



Construction Products Regulation (CPR) Statement

GCE Hire Fleet Ltd. supplies equipment for the construction industry, so must comply with the **Construction Products Regulation (CPR)**. The CPR ensures that products used in construction meet safety, reliability, and environmental standards within the EU and UK markets.

1. CE Marking

- The **CE Mark** is a key indicator of a product's compliance with the relevant EU legislation, including the CPR. GCE Hire Fleet ensures all applicable products we hire out or supply bear a CE mark, indicating conformity with European standards.
- This marking is mandatory for products that are covered by a harmonized European standard (hEN) or a European Technical Assessment (ETA).

2. Testing and Certification

- The products GCE Hire Fleet supplies or hires are tested and certified to meet the required standards. This includes:
 - Ensuring all materials and equipment meet safety and performance standards.
 - Regularly maintaining and inspecting fleet equipment to ensure continued compliance.

3. Traceability and Documentation

- GCE Hire Fleet maintains thorough records of their equipment, including sourcing, testing, and maintenance details.
- Full traceability of products and their components ensures GCE Hire Fleet can demonstrate compliance during inspections or audits.

4. UKCA Marking (Post-Brexit)

- GCE Hire Fleet also considers the **UKCA Mark** (UK Conformity Assessed), which is the post-Brexit equivalent of CE marking for construction products placed on the UK market.

5. Training and Awareness

- All individuals responsible for hiring and maintaining the fleet are trained or aware of the CPR requirements, CE marking, and associated documentation.

This includes proper use and maintenance of marked equipment and a clear understanding of the regulation's impact on operations.

Signed:

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