



# Legionella Control Association

A Code of Conduct for Service Providers

## Certificate of Registration

This is to certify that the following company has submitted a registration under the Conditions of Compliance as laid out in the LCA's Code of Conduct for Service Providers

Name of Company: **Bio Search (N.I.) Limited**

Registration Number: **2013/2223** Certificate valid until: **31st August 2023**

Registration under the following services categories:

**(7) Legionella Monitoring Services**

7.3 Laboratory Analysis

**This Certificate is only valid if the Company named is listed on the LCA website [www.legionellacontrol.org.uk/directory.php](http://www.legionellacontrol.org.uk/directory.php)**



Signed:

Chairman, Executive Committee



Certificate Secretary

**Legionella Control Association Limited. [www.legionellacontrol.org.uk](http://www.legionellacontrol.org.uk)**

Registered in England and Wales No. 8502723

The legal duty to comply with relevant health and safety legislation (including avoidance or control of risk to exposure to Legionella bacteria) rests solely with the statutory dutyholder, being either the employer or the person in control of the premises or systems where any relevant risk is present, and this cannot be delegated. Specific functions (e.g. carrying out risk assessment) can be delegated and the Legionella Control Association (LCA) Code of Conduct is designed to help service providers, who also have duties under health and safety legislation, to establish appropriate management systems for the prevention or control of risk from Legionella bacteria. The LCA assesses the management systems of LCA members upon initial registration, reviews annually upon re-registration, and re-assesses by annual company audits. The LCA cannot and does not carry out other regular supervision of its members' commitments to the Code of Conduct nor their compliance with other LCA guidelines. A valid LCA certificate of registration (which is only valid if the Company named is listed on the LCA website [www.legionellacontrol.org.uk/directory.php](http://www.legionellacontrol.org.uk/directory.php)) confirms only that a service provider has satisfied LCA requirements at registration and its most recent company audit. It does not confirm the service provider's actual or continuing compliance with their commitments to the LCA Code of Conduct and/or other LCA guidelines. The LCA does not approve specific products or services as being effective in controlling Legionella or verify the competence of service providers' staff and sub-contractors, which is the duty of the service provider and the statutory dutyholder. The LCA accepts no liability for any omission or any act carried out in reliance on the LCA Code of Conduct or other LCA guidelines, or any loss or damage resulting from non-compliance with such documents.