

MR. MUSLEH's NEWS



Welcome to issue No. 5 of *Mr. Musleh's News*, the communication which provides a 'one stop shop' for you to receive learnings from incidents in PDO and the oil and gas industry.

This month Mr. Musleh will summarise the learnings from incidents of the lost time injuries (LTIs) that have occurred during June 2015.

You can browse the incidents in the newsletter which have been designed to be read in an easy to digest format and delve deeper into the learning's if you think the incident or learning is relevant to you.

Please disseminate this bulletin to your teams and use it in your tool box talks, HSE meetings and notice boards.

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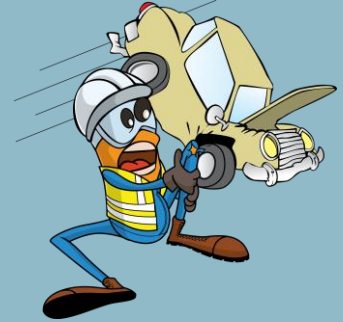




Collision results in fractured arm

A heavy vehicle was travelling on a graded road when it collided with the rear of another trailer causing serious injury to the driver and extensive damage to the vehicle.

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Lifting loop fractures arm

An engineer attempted to disconnect the Top Drives lifting loop from the cranes hook but it was stuck. To free it the crane driver lowered the hook further but when the loop became free it fell on the engineers arm and fractured it.

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Failure to isolate results in burns

An electrician received an electric shock resulting in burns to his upper body, face and neck after he opened up a transformer cover to change a fuse without first isolating the power.

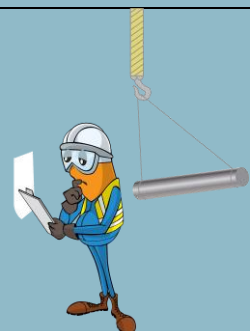
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Suspended load fractures finger

A blow out preventer (BOP) suspended from a crane was being manually guided into position by an assistant driller. Whilst physically handling it the BOP swung sideways and trapped his finger against the rig mast fracturing it.

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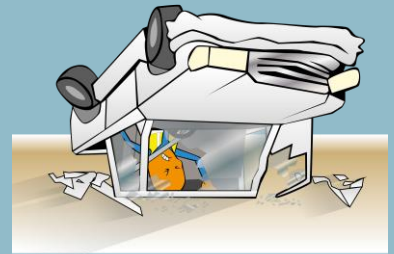




Fatigue leads to major incident

A pickup truck was travelling between sites when it drifted across the road and hit a canter lorry travelling the opposite way head on. All 3 people involved was injured, one severely suffering a compound fracture to his knee.

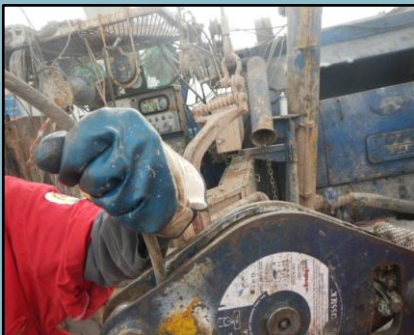
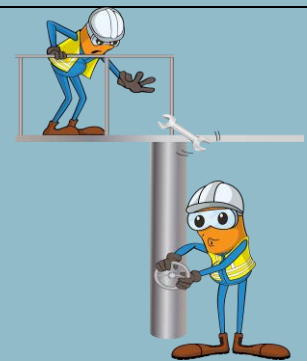
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Operator in line of fire

The Forklift Truck (FLT) Operator and Floor man were removing a pipe from the catwalk. As the FLT operator lifted the pipe, the Floor man tried to stop the pipe from rolling with his foot; the pipe slipped off the forks and dropped 60cm hitting his foot fracturing his left ankle.

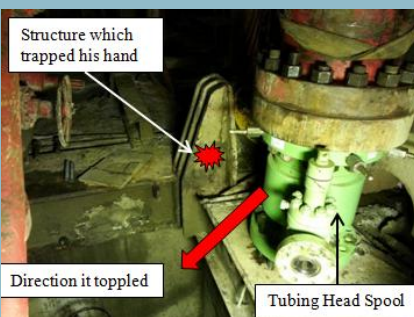
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Clamp failure severs fingers

A logging engineer was feeding a slack cable into a clamp on a logging unit. The clamp however failed which caused the cable under 5000lbs of tension to slip through the clamp pulling his fingers into the mechanism and severed off three of his fingers.

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Falling object fractures fingers

As a forklift placed a tubing head spool down on uneven floor it began to topple over towards the rig cellar. The driller tried to stop it and in doing so his hand was crushed, fracturing two fingers.

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