



Summary

Industry:	Other
Application:	Personal Protective Equipment
Actual Saving:	Health & Safety
Payback Period:	Immediate



ERIKS Throw Down the Gauntlets to Reduce Health and Safety Risks

ISSUE

ERIKS were approached by one of our glass manufacturing customers who were experiencing issues with their current PPE solution and spend. The engineers were wearing cut resistant liner gloves under terry heat gauntlets to protect themselves during the production process.

To make things worse each engineer was changing their gloves upwards of six times during the day, highlighting a health and safety risk and not to mention the amount being spent of personal protective equipment.

SOLUTION

After observing the production process, ERIKS consulted with personal protective equipment supply partner Polyco who suggested the Hot Glove Plus. The Hot Glove Plus is a heavy duty terry cloth gauntlet with an integral liquid and steam barrier (up to 250°C for contact heat) and provided double donning cut protection.

This solution reduced the number of glove changes to one every other day, which has in turn provided significant cost savings. Furthermore the new gloves have reduced health and safety risk by providing the user with increased protection and a more durable product.

OTHER BENEFITS

- Reduced health and safety risks
- Improved user efficiency
- Avoided loss of production
- Glove solution offers increased user protection
- Durable, longer lasting products

FURTHER COMMENTS...

The customer is very happy with the new personnel protective equipment. It has not only helped maximise efficiency and productivity, but the improved durability and longevity has directly impacted cost savings.

MORE INFORMATION

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