

Gaeltec Devices Ltd.

SAFETY DECLARATION

For the inspection, maintenance or repair of equipment to be performed by Gaeltec Devices Ltd. personnel.

The Health and Safety at Work Act (1974) and the control of Substances Hazardous to Health (COSHH) regulations (1988) include specific requirements that workers are not put at risk by handling items that may be contaminated, for example, as a result of their use in health care or a laboratory. The requirements apply in the widest possible sense and place responsibility on the owner and the manager of the laboratory as well as the employer of the individual concerned.

In the case of maintenance or repair of medical equipment current DHSS recommendations support the issue of a certificate/statement of decontamination prior to submitting the equipment for servicing.

The declaration overleaf or an acceptable substitute must be completed, signed by a competent authority and sent to Gaeltec with the item to be examined or worked on.

For emergency repairs on site the engineer will request that the declaration is completed on his arrival.

It is our policy that unless the above actions are taken the service engineer should refuse to perform maintenance or repair procedures. In this event a charge will be made to cover the costs of the visit.

The request for information on the cleaning and sterilization method will assist Gaeltec to assess the effects of such methods on the product.

