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| Risk Referral Stage 2 To be completed by 2\* Operating Centre DirectorPart 1 – 2\* Operating Centre Director response |
| **Based on the evidence provided, the following action is agreed:** | **It is recommended that the equipment be withdrawn from the service giving rise to the high risk:** | Click here to enter text. |
| **Funds are sourced to allow the implementation of appropriate risk reduction measures. Issue referred to Centre (Cap/RP):** | Click here to enter text. |
| **The risk is to be referred for further scrutiny (complete Part 2 below):** | Click here to enter text. |
| **Date:** | Click here to enter a date. | **Signature:** | Click here to enter text. |
| **Name:** | Click here to enter text. | **Rank:** | Click here to enter text. | **Appointment:** | Click here to enter text. |
| Part 2: 2\* Operating Centre Director or HoC Risk Declaration |
|  | **Formal risk assessment has established that the level of equipment safety and environmental risk presented by the hazard described at Stage 1 would not be tolerable in normal circumstances.****The evidence demonstrates the risk reduction options which the DE&S equipment project has investigated and which have been shown to be impracticable due to:**1. **The grossly disproportionate cost of implementation and/or**
2. **The operationally unacceptable delay in implementation.**

**DE&S is therefore unable to declare that the risks posed by this equipment have been reduced to a level which is ALARP (or environmental equivalent) and tolerable when operated in accordance within its Design Intent.** |
| **This statement constitutes a formal declaration of the level of risk posed by the subject equipment. As the operating authority for the equipment, you may:**1. **Agree the intolerability of the risk and not operate the equipment for the activity giving rise to the high risk**
2. **Accept changes to the operation of the equipment which reduce the level of risk**
3. **Agree that the operational imperative justifies the level of risk. You may then wish to refer the risk to a higher level for endorsement.**

**Capability Sponsor (as SRO for the capability) and DE&S (as the equipment sponsor) must be informed of your decision in writing.** |
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