

management vs evidence collection for legal process. Overall, though, nearly all candidates demonstrated an acceptable level of strategic and tactical thinking to manage identified risk using the regulatory paradigm provided for by trading standards legislation.

In summary, the standard was generally good ranging to excellent, and candidates clearly understand the expectations of this examination and address these in a positive way, despite the challenges of an oral problem-solving examination conducted online.

Example Scenario

You receive information from a local manufacturer of biocidal sprays, which are used to sanitise surfaces after people have touched them. One of their competitors is marketing a product which claims when it is sprayed on household surfaces that it kills all germs and viruses and keeps surfaces free of all pathogens for up to 48 hours regardless of how often they are touched. The product also claims that it is safe to use in environments where children and pets are present.

