

# United States DROPS Network October Meeting

#### **Dropped Object Awareness and Prevention**



#### Agenda

- Anti-trust guidelines
- Safety moment
- LinkedIn
- February forum agenda
- December Virtual Forum Agenda
- Discuss outstanding parking lot items
- · New items of business
- Dropped objects training sessions
- Next meetings
- Meeting close



NOT JUST DRILLING!



#### **Anti-Trust Guidelines**

- No promotional remarks or discussion of purchase, sale, or pricing for goods and services.
- No sharing or discussion of confidential or proprietary information.
- No discussion of mergers, acquisitions, and divestment plans.
- No sharing or discussion of compliance costs.
- No discussion about how companies intend to respond to potential or actual government action.
- No disparaging remarks.
- Antitrust laws are regulations that encourage competition by limiting the market power of any particular firm. This often involves ensuring that mergers and acquisitions don't overly concentrate market power or form monopolies, as well as breaking up firms that have become monopolies. Antitrust laws also prevent multiple firms from colluding or forming a cartel to limit competition through practices such as price fixing.

**Understanding and Preventing Dropped Objects** 

#### Safety Moment – Mechanical Lifting Failure

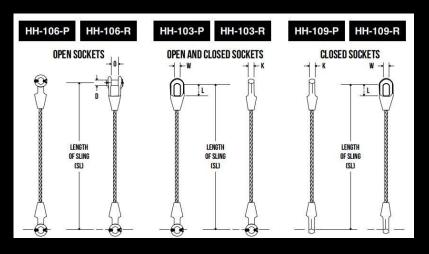
Description: A fatality occurred on July 7, 2022, shortly after 3 am at an oilsands shovel pad location. A team was lowering a pendant cable assembly from a crane when the pendant cable fell resulting in a fatal injury.





## Safety Moment (Cont.)







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**Proactive Measures:** 

Never walk or work under a suspended load.

Use proper rigging components and configuration.

Inspect rigging before use.

Use tag lines to control the load. If the use of a tag line increases the risk to a worker, use another method of load control.

Establish and obey barriers and exclusion zones.

Ensure all slings have a legible tag including size, length of sling, type of construction, name or trademark of manufacturer, and the safe working load.

Ensure that workers conducting rigging activities are deemed competent and qualified.

Ensure lifts are conducted with a lift plan as per the work permit, hazard assessment or work procedure requirements.

Ensure all workers involved participate in a pre-lift hazard assessment.

Review crane and rigging standards, practices and work procedures.



#### LinkedIn

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Drops International



## February Virtual Forum Agenda



#### Virtual Forum Agenda – November 08th

- Introduction
- Safety Moment Pending
- Guest Speaker / Technology FSC Systems / Lazer eyes / Exclusion zone https://www.systemsfsc.com/our-services
- Discussion Dropped drill pipe screens (Ryan D'Aunoy)
- Close



### Growing Interest in Dropped Objects Prevention

- ASSP Oil, Gas, Mining and Mineral Resources Practice Specialty
- National STEPS Network and Chapters
- DROPS Membership List from DROPS Online
- IADC expressed interest in Dropped Objects Prevention Scheme



#### Discuss Outstanding Parking Lot Items

- Establish focus group for drops inspector curriculum development.
- Drops inspector outline development January 2023.
- ASSP Oil, Gas, Mining and Mineral Resources Practice Specialty
- Q1 2023
- 1-hour total
- Develop DROPS Inspector Story Board
- Objective Aid DROPS in standardizing training and inspection procedures
- Focus group or this group
- Subject Matter Experts



#### New Items of Business

Face to Face – Q1 2024



#### **Dropped Objects Training Sessions (Virtual)**

Houston - TUE, OCT 11, 2022 8:30AM — 1:30PM

Dubai - THU, OCT 20, 2022 1:00PM — 6:00PM

Dubai - TUE, NOV 22, 2022 1:00PM — 6:00PM

UK - WED, NOV 23, 2022 8:30AM — 1:30PM

Houston - THU, NOV 24, 2022 8:30AM — 1:30PM



#### **Next Meeting Agenda**

- November 2, at 11:00 Central (Virtual Forum)
- December 7, at 11:00 Central
- January 4, at 11:00 Central
- February 1, at 11:00 Central (Virtual Forum)
- March 1, at 11:00 Central



#### **Closing Notes**

Exploit expertise in drops and drops components. Rigging and lifting training incorporated for practical experience during the learning process.

Broadie has been in contact with Ross about trial of e-Learning via LMS.

Send link for training sessions.







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