

Occupational
Health and Safety

Field Visit Report

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OHS Case ID: **4241CJWWWPG**

Field Visit no: **4241CJWWWPG-4241-FV001**

Visit Date: **2024-MAY-16**

Field Visit Type: **INITIAL**

Workplace Identification: **FLEMING COLLEGE**

Notice ID:

200 ALBERT STREET SOUTH, LINDSAY, ON CA K9V 5E6

Telephone:
(705) 324-9144

JHSC Status:
Active

Work Force #:
200

Completed %:

Persons Contacted: **Mariah Wickert - Manager Health & Safety, Kevin Cornish - Drilling & Blasting Technologist, Marc Patenaude - Research & Operations Manager, Bryden Erdmann - Manager Security & Emergency Preparedness, Heather Broadbent - Worker Rep.**

Visit Purpose: **To monitor compliance with the occupational health and safety act and associated regulations**

Visit Location: **Drilling Shop, Security Office**

Visit Summary: **Orders issued. See detailed narrative.**

Detailed Narrative:

This visit was conducted in response to a worker injury reported to the Ministry of Labour, Immigration, Training and Skills Development (MLTSD). This inspector was accompanied by MLTSD Inspector Lynda Brown.



It was discussed that the injured worker was in the process of assisting another worker in putting a pallet of 4 stacked fiberglass fish tanks onto their side to de-nest the items. This was done using an overhead crane and sling around the centre of the stacked tanks. When the pallet was lifted, the tanks swung and struck a worker against the Ditch Witch. CCTV footage of the incident was viewed during this visit.

The workplace parties indicated that the injured worker had not received training on material handling or rigging/hoisting/crane operation. **ORDERS ISSUED.**

The employer shall ensure that the pallets of tanks are lifted, carried or moved in such a way and with such precautions and safeguards, as to not endanger a worker. **FORTHWITH ORDER ISSUED.** The employer indicated that they will not be using the overhead crane to attempt to de-nest the tanks moving forward. They employer shall ensure that whatever method is used does not endanger the safety of any workers.

Photos were taken. The scene was released back to the employer.

The employer representative agree to forward the incident report to this inspector once completed. A copy of this report is to be posted in the workplace.

Recipient	Inspector Data	Worker Representative
Name <u>Mariah Wickert</u>	CHRIS WEIR O.H.S.A. & B.O.S.T.A. INSPECTOR PROVINCIAL OFFENCES OFFICER 300 Water St 3rd Flr, Peterborough ON K9J 8M5 hspeterboroughdistrict@ontario.ca Tel: (705) 761-5539 Fax: (705) 755-4724	Name <u>Heather Broadbent</u>
Title <u>Manager Health & Safety</u>		Title <u>Chem technologist</u>
Signature 	Signature 	Signature <u>H Broadbent</u>

You are required under the Occupational Health and Safety Act to post a copy of this report in a conspicuous place at the workplace and provide a copy to the health and safety representative or the joint health and safety committee if any. Failure to comply with an order, decision or requirement of an inspector is an offence under Section 66 of the Occupational Health and Safety Act. You have the right to appeal any order or decision within 30 days of the date of the order issued and to request suspension of the order or decision by filing your appeal and request in writing on the appropriate forms with the Ontario Labour Relations Board, 505 University Ave., 2nd Floor, Toronto, Ontario M5G 2P1. You may also contact the Board by phone at (416) 326-7500 or 1-877-339-3335 (toll free), mail or by website at <http://www.oltb.gov.on.ca/> for more information.

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Order(s) /Requirement(s) Issued:

To:
SIR SANDFORD FLEMING COLLEGE

Org/Ind Role:
Primary Employer

Mailing Address:
599 BREALEY DRIVE, PETERBOROUGH, ON, CA K9J7B1

Order(s) /Requirement(s) Description:

You are required to comply with the order(s) /requirement(s) by the Comply by dates listed below.

No	Type Code	ActReg	Year	Sec.	Sub Sec.	Clause	Text of Order/Requirement	Comply by Date
1	Time 4241CJWWWPG- 4241-OR001	OHSA	1990	25	2	a	The employer shall provide information and instruction on material handling to workers who are required to perform material handling tasks. At the time of this visit, a worker was injured while assisting in moving a pallet of fiberglass fish tanks and they did not have any training in materials handling.	2024-MAY-31
2	Time 4241CJWWWPG- 4241-OR002	OHSA	1990	25	2	a	The employer shall provide information and instruction on rigging/holsting/crane operation to workers who work with or near cranes. At the time of this visit, a worker was injured while assisting in moving a pallet of fiberglass fish tanks and they did not have any training on rigging/holsting/crane operation.	2024-MAY-31
3	Fort 4241CJWWWPG- 4241-OR003	OHSA	1990	25	2	h	The employer shall take every precaution reasonable in the circumstances for the protection of a worker from being struck by pallets of fiberglass fish tanks when attempting to de-nest the materials. A worker was injured today while assisting in moving a pallet of fiberglass fish tanks with an overhead crane. The employer indicated during this visit that they will not be using this method moving forward.	

Recipient	Inspector Data	Worker Representative
Name <u>MW</u>	CHRIS WEIR O.H.S.A. & B.O.S.T.A. INSPECTOR PROVINCIAL OFFENCES OFFICER 300 Water St 3rd Fl. Peterborough ON K9J 8M5 hspeterboroughdistrict@ontario.ca Tel: (705) 761-5539 Fax: (705) 755-4724	Name _____
Title _____		Title _____
Signature <u>MW</u>	Signature <u>[Signature]</u>	Signature <u>[Signature]</u>

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