

# Construction (Design and Management) Regulations 2007

## Proposed revision

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# Why we're amending CDM

evaluation

anecdotal feedback on shortcomings

small sites – lack of bite

better regulation agenda, Löfstedt

under-implementation

over-implementation

need to remove 'gold plating'

# Summary of process to date

evaluation 2009-11

HSE Senior Management Team –  
November 2011

HSE Board – December 2011

development of draft regulations – February  
2012 May 2013

HSE Board – May 2013 – draft package  
agreed

Government clearance - ongoing

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  - Reg. 4/Appendix 4 requirements
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# Key changes

- other changes:
  - substantially simpler structure
  - Part 2 – Part 3 falls out
  - PC – PD symmetry
  - amended notification threshold
  - formal co-ordination threshold lowered
  - H&S plans on all projects

## no changes in some areas

- PC, contractor duties largely unchanged
- designer duties largely unchanged
- technical ‘nuts and bolts’ requirements unchanged

# Developing guidance

- Guidance will replace ACOP
- Tailored towards needs of small businesses/sites
- Shorter than L144 (the current ACOP)
- Combination of HSE, Industry, and CITB authoring
- CONIAC steering group established

# Forward process

- 10 week consultation
- analysis, amendment
- SMT/Board sign off
- Ministerial sign off
- Guidance development and publication timing
- industry publicity

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