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DSA DOSR RANGE SAFETY NOTICE 3-15

BALLISTIC PROTECTION BACKSPASH MATERIALS	
Who should read this:	All Service and civilian personnel involved with the management and conduct of MoD Ranges.
Category:	Regulation.
Cancellation date:	When rescinded or replaced.
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Reference:

A. JSP403 Volume 2 Design, Construction and Maintenance of Small Arms, Infantry Weapon Systems and 40mm Weapon Systems Ranges.

Safety issue

1. It has come to light that anti-backsplash material that has not been endorsed by DIO SD Trg Technical Advisory Section (TAS) is being used on ranges. The only material currently **endorsed for this purpose is 6mm Linatex**.

Control measures to be implemented

2. Any practices being undertaken that use any material other than Linatex as an anti-backsplash material are to cease with immediate effect. If in doubt then contact TAS.

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