

CONTRACTOR SAFETY ALERT



INFIELD HOT WORKS

Number: 122

Date: 19/12/2023

Background

On 14th and 18th December, an FPC Officer attended two operations where contractors were performing hot works. In both cases the FPC Officer was not notified that hot works were being completed.

The Contractor had not followed the requirements of Contractor Procedure F1 section 2.5 On-site maintenance – Hot Works.

Fortunately, all safety precautions were in place, should a spark have escaped and caused a fire. However, in the event of a fire the local authorities may have been slower to react.

Key points

- Contractors must comply with the requirements for hot works as detailed in Contractor Procedure F1.