

FALL PROTECTION GUIDELINES

The purpose of this document is to outline the rights and responsibilities of Arkay workers regarding the use of fall protection as mandated by WorkSafe, *Section 11.2 of the regulation, obligation to use fall protection.*

EMPLOYER RESPONSIBILITIES (ARKAY)

- To provide Arkay workers with fall protection certification.
- To ensure Arkay client sites provide adequate fall arrest systems (harness, lanyards) and anchor points.
- To ensure workers can access site specific fall protection plans prior to working at height.

EMPLOYEE RESPONSIBILITIES (WORKER)

- To hold valid fall protection certification.
- To use fall arrest systems as outlined in section 11.4 of the regulation, when working at a height greater than 3m (10ft) or in areas where a hazardous fall condition exists.
- To sign the Arkay client site fall protection plan and refer to the site CSO prior to working at height.
- To refuse unsafe work if:
 - A worker does not have valid fall protection training, and/or
 - A worker does not know how to correctly wear or anchor a fall arrest harness.

ZERO TOLERANCE

- Violations to fall protection regulation as outlined in section 11.2 are considered a zero-tolerance offence which can result in worker suspension or dismissal.
- Violations to fall protection regulation discovered during a WorkSafeBC site inspection will result in an immediate monetary fine to both the site (client) and Arkay.
- Improperly wearing a fall arrest harness can result in serious injury or death.

Question or concerns on the use of fall protection should be immediately referred to the site CSO or the Arkay Safety Coordinator ph. 778-710-7019.

WORKER NAME:	DATE:
WORKER SIGNATURE	