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Appendix C

Risk Impact Definitions

	Negligible	Marginal	Critical	Catastrophic
Financial Impact	£0k-£10k	£10k-£50k	£50k-£1m	£1m+
Service Provision	Minor service delay	Short term service delay	Service suspended/ Medium term delay	Statutory duties not delivered
Project	Minor delay (days)	A few milestones missed	A major milestone missed	Project does not achieve objectives and misses majority of milestones
Health and Safety	First Aider/Minor injury	Broken bones/illness	Loss of life/major illness	Major loss of life/Large scale major illness
Objectives	Minor impact	Objectives of one section not met	Directorate Objectives not met	Corporate Objectives not met
Morale	Mild impact	Hostile relationship/minor non cooperation	Industrial action/Unable to attract staff	Mass staff leaving
Profile/Reputation	No media attention/minor letters	Adverse Local media	Adverse National Publicity	Remembered for years