

59077 Ramp Placed Over Public Footpath on Princes Street

Regarding a ramp which had been placed over the public footpath on Princes Street, nearby the National Galleries of Scotland and The Gardens. I understand the ramp was to allow vehicular access to the Gardens. Could you confirm:

Which company or organisation the local authority understands was responsible for erecting the ramp?

This was a subcontractor of Unique Assembly Ltd. We do not hold a record of the subcontractor's name.

Who had applied for permission from the local authority to erect the ramp?

Permissions were applied for by Unique Assembly Ltd, as part of the Edinburgh's Christmas build.

If the local authority had received any complaints regarding the ramp prior to this accident?

No, there were no such complaints received by the Council.

If a RIDDOR report or accident report was completed or submitted to the local authority regarding the accident, and if so to provide this.

Not applicable. The incident was not reported to the Council.

If an investigation had been completed by the local authority following the accident and if so, copies of the investigation, including any conclusions and recommendations.

Not applicable. The incident was not reported to the Council.

Copies of any risk assessments undertaken in relation to the ramp.

No such Risk Assessments are held by the Council.