

Trustpower Limited December 2016

## What Happened?

Three staff members were moving a generator stator into a powerstation building on skates. The foot of one of the staff members became trapped between a kee clamp station holder and the moving stator.

## Impact

Brusing of the foot— has potential to be a lot worse had there been more momentum in the moving stator—Staff member was taken to A&E for X-rays to ensure no broken bones.

## Potential Causes

Kee Clamp was not considered in the WSP as a possible nip point  
Staff in front of moving load

Lugs on floor for holding safety barrier to be removed until safety barrier is required

Procedure for moving loads on skates will be changed so that no person is in



## Lessons Learnt

- Kee Klamp on Floor to be removed and only fitted prior to hatches being opened
- No staff in front of moving load - Moving of the stator will be by pushing from behind only (No pulling from the front)

## Comments

- Staff Member spoken to since the incident and is back at work in not too much discomfort

*If it's not safe then find a better way...  
someone expects you home today!*