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2021 CTSI SYMPOSIUM

Office for Product Safety and Standards

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Regulating Construction Products

Speakers: Marcia Nightingale and Duncan Johnson

Recent events have highlighted the importance of the effective regulation of construction products. As the new National Regulator for Construction Products, OPSS seeks to support all local Trading Standards teams in their work and to develop collaborative approaches to the regulation of businesses in this sector.

Understanding of the context to the regulation of construction products, the interventions that are planned, and how Trading Standards Teams can find ways to engage further in delivering this regulation.

Learning outcomes:

This session will include an overview of the regulatory context and the challenges faced in delivering building safety. Central to that challenge is the requirement that construction products achieve both required and claimed performance. The Office for Product Safety & Standards is developing a support programme for all local authority Trading Standards teams ahead of its appointment as the new National Regulator for Construction products. It is also developing approaches to its own delivery that will draw upon the regulatory expertise of local authorities alongside its own national capacity. The session will explore the early-stage development of these approaches and will include reflections from current local authority delivery of construction product regulation in co-ordination with OPSS.

Ticketing: <https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/symposium-seminar-2021-regulating-construction-products-tickets-169549831109>

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