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	Awarded for Exceptional Performance or New Initiative not widely used on other sites
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Project	Principal Contractor (PC)	Date of Inspection
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Description of Blue Star Item	Excellent emergency procedures in place for work on the bridge deck. Only those who need access are allowed on the deck and they receive a separate briefing. They then have to sign in and out every time they access the deck so that in the event of an emergency it is known who is on the deck. A wind monitor is located on the deck and no work is allowed if the wind speed exceeds 30 MPH. Alarm call points are located on the deck in the event of an incident and air horns also used to raise the alarm in the event of an incident. Rescue procedures in place and briefed prior to accessing the deck. A man riding basket and stretcher used to rescue casualties from the deck. Rescue training exercises regularly carried out with one taking place the day before the inspection.
Benefits of Blue Star Item	A well monitored access system to the bridge deck ensures that in the event of an emergency a roll call can be carried out quickly. Regular emergency rescue practices are carried out particularly where there has been a change in personnel working on the bridge decks to ensure that everyone is familiar with the procedures. The wind speed monitor quickly alerts everyone working on the bridge deck and gives them sufficient time to ensure that all materials are secured and that everyone can leave the deck safely.
Details and Cost of any Specific Product	Rescue stretcher and 4 point lifting bridle cost £450 FlexiMet Wind 1 wind speed and direction monitoring system cost £1069

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