Risk Assessment	Safe use of Portable Ladders				
Business Name:	Risk Assessor:		Image:		
Minchinhampton	Name	Neil James			
Market House	Job Title	Consultant – Envesca Ltd			
	Date	11 <sup>th</sup> October 2022			
Signed		NGA			

Location of Hazard / Area / Process / Equipment:

Use of ladders.

Activities:	How Harm Could Occur:	People Who Could be Harmed:		
Safe use of ladders	<ul> <li>Slips, trips and falls.</li> </ul>	Employees 🛛		
throughout the	<ul> <li>Potential to fall from height.</li> </ul>	Public / Customers		
building.	<ul> <li>Potential to cause injury to persons/site.</li> </ul>	Contractors		

Current Risk Rating (before controls are in place)							
Low		Medium		High	$\boxtimes$		

## **Control Measures Required**

- All appropriate persons to receive instruction on safe storage and use of ladders.
- Working at height should be avoided if possible.
- All appropriate persons trained in safe handling techniques and not to overreach.
- Follow the rules of T.I.L.E. (task, individual capability, load, and environment).
- Check ladders before using them and to wear sensible shoes.
- Any damage or defects should be reported and the ladder taken out of use immediately.
- Do not lift above your capabilities.
- All lifting of ladders and routes planned before lifting commences.
- Seek assistance when moving the ladders.
- A competent person should regularly check the condition of the stepladders.
- Refer to HSE guidance Safe use of ladders and step ladders and also working at height.

Residual risk factor after measures taken							
Low		Medium		High			
Risk Assessment Owned / Managed by:							
Name							
Job Title							
Date							
Review date							