

BI-02.31 Operator prestart checks include brakes, steering, tyres and running gear

(Accountable - Operations Manager (Unassigned))

Expectations

Compromised mobile equipment does not operate.

Specify

Requirement for Vehicle Operators / co-workers to check the general condition of brakes, steering, tyres and other running gear. prestart checks include brake and steering warning systems.

Faults detected at prestart checks and during operations are classified and prioritised for maintenance. Fault types where equipment should not be used and the processes to follow in this situation are well defined.

Implement

Vehicle operator training in how to conduct prestart checks.

Prestart records confirm that checks of brakes, steering, tyres and running gear are completed.

Monitor

Supervisors monitor the quality of prestart checks undertaken by operators. Maintenance planners review prestart forms and raise work orders as required.

There is system level monitoring of the prestart check process that confirms:

- The frequency and quality of operators checks is maintained to required standard
- Timely action is taken for for faults identified at prestart checks
- Faults that require equipment stand down are recorded and analysed