

## **Sompo Risk Engineering Launches New Work Injury Risk Survey for Asia Pacific Region**

Sompo Risk Engineering Department, based in the Asia Pacific regional headquarters in Singapore (Sompo Holdings (Asia) Pte.Ltd.), launches a new Work Injury Risk Survey to assist Japanese corporate clients in the manufacturing industry.

### 1. Introduction

According to statistics from Singapore authorities, the chances of employees suffering from an injury in the course of work are much higher compared to a fire accident, especially in manufacturing industries that involve machine operation. Regardless of the severity, such accidents cause impact to the business, ranging from shortage of manpower to legal liabilities. Therefore, this new service will check current working condition of the clients with a fresh pair of eyes, providing recommendations to prevent work injury, and enhancing work safety and efficiency.

### 2. Service outline

In addition to the Fire and Property Risk Surveys for evaluating potential risk in the factory, this new service will focus mainly on machinery operation risks. Sompo's risk engineers will advise the relevant safety measures, such as safety guard, personal protective equipment, interlock system, etc. after assessing the operating risk of the machines and adequacy of the countermeasures. The survey fee will be SGD1,000 per client and expected survey period will be a half day. Sompo Holdings also provides assessment in other aspects, such as human issue, poor management, working condition upon clients' requests.

### 3. Future plan

Sompo aims to provide the best solutions for our customer, and mitigate the risk of industrial accidents by recommending the necessary preventive measures.

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