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Independent Health & Safety Inspection – Blue Star Item

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Description of Blue Star Item	BMJV at the M27 & M62 have trialled and now introduced an additional control measure to those already required and set out by Highways England Raising the Bar No.7 and HSE GS6. The site team have introduced high definition quattro variable message signs that activate when a construction plant and vehicles approach an overhead service and or hazard.
Benefits of Blue Star Item	 Increases awareness to all construction vehicle and plant users within the construction environment of the danger when approaching overhead hazards (day and night). The VMS units are vehicle activated signs and as such they are fitted with radar. This is optional but increases battery life/efficiency. The VMS units are small and portable. Therefore, they can be positioned where appropriate as they are fixed to a post on its own battery box.
Details and Cost of any Specific Product	 Sign case is 650mm x 650mm Red and white LEDs with 28 x 28 pixels and 200mm pixel pitch Pre-loaded messages can be easily switched via Web Studio Available in an aluminium enclosure for permanent installations. The VMS weighs below 10kg and the sign case can be installed on existing street furniture. The cost of the VMS is £115 per week, per sign and manufactured by m-vis.





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