

SAFE WORK PRACTICE

TITLE	Aerial Work Platforms
GENERAL	Protecting workers from injuries associated with use of aerial work platforms
APPLICATION	As per job description
PROTECTIVE MECHANISMS	Safe work procedure Permit system Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) As per manufacturer instructions ERP (emergency Response Plan)
SELECTION AND USE	Safe work procedure Job requirement
SUPERVISOR RESPONSIBILITY	To facilitate and/or provide proper instruction to their workers on protection requirements
WORKER RESPONSIBILITY	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Read and follow manufacturer operator’s instructions. 2. Perform job site inspection and walk around inspection of the equipment. 3. Ensure ground is firm and level. 4. Be aware of power line proximity. 5. Ensure correct aerial platform is utilized. 6. Do not overload the machine at any time. 7. No platform is to be made higher by the use of a scaffold, boxes, or ladders. 8. Wear the applicable safety harness attached to the machine when operating any aerial platform. 9. Get on and off the platform when it is in the lowered position. 10. While operating an aerial work platform, the operator shall not use any hand-held device(s) while the equipment is being operated.

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