

Radon Working Group

During the April (2019) BCA Council meeting a working group was formally set up to update the BCAs Radon Underground document following an update to the Ionising Radiation Regulations 2017 (IRR17) which came into effect on the 1st of January 2018.

A group of appropriately experienced and interested parties are being pulled together to revise the document.

We are currently planning to conduct some sampling of Radon in a number of cave and mines across the UK supported by BCA, Association of Heads of Outdoor Education Centers and the Ministry of Defense (adventure training wing), the data from which will be made available and used to help re-draft guidance.

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