JOHN WADE GROUP

COVID-19 UPDATE

Dear Valued Customers,

Despite the ever-evolving Coronavirus (COVID-19) pandemic, <u>John Wade Group</u> is working harder than ever to ensure minimal disruptions to our services during this difficult time.

We wanted to take the time out to reassure you that we are here to support all our customers.

It is important we reassure you that we are taking the potential widespread transmission of this virus very seriously and its potential risk of disruption to our services.

We will continue to follow the guidance and advice published by both Government and the World Health Organisation. From our perspective its very much business as usual pending any guidance or advice to the contrary.

We have already taken proactive steps to minimise risk, including a tool box talk with our employees about maintaining good hygiene and health, more visitor protocols and encouraging social distancing where possible.

This update is very much part of our strategy to broach this issue.

Keeping our workforce safe and well, maintaining our service levels and ensuring the smooth operation of our business are our current priorities. As such we insist that anyone who believes they are unwell must not come to our sites

The way we operate our sites at Aycliffe Quarry and Darlington may change in time, so please follow closely the advice given by our site staff.

Face to face meetings should be rescheduled, use alternative methods of communication or cancelled. Only essential emergency meetings will take place.

Please let us know at your earliest opportunity if you believe your company will be affected by this and if any sites that we regularly visit may temporarily be closing or changing opening times that may affect our service.

We will continue to be in regular contact as the situation develops.

Regards

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