

## Safety Advice 05-2000 (NZ)

## **HV CABLE INCIDENT**

An electrical accident happened during testing/fault finding an HV cable. The screen on the HV cable had been exposed and staff were touching the cable during insulation testing and they received shocks. Companies need to ensure that staff are clear of cables being tested, as in some cases high voltages are applied and insulation and screens can be live. Please remind your members of the safety issues when fault finding and testing cables.