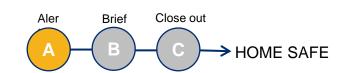
SHE ALERT Live 11kV Cable Cut





Date of incident which is raised in days	25/07/2024		Directorate	SEPD – Customer Service	
Region	Large Connections	Location	Brentford	Classification	PTBW

What happened?

While in the process of installing a new substation in Brentford, West London, SSEN SAP had correctly Isolated, earthed, identified and spiked an 11kV cable under Sanction-For-Test.

Contract partner jointer then inadvertently cut through an adjacent LIVE 11kV cable using a reciprocating saw, this caused a flashover to occur and the 11kV circuit to trip.

All correct PPE for the task being worn and No injuries received.

Prior to cutting ANY cables, ensure they are identified by an approved procedure and all other live cables are screened.

This is under a full investigations and the learning points will be issued as part of the follow-up Brief.

