

Safety Alert

Event Number: E17564

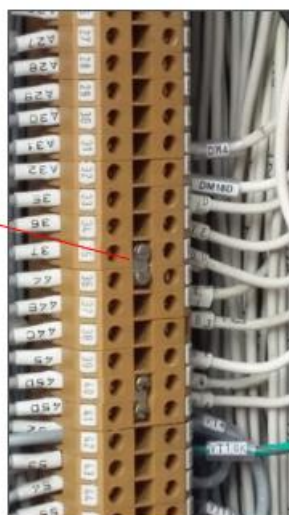
Event Date: 21/10/2015

Classification: Personal Injury HEP Road

Electric shock received

Description of Event:

Reaching into the CB 522 enclosure to tidy newly installed cables an electricians hand brushed against live exposed terminal screws on the main cable termination block.



Contributing Factors:

Live AC connections were not adequately covered.

Exposed live/energised parts had not been effectively managed or controlled prior to work commencing.

Actions to Prevent Reoccurrence:

When working in in-service equipment and if the supply cannot be isolated then positive steps must be taken to prevent harm - installation of temporary barriers. Appropriate PPE must be used if isolation is not practical. A protective shield is to be installed on din rail to provide long term/improved control.

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