



GMB LONDON REGION

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GMB YOUR VOICE IN ASDA

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ASDA Lowestoft Human Excrement

Dear members,

GMB London Region have received many messages from concerned GMB members within the ASDA Lowestoft store today following sewerage leaks around the ASDA Store.



Video and photographs shared with GMB London Region show human waste 'gushing' from sewerage pipes close to food storage areas around it's home shopping operation.

GMB Members on site are complaining about having to walk through the human waste.

Our GMB Representatives are on site and advising our members that they can withdraw their labour under Section 44 Employment Rights Act 1996 as it is potentially unsafe to work within the area.

GMB London Region Members on site are currently refusing to work within this area.

GMB London Region have sent communication to the management of ASDA Lowestoft and requested that they close off the area affected by this waste spill until it has been cleaned and made safe by third party contractors as per the Asda Policy.

GMB Member's health and safety is of paramount importance to GMB London Region and GMB will support any member who has to withdraw their labour.

If you are impacted by a similar issue and would like support or advice, please contact our office at 01603 626492, or visit our GMB Members' Support Centre at www.gmb-asda.com/support

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