

Life-saving Rules

(Cardinal Rules)

1. Open, isolate, test, earth, bond and/or insulate before touch

No person may work on any electrical network unless trained and authorised to do so. Furthermore all hazards and risks must be identified and the apparatus must also be proven safe to work on



2. Hook up at heights

Where there is potential for a fall, a risk assessment must be conducted and suitable control measures must be implemented



3. Buckle up

No person may drive any vehicle on Eskom business unless he or she and all passengers are wearing seat belts



4. Be sober

No person is allowed to work whilst under the influence of drugs and/or alcohol



5. Permit to work

No person is allowed to work without the required Permit to Work (PTW)



Zero fatalities • Zero injuries • Zero environmental incidents • Zero tolerance

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