

Unions support companies that use **RiskMaster** to manage their work-related road safety. If you feel your company could benefit from the support of organisations like these, contact the RiskMaster team:

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**We look forward to hearing from you.**

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### What's in it for me?

One of a series of factsheets about the benefits of managing work-related road safety for:

- fleet managers
- company directors
- drivers
- shareholders
- union members
- general public

If you would like to receive any of the others in this series, please email the RiskMaster team at: **riskmaster@fsguk.com**



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**I'm a union  
representative  
concerned about work-  
related road safety.**

**What's in it for me?**



# I want to reduce the risks my members face at work.



**Despite new legislation to make it easier to prosecute companies for manslaughter, there are plenty of companies out there taking huge risks.**

**A safe workforce means fewer injuries**

Risk management is a priority for my members. Strict safety practices help minimise risks, resulting in fewer injuries and deaths, as well as prosecutions.

**We appreciate organisations that care for their people**

Organisations that care about their staff have got their priorities right. It's important to look after the very people that make the company profitable. The workforce is an organisation's most important asset and should not be put at risk. It's the company's job to protect them.

**My members enjoy more family-friendly working hours**



Members who spend a lot of time on the road appreciate sensible appointment scheduling. Better journey planning relieves the pressure to cram too many meetings and miles into the working day. They're not pressured into working late and have more time to spend with their loved ones, relax and recover.

**There's less stress and ill health**

The proper management of work-related road safety helps reduce stress for our members. They feel better, are less vulnerable to stress-related illnesses and perform better.



**There are fewer grievances**

Knowing employers take their welfare seriously means a lot to our members. They appreciate being valued and feel positive about work. This increases productivity and adds value to the organisation.

**A stronger union/management partnership**

It's much easier to improve road safety culture if our members and management can both get the mutual benefits working together. Safety, less stress, lower costs, better performance, corporate social responsibility and environmental gains are all achievable. Everybody wins.

I value the safety and health of my members.

Managing work-related road safety has a positive impact for them in this area, as well as for the public at large.

