

General School - No.29 Platforms, Lifts (usually provided for disabled persons' use) (List additional hazards, risks and controls particular to your school using the blank template no.55)

Hazards	Is the hazard present? Y/N	What is the risk?	Risk rating H = High M = Medium L = Low	Controls (When all controls are in place risk will be reduced)	Is this control in place?	Action/to do list/outstanding controls *Risk rating applies to outstanding controls outlined in this column	Person responsible	Signature and date when action completed
Fingers trapped between platform and wall		Amputation/crush	H	Guarding to prevent access				
			H	Pressure plates to stop movement in case of contact				
			H	Hold to run control for ascent/descent				
Trapped on platform		Distress	L	Management of communications. Fire procedures				
Crushed underneath platform		Crush injury	H	Interlock between platform and access doors at landing				
Fall into lift shaft		Fracture	L	Locking of doors				
All hazards			M	Maintenance Statutory examinations carried out every 6 months				

If there is one or more High Risk (H) actions needed, then the risk of injury could be high and immediate action should be taken. Medium Risk (M) actions should be dealt with as soon as possible. Low Risk (L) actions should be dealt with as soon as practicable.

Risk Assessment carried out by: _____

Date: / /