

TOP 11 OPERATOR MISTAKES PROVIDED BY TRICO LIFT, MILLVILLE NJ

- 1) ASSUMING THAT DIFFERENT MODELS AND BRANDS OPERATE THE SAME.
- 2) FAILURE TO USE FALL PROTECTION WHEN REQUIRED.
- 3) NOT CONDUCTING THOROUGH PRE-USE FUNCTION TEST.
- 4) FAILURE TO PROVIDE SAFE CLEARANCE AROUND POWER LINES.
- 5) NOT CONDUCTING A THOROUGH JOB SITE INSPECTION.
- 6) USING THE GUARD RAILS TO GAIN ADDITIONAL HEIGHT OR REACH.
- 7) DRIVING THE MACHINE ELEVATED WHEN IT IS POSSIBLE TO LOWER TO REPOSITION.
- 8) NOT USING GROUND GUIDES.
- 9) NOT SECURING WORK AREA PREVENTING PEOPLE OR OBJECTS FROM ENTERING.
- 10) PLACING THE PLATFORM IN AN UNSAFE POSITION-BELOW FALLING OBJECTS OR ELEVATED EQUIPMENT ETC.
- 11) FILLING PLATFORMS WITH EXCESS DEBRIS, TOOLS ETC. CAN CREATE A TIPPING HAZARD, FALLING HAZARD FOR THOSE BELOW AND MAY OVERWEIGHT WHICH COULD RESULT IN TIP OVER.

ALL OPERATORS SHOULD REFER TO OPERATORS MANUAL SPECIFIC TO THE MACHINE BEING OPERATED AND REFER TO ANSI STANDARDS FOR SPECIFIC RULES AND REGULATIONS IN REGARDS TO OPERATING AN AERIAL LIFT.

TOP 10 TO PRE-OPERATIONAL CHECK LIST API SUPPLY LIFTS MPLS, MN

- ___1) MAKE SURE YOU HAVE RECEIVED OPERATOR SAFETY TRAINING ON THE TYPE OF LIFT YOU ARE OPERATING.
- ___2) GET PERMISSION TO USE EQUIPMENT FROM YOUR EMPLOYER BEFORE USING.
- ___3) INSPECT THE EQUIPMENT BEFORE USING AND MAKE SURE YOU KNOW HOW TO USE THE EMERGENCY/AUXILARY CONTROLS.
- ___4) INSPECT THE SITE FOR HAZARDS THEN ELIMINATE OR AVOID THEM 100%.
- ___5) DO NOT ATTEMPT TO ELEVATE ANY AERIAL LIFT ON SLOPED SURFACE.
- ___6) MAKE SURE GROUND SURFACE IS COMPACTED ENOUGH TO SUPPORT LIFT.
- ___7) DO NOT ELEVATE ANY LIFT IN WINDY GUSTY CONDITIONS OVER 28MPH.
- ___8) TRAVEL SPEED SHOULD BE LIMITED TO SAFE SPEED COMPARITIVE TO SITE CONDITIONS.
- ___9) KEEP CONSTANT OBSERVANCE OF PATH OF TRAVEL WHICH INCLUDES ELEVATING AND LOWERING LIFT.
- ___10) USE THE CORRECT LIFT FOR THE APPLICATION!!!!

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