



Entertainment Sound Specialists

ESS ELECTRICAL SAFETY AND PAT TEST POLICY 2020

- We take Health and Safety issues very seriously at ESS, and make every effort to ensure that the equipment tht we own, and operate, is always in a safe state to use.
- All portable appliances are tested at least annually by a trained and competent tester.
- Records are kept of the results so we can periodically check there is no trend of deterioration of an otherwise 'OK' pass.
In other words we also look to pre-emptively avoid using any equipment which may become defective in the future
- All appliances which have passed a PAT ttest are clearly marked with a green PASS sticker, and the suggested retest date is indicated thereupon.
- All ESS equipnent powered from an ESS power distro at an event will be serviced by 30mA RCD protection devices.
This means that in the event of a potentially lethal fault, the distro will shut down before anyone can be harmed or injured.
- All ESS crew carry defect report sheets with them at shows and on tours. Our policy is for crew to immedialtely report and defects or faulty behaviour so that we can rectify the fault immediately.
If this cant be done by paper based report or by email, then we expect crew to call any one of the partners to ask for immediate assistance. This is always given.
- Should information about the pass results of a specifci piece of equipment be required by a third party, we will supply this upon request. We just need the unique stock code number, which is deplayed on an ESS sticker upon the equipment.
Failing this a manufactrurrs serial number should also suffice.

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