

Boom Lift License Victoria

Boom Lift License Victoria - Only fully qualified individuals must operate an aerial boom lift. Qualification can be obtained through a combination of classroom sessions and practical training with the specific type of aerial lift which will be utilized on the job. A License is needed for anyone who works on or operates an aerial boom lift.

Various types of vehicle-mounted aerial devices include extensible boom platforms, aerial ladders, articulating boom platforms, vertical towers, and whichever combination of these kinds.

When using a boom lift, there are several basic safety regulations that apply to all boom lifts. Safety of the worker is a main concern whilst they are working inside the basket. The worker must at all times wear a body harness and lanyard, attaching it to the boom or basket. Never tie off to an equipment, an adjacent pole or a structure. Personnel should stand on the floor of the basket, and never climb or sit on the basket edge. The load restrictions of the manufacturer should be followed.

Lift operators should be certified to operate an aerial lift. The manufacturer's instruction manual should be kept in the lift and the operator has to know all aspects of that particular unit. Operators are responsible for ensuring that safety procedures are followed in operating the lift. A daily test of lift controls must be done. Set brakes and position outriggers (if they are used) on pads or a stable surface. When working on a slope, utilize wheel chocks.

Never move an aerial lift truck with an elevated boom while workers are inside the basket. Extensible boom platforms and articulating boom used as employees carriers should have plainly marked, accessible, upper controls. Except in emergency conditions, lower controls should not be utilized to override upper controls unless the individual in the lift gives authorization.

While working from an aerial lift, do not wear pole or tree climbers.

The insulated portion of the aerial lift should not be altered.

Do inspect the booms to make sure that it is correctly cradled and the outriggers are in the stowed position before moving.

Make certain that lifts being utilized in or near power lines are di-electrically tested and conform to local regulations.