. One of these was a less than 7 day Lost Time Accident (LTA) and none were reportable.

For the calendar year 2012, there were a total of 31 reported accidents. 6 of these were Lost Time Accidents.

3.2 VIOLENCE AND AGGRESSION REPORTS

Violent, aggressive or abusive incidents towards staff are reported by staff using a formal reporting system. Appropriate action is always taken against the perpetrator. In November and December there was 1 reported case of violence, aggression or abuse towards staff. There were a further 6 cases where there a potential risk to staff was identified and appropriate action taken.

For the calendar year 2012, there were a total of 19 reported accidents against staff.

4. HEALTH & SAFETY IMPLICATIONS

It is a legal responsibility of the Board to ensure effective health and safety management is maintained within the company. This report provides the relevant information to enable the Board Members to monitor this.

The areas listed below have no implications directly arising from this report:

Consultation Financial and Business Plan Legal and Confidentiality Council Personnel Environmental Equalities Impact Assessment Risk Policy Review

If Board members or others would like to discuss this report ahead of the meeting please contact:

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