

KING'S CROSS FIRE

(Statement by Desmond Fennel OBE QC)

“A safe environment is not one in which there is an absence of a low number of serious injury incidents, but is the result of active participation by management and staff in identifying hazards and then doing something positive about them.”

“In other words, the absence of accidents is a negative measure largely dependent on luck, while the identification, then prompt elimination or control of hazards, is a positive step and is essential to the discharge of our duties under current legislation.”

