

36657 Construction Site Smoking

Smoking in public places and the workplace is dealt with as a public health matter within Great Britain. The Department of Health takes the lead on this in England, in Wales this is a matter for the Welsh Assembly Government and in Scotland it is the responsibility of the Scottish Government.

To ask which Local Authority Lead has ensured that smoking provision for sites at

Edinburgh Futures

Edinburgh North Bridge

is in line with safety first?

To request if the Local Authority Lead on both sites are the same as when the projects commenced?

There is no such City of Edinburgh Council officer. Responsibility for safety at sites of this scale lies with the Health and Safety Executive. The control of smoking on these sites would fall to the person in charge of the site as well, i.e., the site agent or project manager.

To request the dates of completion of both sites?

With regard to the North Bridge project, please refer to request 36102 on our Disclosure Log at:

<https://www.edinburgh.gov.uk/homepage/10467/freedom-of-information-foi-disclosure-log>

We are unable to provide the information requested for the Edinburgh Futures project as it is not held by the Council.