

Task Risk Control Sheet

OLE Balance Weight Fault Rectification

RCS No:NR/L3/MTC/RCS0216/OLE13
Issue: 2

Key Risks!

- Electrocution
- Struck by train
- Working at Height
- Slips, trips and falls

Personnel Involved

E&P	✓
S&T	
P/Way	
Off Track	
Property	

Tools / Equipment

Ladder
Rigging equipment
Standard OHL tool kit
Slings
Blocking clamp

Plant

MEWP / Scaffold Tower / Train

Key Risks	Controls	Implemented By
Electrocution	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • See Risk Control Sheet NR/L3/MTC/RCS0216/OLE06 – High Level OLE Work • See Risk Control Sheet NR/L3/MTC/RCS0216/GA21 - Working Near Electrical Overhead Line Equipment 	Team Leader / COSS
Manual Handling	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Specific assessment required depending on type of balance weight and method of installation • Use of approved clamps and slinging, lifting and handling techniques for raising, lowering or securing balance weights. (remove grease and tighten block clamp with torque wrench) • When lifting balance weights into position always assess lift and use appropriate number of staff • Wear appropriate gloves 	Team Leader Staff
Falling Objects	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Use of approved tool belts to secure tools when not in use • Brief working party on dangers of walking underneath work locations • Exclusion zone under raised objects to be set up • Secure items being installed with rope • Staff shall not stand below raised objects 	Staff COSS Staff
Slips, trips and falls	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • See Risk Control Sheet NR/L3/MTC/RCS0216/GH02 – Underfoot Conditions 	Team Leader / COSS
Entrapment	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Wear appropriate gloves • Keep fingers away from gaps along balance weight guide tube path 	Staff Staff
Work on equipment under tension	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • See Risk Control Sheet NR/L3/MTC/RCS0216/OLE07 – Dismantling of OLE and Work Under Tension 	Team Leader
Working at height	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • See Risk Control Sheet NR/L3/MTC/RCS0216/GH04 – Work at Height 	Team Leader
Struck by Train	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • See Risk Control Sheet NR/L3/MTC/RCS0216/GA01 – Work On or Near the Line 	Team Leader / COSS

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PPE Required by NR / Maintenance Policy



Wear Head Protection



Wear Foot Protection



Wear Hi Visibility Clothing



Wear Safety glasses to BS EN166.F

If safety glasses introduce a risk (ie weather conditions) then the Team Leader shall assess the risk. The outcome of the assessment shall be recorded on the SSOWPS pack and safety glasses may be removed.

This does not supersede the requirements for eye protection detailed on relevant Task Risk Control Sheets.

Additional PPE Required by Task Risk Control Sheet



Wear Hand Protection



Wear Safety Harness