

## SAFETY MEETING TOPIC

This form shall be completed and kept on file

Job Name \_\_\_\_\_ Location \_\_\_\_\_ Job No. \_\_\_\_\_  
Meeting Leader \_\_\_\_\_ Title \_\_\_\_\_  
Date Held \_\_\_\_\_ Place \_\_\_\_\_ Time \_\_\_\_\_  
Subject of Meeting SAFETY HARNESSSES

Safety harnesses or safety belts\* are to be worn by all Employees while performing any elevated work over six feet and protection is not afforded by guard rails or walls approximately 42" high.

### SAFETY HARNESSSES MUST BE WORN WHEN THE FOLLOWNG CONDITIONS EXIST.

1. All scaffolding work where the platform is 6 feet ore more above ground or floor level (see 6 below).
2. Working from a ladder when a worker's feet are 6 feet or more above ground or floor level. Extension ladders must be secured while elevated work is being performed.
3. Working with 10 feet of an edge or roof tops or on open sided floors over 6 feet or higher that are not safeguarded by railings approximately 42" high.
4. Working from suspended scaffolding, picker baskets, mobile scaffolds, safety pallets, JLG lifts, articulated or extended boom, and any other equipment capable of elevating a worker above 6 feet.
5. Working from the top of tank trucks, tank cars, box cars, or other transport containers that are not guarded by railings of approximately 42"high. When there is nothing overhead to hock the lifeline to, it is permissible to hook the line to the top of the container. The lifeline should be tied off to limit the length to no more than 4 feet.
6. Any area over 6 feet high where the worker is not afforded the protection of guard rails or walls approximately 42" high. (Examples scaffolding, wall forms, column forms, cat walks, etc.)
7. Anytime protective guarding or other barricades are removed on a temporary basis exposing the worker to a potential fall of 6 feet or more.

NOTE: (1) When required to wear a harness or safety belt\*, the lifeline should be tied off separately and independent of the scaffold or the means supporting the scaffold work platform.

(2) As of Jan. 1, 1998 body belts are no longer permissible except for certain circumstances such as tethering in a bucket of an aerial lift.