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HEALTH SAFETY ENVIRONMENTAL



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Planning & Communication

We recently had a first aid case that had the potential for a much more disastrous outcome. During crane operations, employees were moving beams out of a basket. As the crane slowly raised one of the beams, the crew realized that the lift was not going to happen as planned. They quickly lowered the beam and one of the crew members attempted to loosen the shackle. Due to movement of the facility, the ball on the crane shifted causing the beam to slide pinching the employees hand between another beam and the shackle.

After reviewing the incident data, there were several factors that were identified which led to the incident.

1. Lack of communication within crew
 - a. Employee attempted to remove shackle while crew discussed another rigging method.
2. Facility movement
 - a. Unexpected movement caused ball to swing.
 - b. Load was still connected to crane while trying to remove shackle.
3. Hazard ID
 - a. Crew was not using GIS JSEA, and pinch points were not identified.
4. Lack of specific job plan/procedure
 - a. Very general outline for work that day.

We wanted to take this time to share the incident with you in hopes that you remember to work as a team, and stop to discuss things when the task changes.

If you should have any questions or concerns, please feel free to contact the Corporate HSE department.



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

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