



Evacuation and Alert Systems to BS 8629



Course Aim

This 1-day course provides delegates with the fundamental knowledge of the recommendations of BS 8629 for the design, installation, commissioning, and maintenance of evacuation alert systems for use by the fire and rescue service in buildings containing flats.



Who Should Attend?

This course is aimed at delegates within an organisation or business with an involvement in any building containing flats. This course would be suitable for risk assessors, designers, installers, commissioners, and maintenance technicians etc.



Course Duration

This is a 1 day course.



Maximum Delegates

Maximum attendees: 12 delegates.



Certification

Upon successful completion of the course and passing the exam, delegates will instantaneously receive a digital certificate of attendance.



Agenda

During the course delegates will cover:

- The need for an emergency evacuation system
- The requirements with regards to monitoring, integrity, and reliability
- The recommendations for evacuation alert zones, sounders, and audibility
- Consideration of arrangements for disabled people
- Recommendations in relation to the Evacuation Alert Control & Indicating Equipment
- The recommendations for cabling, wiring and other interconnections
- Considerations for radio linked systems
- Commissioning, Handover, Maintenance, and the User responsibilities

Whilst the typical application of these systems would be high rise blocks of flats, the scope of BS 8629 includes any building containing flats, regardless of height.