

**Risk Assessment**

Use of boat scenic element during live performance

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|--------------------------|--------------------|--------------------|-----------|
| <b>Venue</b>             | Buxton Opera House |                    |           |
| <b>Department</b>        | Technical          | <b>Category</b>    | Live Show |
| <b>RA Reference</b>      | BUXOPTECH0014      | <b>Review</b>      | None      |
| <b>Date of RA/review</b> | 05/12/2022         | <b>Next review</b> | None      |
| <b>Assessor/Reviewer</b> | Jmorgan            |                    |           |

**People at risk (estimated numbers of people at risk)**

|                         |     |                              |     |
|-------------------------|-----|------------------------------|-----|
| <b>Employees</b>        | 0   | <b>Contractors</b>           | 1-5 |
| <b>Visitors</b>         | 0   | <b>Members of the Public</b> | 0   |
| <b>Production staff</b> | 1-5 | <b>Others</b>                | 0   |
| <b>Client employees</b> | 0   | <b>Students</b>              | 0   |

**Activity**

Use of boat scenic element during a live performance on a raked stage  
(boats are a truck type element which the cast sit in with their feet on the stage)

**Any other relevant information**

| Hazard  | Risk   | Control measures   | Risk Rating |   |    | Actions | Revised RR |   |    |
|---|--|--|-------------|---|----|---------|------------|---|----|
|   |  |  | L           | S | RR |         | L          | S | RR |
| Scenic element moves downstage and falls into pit | Injuries to head neck and spine caused by fall from height | 1: Action well rehearsed talk through walk through and at speed<br>2: Fixed wheels fitted to reduce likelihood<br>3: Actor instructed to keep feet on floor when ever possible | 1           | 5 | 5  |         |            |   |    |