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HEALTH SAFETY ENVIRONMENTAL



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Pinch Points & Hand Placement

There was a recent incident involving an employee who utilized improper hand placement to adjust the forks on a telehandler. Hand placement is one of the most crucial safety issues in any industry, business, or in daily life that you will come across. No one has to tell you how important your hands are to daily life. Your hands make the most difficult of tasks much easier and simplify life in ways we take for granted each day. Protecting your hands may be the most important decision you make during the day and it could affect the rest of your life. **ALWAYS KEEP ALL BODY PARTS FROM IN BETWEEN PINCH POINTS.** Keep yourself clear of the line of fire. REMEMBER, participating in the LIFE Process aids in identifying and mitigating hazards, as well as eliminating at risk body positions. Utilize Stop Work Authority and upgrade JSEA's anytime a job tasks changes.



Report all incidents immediately to the GIS Hotline 1-855-543-5163.

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