

## Response for a property being above the Action Level for radon

If radon measurement results indicate that radon concentrations are above an annual average of 300 Bqm<sup>3</sup> the employer is then subject to the requirements of IRR17.

Action to be taken:

- **Notify** HSE. This can be done online on the HSE website [www.hse.gov.uk](http://www.hse.gov.uk).
- Plan and implement work to reduce radon levels to below 300 Bqm<sup>3</sup> or control exposure to employees. Advice should be sought on radon mitigation/remediation from a specialist radon contractor.
- Radon levels should continue to be surveyed until control measures are implemented and radon levels are reduced to below the Action Level.
- The RPA must be consulted and advice sought on drafting a radiation risk assessment for work in a radon atmosphere.
- Employees must be informed about the nature and level of risk with regards to radon.
- It may be possible to control exposure to employees by restricting access to the area rather than reducing the radon level. The RPA should advise on this.