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Health and Safety



Dear Readers,

Look out! Whether you work in an office or on a building site, you need to be aware of health and safety issues. When you join a company, you will be given a safety manual to read; depending on your job, you may even have to attend a course. The subject is packed full of important vocabulary that you'll need to know, particularly if you have to record an incident in the accident report book. Take care and remember to work safely.

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absorption /əb'zɔ:pʃn/	wchłanianie, pochłonięcie	the process by which one substance, such as a solid or liquid, takes up another substance, such as a liquid or gas, through minute pores or spaces between its molecules. A paper towel takes up water, and water takes up carbon dioxide, by absorption.
accident /'æksɪdənt/	wypadek	an unplanned event with a negative consequence, often involving injury and occasionally, death
accident investigation /'æksɪdənt ɪn,vestɪ'geɪʃn/	dochodzenie w sprawie wypadku	a formal procedure for examining the reasons for an accident
accident report book /'æksɪdənt rɪ'pɔ:t bʊk/	rejestr wypadków	a book or electronic file in which the occurrence, extent and nature of an accident or injury are recorded
access /'ækses/	wejście/dojście (np. do budynku)	entry to a building or space
air emissions /eə rɪ'mɪʃnz/	emisje do powietrza, zanieczyszczenia powietrza	waste gases, vapours and small particles released into the air
Approved Code of Practice (ACOP) /ə'pru:vɔd kəʊd əv 'præktɪs eɪ kɔp/	Zatwierdzony kodeks postępowania	a set of rules of safe working practices written or approved by the health and safety authority
aerosol /'eərəsɒl/	aerozol	a substance released under pressure to form fine droplets in the air
air exchange rate /eə(r) ɪk'stʃeɪndʒ reɪt/	krotność wymiany (wentylacji)	the rate at which air inside a building is exchanged with air outside