



**Case Study: United Biscuits/Jacobs**  
March - April 2011 after parapet wall collapses  
onto the roof of A Block



### Asbestos emergency after parapet wall collapses onto the roof of A Block

Asbestos Services were called to Jacobs on an emergency call after a parapet wall had collapsed and fell onto the roof in A Block. The wall had collapsed due to high winds and a 30 meter section of bricks and rubble estimated at 4 tonnes, had fell through onto the production floor. High level asbestos ceiling panels located within A block had been smashed to pieces with large ammounts of debris spread over an area of 4000 m2.

AS (UK) immediately sealed the area off and marked it as a no entry zone until an action plan was drafted and the clean up operation programmed. The task in hand was to clear all food items within the zone which had been contaminated with asbestos and general debris, all asbestos was removed and a major fine clean operation was carried using 14 operatives which included the stripping down of ovens and machines to clean all debris from moving parts to completely eliminate any future risks.

The operation was overseen on a constant basis by independent analytical company who confirmed the area to be safe before being handed back to the client.





# Total solutions for all asbestos, clearance and environmental hygiene matters

Asbestos removal and encapsulation

Asbestos surveys and consultation

Safe collection and disposal of asbestos and other waste

Soft strip and light demolition works

Environmental hygiene/cleaning services  
(Urban cleaning, pigeon contamination/graffitti removal)



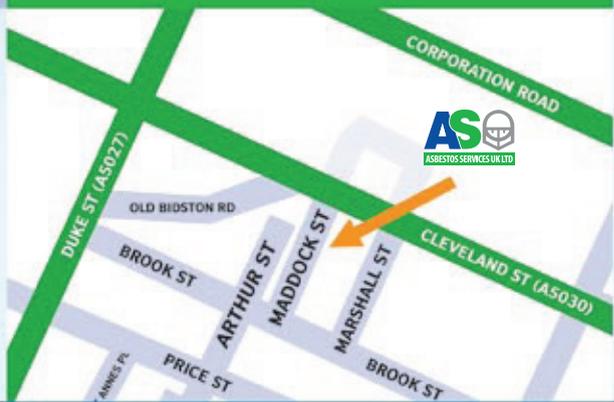
Total asbestos services on a national scale for government, commercial, industrial and domestic sectors



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