10 TOP TIPS FROM RCAT
CHURCHES AND LEAD THEFT

1. Install a roof alarm and CCTV which can be monitored by a company 24/7
2. Use security lighting
3. Protect security lights with a metal cage to stop them being moved
4. Paint pipes with anti-climb paint to prevent access to roofs
5. Use forensic security marking systems on the lead
6. Cut back trees and plants
7. Remove waste bins, water butts and storage sheds from the side of the building to prevent them being used to access roofs
8. Keep gates locked and restrict vehicle access to the grounds
9. Take care while building work is being done. Don't leave ladders and building equipment in the grounds
10. Ask the community to report any suspicious behaviour to police