

TROX UK SUPPORTS SKANSKA'S INJURY FREE ENVIRONMENT (IFE) INITIATIVE

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Representatives from Skanska visited TROX UK this week to share the latest news on their Injury Free Environment (IFE) initiative. The IFE initiative, which was implemented at Skanska in 2003, is more than a simple focus on health and safety in the workplace, it is a behavioural change programme looking to empower all individuals to create a culture and environment with no incidents or injuries.

“The health and safety of our employees is a priority at TROX UK and we are committed to ensuring that our staff work in the safest environment possible,” commented Rob Fawkner, Operations Director at TROX UK. “I have been impressed with how Skanska is looking to share its IFE approach with the supply chain to discuss, and further develop, safer working practices for all”.

Skanska is committed to sharing the IFE programme, not only within their own business but also with the wider supply chain. “The positive working environment at TROX UK is very special,” added Lorraine Toone, TROX UK’s HR Manager, “we will certainly look to discuss IFE with the wider business and include elements in our on-going staff development programmes”.

Steve Field, Associate Director at Skanska, commented that, “an injury-free environment is defined as more than safety. It is a culture of care and concern for people that encourages everybody to accept responsibility for their own and their colleagues’ wellbeing. The aim is to engage with employees, partners and the supply chain to encourage them to adopt this approach, such that we look out for one another and ensure that everyone returns home from work safely, each and every day.”

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