



HSEM BULLETIN

NOTICE OF CHANGE – SAFETY REQUIREMENT

Elevated Work Platforms and High Risk Work Licence

Who needs to read this?

All Curtin University Staff, Students and Contractors.

What is the new safety requirement?

Following a review of hazards/incidents involving work in Elevated Work Platforms (EWP), Curtin University is implementing additional safety requirements with a view to minimise the risk of serious injury.

As of the 16 July 2018, all staff, students and contractors undertaking work with **any type** of EWP, including Scissor Lifts, will be required to hold a valid **High Risk Work Licence (Class WP)**. This requirement applies to operators of and workers in any type of EWP, including Scissor Lifts.

In instances where a valid licence is not produced for verification purposes, the staff/student/contractor will be required to cease work immediately, make the area safe, leave the worksite and discuss this with their Line Manager/Supervisor/Curtin Contact.

Thank you for your continued cooperation in ensuring a safe workplace at Curtin University.

Who do we call with questions?

If you have any queries, please contact Health, Safety and Emergency Management on 9266 4900 or email healthandsafety@curtin.edu.au.

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