

SUMMARY OF TOPICS

The following topics for the Standard for Fabricated Scaffold Planks and Stages, UL 1322, are being recirculated:

1. Revision to Add Multiple Suspension Points

COMMENTS DUE: JULY 31, 2017

For your convenience in review, proposed additions to the previously proposed requirements dated December 23, 2016 are shown underlined and proposed deletions are shown ~~lined-out~~.

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Responses to comments have been posted within the UL 1322 Proposal Review Work Area dated 2016-12-23.

1. Scope

1.2 These requirements do not cover:

- a) Suspended scaffold components,
- b) Accessories for use with or in the erection of fixed or rolling scaffolds,
- c) ~~Deleted.~~
- d) The construction or installation of scaffolding,
- e) Hoists intended for use with suspended scaffolds, or
- f) Suspended platforms utilizing angled or articulating sections, or
- g) ~~Platforms with more than two suspension points.~~

3.11A MULTI-POINT SUSPENDED PLATFORM (MPSP) – A suspended platform that is supported from at least three separately spaced points and is more than 2.5 ft. (0.75 m) in width. MPSPs range from large area platforms, used for bridge repair and restoration work to small platforms used for access and inspection applications. (Also known as a multi-point suspended scaffold or a multi-point bridge platform.)

4.13 A multipoint suspended platform (MPSP), independent of shape, shall be designed, constructed, and maintained in such a way that a failure of the support means shall not cause any part of the platform to collapse or fail under the most adverse loading condition as determined by the design of the platform. ~~As an extra safety option, each stirrup can have two independent support lines.~~ Testing shall be performed in the most adverse position.

7.2.2 The product is to be placed in a horizontal position and supported 12 inches (305 mm) from the ends of the side rail, or the stirrups in the case of modular stage platforms and modular suspended platforms with cantilevered sections. The supports on one end are to be raised so that one end of the product is 6 inches (152 mm) higher than the other end, and one side rail is to be raised so that the decking is at an angle of 15 degrees to the horizontal. ~~The load is to be applied to the most adverse position of the platform.~~

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