

## **Employment Medical Advisory Service**

## Certificate of Approval - First-aid training and qualifications

## Health and Safety at Work (Northern Ireland) Order 1978

## Health and Safety (First-Aid) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1982

1.	In pursuance of regulation 3(2) of the Health and Safety (First-Aid) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1982 <sup>1</sup> , the Health and
	Safety Executive for Northern Ireland (HSENI) hereby approves for 1 year from the date of this Certificate:

(a) the training given in first-aid by

**Emergency First Response** 

of

Unit 7, St Phillips Central Albert Road Bristol BS2 0PD

(hereafter known as the organisation) at suitable premises in a course which complies with the provisions set out in Schedules 1 and 3 of this Certificate and which leads to a certificate in first-aid; and

(b) the training in first-aid given by the said organisation in a course which complies with the provisions set out in Schedules 2 & 3 to this Certificate and which leads to the award of a certificate in first-aid or to an endorsement on a certificate in first-aid already held.

In either case following training approved by the Department of Enterprise, Trade and Investment for the purposes of the Health and Safety (First-Aid) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1982.

- 2. The qualification awarded in first-aid:
  - (a) is valid for three years;
  - (b) is evidenced either by a certificate in first-aid awarded by the said organisation or by an endorsement on a certificate in first-aid already held, following training approved by the Department of Enterprise, Trade and Investment for the purpose of the said Health and Safety (First-Aid) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1982; and
  - (c) is gained following the passing of an examination which complies with the provisions set out in Schedule 4 to this Certificate.
- 3. The approval given in paragraph 1 of this Certificate of Approval relates to any case where standard training in first-aid and a suitable qualification in first-aid are sufficient for a suitable person for the purposes of regulation 3(2) of the Health and Safety (First-Aid) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1982.
- 4. The qualification mentioned in paragraph 2(b) must be obtained not more than three years after a qualification in first-aid which itself was evidenced by a certificate in first-aid or an endorsement on a certificate in first-aid following training in first-aid approved by the HSENI for the purposes of the Health and Safety (First-Aid) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1982.
- 5. This Certificate of Approval is also subject to the provisions of Schedule 5 to the Certificate.

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Mr J Keyes, Chief Executive HSENI		
Date of expiry11/11/05	Certificate number102	

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Regulation 3(2) was amended by the Health and Safety (Modification) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1999 (S.R. 1999 No.150).