SAFETY LEARNINGS

Finger Injury during Transmission Line Reconductoring

WHAT HAPPENED

On 20 July 2026, an Omexom crew was carrying out transmission line reconductoring works on the HEP – ROS A project. This involved using a Tesmec winch to remove existing conductors and to install new ones.

The worker was tasked with monitoring the conductor at the machine site as it entered the Tesmec winch.

During this process, the worker inadvertently caught their glove on part of the winch, resulting in the loss of part of their middle finger below the nail.

LESSONS LEARNED

Immediate Actions:

- The worker was taken to the local hospital for medical attention.
- The job was stopped.

Findings:

- Ensure task-specific risk assessments and procedures identify all risks associated with working in close proximity to operating moving parts.



Tesmec winch

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