

MR. MUSLEH's NEWS



Welcome to issue No. 2 of *Mr. Musleh's News*, the new 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 that have occurred between the months of January and March 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.

This second edition examines lost time injuries (*LTI's) and Tier 1, asset integrity process safety (AIPS) incidents for Q1.

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

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*3 LTI's from Q1 were covered in issue 1





Bathroom slip fractures knee

While the contractor employee was exiting the rig site bathroom stall, the IP slipped and fell causing him to twist and strike his left knee on the floor of the bathroom.

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Buried pipe corrodes

A crude oil storage tank was lined up for loading when an operator discovered a leak. Due to the darkness and defective lights the wrong valve was isolated which delayed the correct isolation resulting in the loss of 12 m3 of crude.

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Finger crushed

A hose became snagged on a bolt securing the hand tools board hanging on the rig floor handrail. The roustabout went to release the hose manually and his right hand middle finger trapped between tool board and hand rail causing crush injury.

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Fractured wrist from fall

Casing yard crew member fell from a trailer whilst nailing a chock into dunnage resulting in a fractured wrist.

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Fall results in fracture

An operator of wheel loader fell down while cleaning air filter of his equipment, causing a fracture to his right wrist.

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Relief pit bund fails

The failure of multiple safety barriers resulted in the loss of 150m³ of crude oil causing significant environmental damage.

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Driver fractures pelvis

A tipper driver took a shortcut resulting in his vehicle slipping down a slope in reverse. The driver could not control the vehicle due to the heavy load and trailer tipped over on its side. The trailer was lifted into the air causing it to fall heavily back to the ground. The force of the impact resulted in a fractured pelvis.

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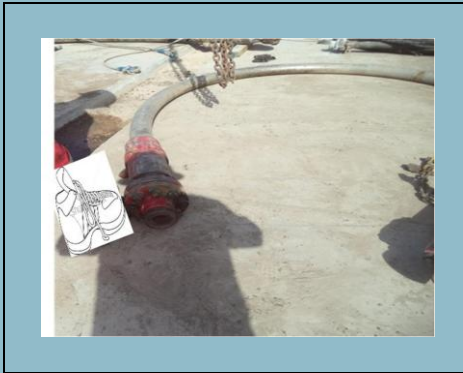




Fatal mistake

As the vehicle maneuvered on a graded road the operator of a hose deployment unit (HDU) lost his balance falling backwards hitting his head on a hand rail resulting in a fatal head injury.

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Trainee fractures toes

A trainee assistant driller fractured two toes after he and his supervisor failed to ensure the safety hooks were adequately attached to the safety catch eyes. This resulted in a 90 kg hose dropping to the ground hitting the trainees right foot.

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Another fall results in fracture

During a routine inspection of a back up engine, the Chief Mechanic put his right foot on the skid 40 cm above ground and was holding the cross bar with his right hand. His right hand slipped from the cross bar and he lost his balance falling to the ground landing on his left hand fracturing his left wrist.

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