

Permission for change in plans or activities

Digger damaged cables after non-notified changes to activity.
A digger contacted and damaged 400V cables after a change to the agreed plan was made. A re-evaluation of risk failed to question the location or possibility of buried cables. Had the change in activity been reassessed and communicated to site personnel the situation would have been avoided.

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To prevent unforeseen and avoidable events from occurring when any works are in progress.
It is mandatory for all contractors or workers to re-evaluate risk and where necessary, seek permission for changes to agreed activities.
This is to ensure that appropriate measures are followed, and unintended consequences avoided. This is not limited to civil works and applies to all activities.

