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Dear Sir or Madam,

Re: Electrical Safety – Inflatable blower fans

The HSE in the UK have recently issued the attached safety alert regarding concerns over the safety of a particular type of design of fan blower used to inflate play equipment (small bouncy castles) and advertising inflatables.

If you are having an inflatable structure at your event please can you bring this warning to the attention of the owner / operator of the inflatable. I would suggest that you ask that they give you an assurance that the blower fan being used is not of the type described within this alert or if it is that they can evidence that the blower unit has been examined by a competent person prior to being used.

If you have any queries regarding the above or general health and safety issues please do not hesitate to contact myself or the Health and Safety at Work Inspectorate on tel: 685881.

Regards

Paul M Whitaker
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