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Practical Assessment

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INSPECTION FINDINGS

1. Scaffold vicinity

- ☐ Has public protection been provided?
- ☐ Have sufficient safeguards against electric powerlines been provided?
- ☐ Is there sufficient control over vehicle movement?
- ☐ Is there sufficient control over crane operation?
- ☐ Are there sufficient controls for the storage, handling and use of hazardous chemicals?
- ☐ Are scaffolds erected a safe distance away from trenches or excavations?

2. Supporting structure

- ☐ Is the supporting structure in good condition?
- ☐ Does the supporting structure have adequate strength?
- ☐ Are there sufficient controls to prevent deterioration of the supporting structure?
- ☐ Are all measures to strengthen the supporting structure adequate?
- ☐ Is the risk of the supporting structure being overloaded from other sources adequately controlled?
- ☐ Is the scaffold built on solid ground? If built on soft ground, are soleboards used to properly distribute the load?

3. Soleboards and baseplates

- ☐ Are there sufficient soleboards?
- ☐ Are the soleboards of suitable material and in a serviceable condition?
- ☐ Are the soleboards secure?
- ☐ Are there sufficient baseplates?
- ☐ Are the baseplates of the appropriate type?
- ☐ Are the baseplates serviceable and of suitable dimensions?
- ☐ Are the baseplates secure?

4. Scaffold structure

- ☐ Are the standards bearing firmly?
- ☐ Are the standards plumb (or as designed)?
- ☐ Are the longitudinal standard spacings correct?
- ☐ Are the transverse standard spacings correct?
- ☐ Are the joints in standards correctly positioned?
- ☐ Are the joints in standards correctly secured (special duty or hung scaffold)?
- ☐ Are the ledgers level (or as designed)?
- ☐ Are the ledgers continuous (or as designed)?
- ☐ Are the lift heights correct?
- ☐ Are the horizontal ledger spacings correct?
- ☐ Are the ledgers correctly secured?
- ☐ Are ledger joints correctly positioned (tube and coupler scaffold)?
- ☐ Are the joints in ledgers correctly secured (tube and coupler scaffold)?
- ☐ Are there sufficient transoms/putlogs?
- ☐ Are the transoms/putlogs correctly positioned and secured?
- ☐ Is the bracing adequate?
- ☐ Is the scaffold sufficiently stable?
- ☐ Are the ties correctly positioned and correctly fixed?

5. Platforms

- ☐ Does the scaffold have the required number of working platforms?
- ☐ Are the working platforms at the required locations?
- ☐ Are catch platforms correctly positioned?
- ☐ Are the platforms and supporting scaffold constructed for the appropriate duty live loads?
- ☐ Are the platform dimensions suitable for the intended work?
- ☐ Is there adequate edge protection?
- ☐ Are the platforms correctly constructed?
- ☐ Are planks secured against wind?

6. Access and egress

- ☐ Is there safe access and egress to every scaffold platform?
- ☐ Are temporary stairways correctly installed?
- ☐ Are portable ladders of an industrial grade, serviceable and correctly installed?
- ☐ Are access ways and access platforms correctly installed?

7. Containment sheeting

- ☐ Has the scaffold been designed for wind loading on any containment sheeting?
- ☐ Are the fixing ties secure?
- ☐ Are there any rips or tears?
- ☐ Are the overlap joints satisfactory?

8. General fitness for purpose

- ☐ Is there adequate provision for material handling?
- ☐ Are the clearances between the scaffold and adjacent structures correct?
- ☐ Is there adequate protection from falling debris?
- ☐ Has the scaffold been adequately designed to support all attachments?
- ☐ Are all approaches and platforms effectively lit?

COMMENTS (INCLUDING ANY RECOMMENDED ACTIONS)

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