

Inspection - Mobile Equipment Checklist

Vehicle Interaction_Isolating/ Securing of Mobile Equipment/ Vehicles - Isolating/ Securing of Mobile Equipment/ Vehicles

Prompt	Establis Improvem N/A	Explanation	Comments
Work Instructions for vehicles and mobile equipment covering park–up procedures followed?		Work Instructions for vehicles (including trailers) and mobile equipment covering park–up procedures followed e.g. engine is switched off, park brake is engaged, wheel chocks are in place, keys are removed from ignition, and drivers are not in the vehicle.	
The battery isolation switch is turned off when mobile equipment is parked at night?		The battery isolation switch (where fitted) is turned off when mobile equipment is parked at night.	
Designated parking and maintenance areas are in place and identified in the site Traffic Management Plan?		Designated parking and maintenance areas for vehicles and mobile equipment are in place and identified in the site Traffic Management Plan.	
Mobile equipment is parked with forks or bucket lowered to ground?		Mobile equipment (forklift, telehandler, skid steer loader, wheel loader) is parked with forks or bucket lowered to ground.	
Operators and drivers trained in park up procedures?		Mobile plant & equipment operators are trained in park-up procedures for vehicles and mobile equipment.	
Isolations are checked and verified?		Isolations are checked and verified. Check that isolation are in place at required points as per procedure and locked out as required. As a minimum, this should be the vehicle is turned off, keys removed, battery isolated and locked and tagged with wheel chocks in place.	
Wheel chocks are provided and used whenever trailers are unattended, maintenance is being carried out or they are unhooked from a vehicle?		Wheel chocks are provided and used whenever trailers are unattended, maintenance is being carried out or they are unhooked from a vehicle.	
Supervisor to verify that designated park up areas are in place?		Verify that designated park-up areas for mobile equipment are in place as part of Traffic Management Plan.	
Supervisor to verify that vehicles and mobile equipment are parked-up in accordance with procedure?		Verify that vehicles and mobile equipment are parked-up in accordance with procedure.	

Prompt

Supervisor to verify that personnel required to operate vehicles and mobile equipment are assessed competent?

Supervisor to provide means of securing vehicles so they are fundamentally stable when parked?

Operator/ maintainer secure vehicles and mobile equipment?

Operator/ maintainer check and verify isolations?

Operator/ maintainer confirm or test isolations before commencement of work.

Operator/ maintainer place personal padlock and tag at isolation points?

Operator/ Maintainer place tag at isolation/ disconnection points that cannot be locked out?



Explanation

Verify that personnel required to operate vehicles and mobile equipment are assessed competent in conduct of those operations including park-up requirements and authorised to do so.

Provide means of securing vehicles so they are fundamentally stable when parked.

Secure vehicles and mobile equipment following the methods and requirements of the equipment park-up procedure, maintenance procedure or Permit to Work.

Check and verify isolations ensuring the vehicle is turned off, keys removed, battery isolated and locked and tagged with wheel chocks in place.

Confirm or test isolations before commencement of work e.g. checking equipment cannot move.

Place personnel padlock and tag at isolation points or personal padlock on group isolation system, before commencing work on isolated equipment where required.

Place tag at isolation/ disconnection points that cannot be locked out e.g. steering wheel. Comments

