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Safe Work Practice

Name of Job: Electrical System Lockout	Development Date: March 29th, 2011	Developed By: CSNS
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Possible Hazards Present

Welding hazards, including UV radiation	Working in confined spaces	Risk of electrical burns	Risk of fatal electrical shock
Extreme temperatures	Slips, trips and falls	Working at heights	Moulds, fungi and bacteria

Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) and Devices Recommended

Head protection	Eye Protection	Foot protection	Fall Arrest Equipment
Respirator Equipment	Skin Protection	Hearing Protection	Rubber insulating gloves

What are some good general safe work practices?

- **DO** switch off all appropriate devices (MCC, Distribution Panel, Disconnect).
- **DO** lock and tag out Electrical Supply devices in the “OFF” position.
- **DO** test to be sure the equipment cannot be operated at the STOP-START switch.
- **DO** test to be sure electrical equipment is de-energized.
- **DO** ensure that after completion of task, padlocks are removed and tags are destroyed

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