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SCOTTISH STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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**The Fire Safety (Scotland) Regulations 2006**

**PART II**

**ASSESSMENTS**

**Assessment and review duty in respect of young persons**

**5.** In carrying out or reviewing an assessment under section 53 an employer, before employing a young person, must take particular account of the following in respect of harm caused by fire:—

- (a) the inexperience, lack of awareness of risks and immaturity of young persons;
- (b) the fitting-out and layout of the relevant premises;
- (c) the nature, degree and duration of exposure to physical and chemical agents;
- (d) the form, range, and use of work equipment, and the way in which it is handled;
- (e) the organisation of processes and activities;
- (f) the extent of the fire safety training provided or to be provided to young persons; and
- (g) risks from agents, processes and work listed in the Annex to Council Directive [94/33/EC](#)<sup>(1)</sup> on the protection of young people at work.

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(1) O.J. No. L 216, 20.8.94, p.12.