

SAFETY Alert



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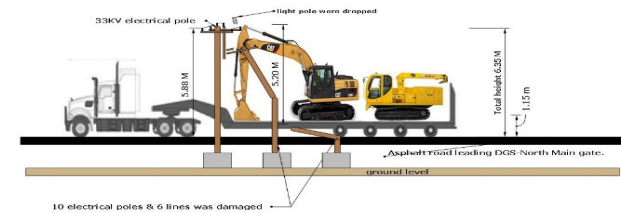
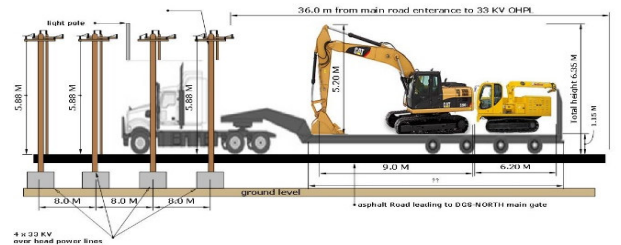
OBJECT: DAMAGE TO OHPLs DURING TRANSPORT

DESCRIPTION

Sicim subcontractor decided to transfer Caterpillar excavator 324E and a paywelder to site, both equipment were loaded on same lowbed trailer.

At 05:45 am the lowbed trailer arrived to the public asphalt road leading to main access gate in order to reach the construction site. While passing under existing overhead 33 KV energized power lines, the excavator boom made contact with the overhead power lines causing cutting of 06 overhead cables and damaging 10 supporting poles.

There were no injuries as a result of this incident.



CONSEQUENCES

- Major asset damage incident with High Potential to cause severe injuries among Sicim and Subcontractor personnel as well as Members of the Public.

INCIDENTS CAUSES

- Poor driving Safety culture: Subcontractor has no system in place to evaluate and select qualified drivers following local regulations;
- Inadequate training: no defensive driving to driver nor specific training to ensure transportation and loading are properly controlled;
- No traffic management plan: Subcontractor is not performing any pre-survey to prepare traffic plan for transportation of heavy machines to site; this plan should identify the way of transportation, risks of road and preventive actions.

CORRECTIVE AND PREVENTIVE ACTIONS

Measures adopted in order to prevent the recurrence of a similar incident:

- Subcontractor to put in place pre-selection system for drivers and operators;
- Periodic trainings to be delivered to drivers and supervisors involved in transportation and Public Roads activities;
- Company to evaluate installation of goal posts on Public Roads to protect overhead lines passing over asphalt roads of the field;
- Pre-survey of the route and traffic plan to be prepared and communicated to driver's prior transportation of heavy machines;
- Development of a safety alert and sharing with the entire workforce and subcontractors;
- Ensure adequate auditing of Subcontractor activities to prevent future failures.



RECEPTION BY THE PROJECT

WHICH ACTIONS IDENTIFIED TO BE IMPLEMENTED IN THE PROJECT:

Project Manager:

Signature:

HSE Project Manager:

Signature: