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Casella monitoring equipment worth £3,000

Casella CEL, one of the UK's largest manufacturers of monitoring equipment for occupational and environmental measurement, is offering *Factory Equipment* readers a chance to win ONE of the three following prizes:

- 1 **CEL 430/2/K2 Sound Level Meter kit**
- 2 **Microtherm - Heat Stress Monitor**
- 3 **Apex Dust Sampling Pump with charger and starter kit**



Answer correctly, get pulled from the hat first and choose your prize!

To enter, simply answer three questions below, following the Health & Safety guidelines provided: (hint: answers are in the text)

Managing occupational health and welfare issues in the workplace means taking steps to promote employees', customers and your own well-being in order to prevent illness and injury. All businesses have a legal responsibility to ensure that not only does the workplace - be it a factory, office or shop - meets minimum Health & Safety standards, but also how your business impacts on the environment.

According to the Health and Safety Executive, implementing good health, safety and environmental practices will help you comply with the law and provide an acceptable workplace. The overriding legislation for all businesses to meet is: 'The Management of Health & Safety at Work Regulations 1999', and all companies, even those with less than five employees, should have an active policy in place. There is also overriding European legislation. The EU Directive 89/391 is the framework directive on occupational safety and health with which all EU member states have to comply.

Some examples of well known legislation include:

- Falls and trips: Workplace Health Safety and Welfare regulations 1992
- Asbestos: Control of Asbestos at Work regulations 2002
- Hazardous Substances & Lead: COSHH regulations 2002/ Control of Lead at work 2002
- Working at heights (manual handling): Health & Safety at Work regulations 1999
- Display screen problems: Health & Safety (Display Screen Equipment) regulations 1992

- Noise/Vibration: Noise at Work regulations 2005
- Construction: Construction (Health Safety & Welfare) regulations 1996.

The first step for any business when meeting Health & Safety requirements is to conduct a thorough assessment of the risks your business faces. Risk is the chance, high or low, that someone or something could be harmed by a hazard.

Questions:

1. What European directive is applicable for Health & Safety legislation?
2. What is the name of legislation in place for Noise and Vibration in the workplace?
3. What company is providing readers a chance to win more than £3,600 worth of noise and dust monitoring equipment?

How to enter:

Email your answers, along with your name, company name, address and telephone number with details of your industry and number of employees and a brief statement on how winning this equipment will help your company to: info@casellameasurement.com

Closing date for entries is 10th January 2007. Winners will be announced in the February 2007 issue of *Factory Equipment*

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