



Putting People First Since 1948



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Working Near Loads & Elevated Trucks

Company policy states that *No person shall be allowed to stand or pass under the elevated portion of any truck, whether loaded or empty.* This policy is in place to make sure that our focus during operations is always safety first. No matter the task at hand, there is always time to put safety first. An employee was recently reminded of this policy when he was observed knocking rocks off of skid plates directly under a suspended load of baskets. Thankfully in this situation the employee was not hurt, but statistics show that this isn't always the case.



Things to Remember

- If **ANYONE** alerts you of an unsafe behavior your first reaction must be to **immediately stop the job** and address the unsafe behavior.
- It is everyone's responsibility to take the time to eliminate any potential hazards to make the workplace a safe place.
- **NEVER WALK/WORK UNDER A SUSPENDED LOAD!**

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

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