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| Preventing Operator Being Struck By Boom on Telehandler |  |

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| **Job Description:** |  | **Location:** |  |

# Performance Metrics

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| The window on the boom-side of telehandlers or variable reach trucks is designated as safety-critical equipment as it is designed as a guard to prevent operator access to the boom. |  |  |  |
| Operators of telehandlers warned of the dangers of operating their machines with the side screen broken or missing. Side window on the boom side fitted with signage indicating machine guard. |  |  |  |
| On OTML owned machines a mesh cage is placed over side window on telehandler to prevent operator leaning out into the path of the boom. |  |  |  |
| Any telehandler with damaged side windows is removed from service until the glass is replaced. |  |  |  |

# Supervisor Task Requirements

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| Provide mesh cage over side window on OTML owned telehandler to prevent operator leaning out into the path of the boom. |  |  |  |
| Ensure the window on the boom-side of telehandlers or variable reach trucks is designated as safety-critical equipment as it is designed as a guard to prevent operator access to the boom. |  |  |  |
| Remove from service any telehandler with damaged side windows until the glass is replaced. |  |  |  |
| Verify that any person required to operate a telehandler is trained and assessed competent in conduct of those operations. |  |  |  |

# Operator / Maintainer Requirements

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| Report damage to boom side windows on telehandlers or variable reach trucks as soon as it occurs and stop the job until the window is replaced. |  |  |  |
| Check side window on the boom side fitted with signage indicating machine guard. |  |  |  |
| Keep completely within the telehandler cabin when operating the machine to keep away from the boom path. Do not lean out of the side windows while operating. |  |  |  |
| Operate telehandler within technical capabilities and limitations of the machine. Do not operate equipment if not trained |  |  |  |
| Stop work if personnel enter exclusion zone under suspended load or raised boom. |  |  |  |

# Comments/Actions