**New Equipment for moving larger persons that improves staff safety and professional dignity**

Average body size in the general population has increased dramatically over the last 30 years. Increasingly, funeral directors are being faced with complex removals involving these larger “Plus Size” individuals in need of their services.

3ET Limited, a specialist manufacturer and supplier of emergency Moving & handling equipment have built upon their proven range of “Plus Size” solutions used extensively by emergency services providers across the UK and developed a new range of equipment specifically for use by funeral directors.

Heading up the 3ET Funeral range is the EvacPRO-F developed to move body sizes weighing up to 400kg with abdomen circumferences of up to 4m(12ft).The 3ET EvacPRO-F offers a professional dignified solution to those difficult domestic removals involving the “Plus Size” deceased whilst minimising the risk of injury to staff members.

Alison Hayward, director at 3ET, said “Funeral directors have a duty of care to ensure their staff are not injured in the process of carrying out their job. All of our funeral products have been ergonomically designed to encourage good posture, they enable the deceased to be slid rather than lifted, minimising the physical exertion required and reducing the risk of injury to staff.”

Over the years funeral directors have called upon the resources of local Fire Brigades to assist with removals involving very large and heavy individuals but in more recent times a combination of increased incidents involving these larger “Plus Size” individuals and a dramatic decrease in the resources available in the Fire Brigades, a situation now exists where the Fire Brigades are no longer able to assist and in many cases might even insist that it’s the funeral directors responsibility to have means of dealing with such incidents.

For further information on the product range, to talk through your requirements or book a demonstration, please visit [www.3etfuneral.co.uk](http://www.3etfuneral.co.uk) or contact Alison Hayward directly on alison@3et.co.uk / Tel: 0116 4362536.