#### **SAFE JOB PROCEDURE**

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# REMOVING BOOM STICK

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#### **PURPOSE/APPLICATION**

Removing the boom stick from the side boom.

**PPE** ■ Safety glasses

Gloves

Coveralls

Steel toed boots

Hard hat

**TRAINING** • Company Orientation

**TOOLS/EQUIPMENT** • Hammer

Pin bar

Water pump pliers

Screw driver

#	Job Steps	Hazards		Control Measures	
1	Lay boom stick down onto blocking (skids)	Pinch points	•	Use a spotter, wear all PPE	
2	Release pressure from the load line and boom lines	Wickers	•	Wear all PPE	
3	Remove pins and blocks	Flying debris, block kick back	•	Wear all PPE	
4	Wind cables neatly	Pinch points, Wickers, do not wind blocks too tight (as not to kink cables/lines)	•	Use a spotter, wear all PPE	
5	If there is a lifting device available (picker truck) use to remove boom foot pins, otherwise use a jack and blocking	Over head, pinch points	•	Use a spotter, wear all PPE	

**Additional Precautions:** Never perform this task alone.

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## **REFERENCE/REGULATIONS**

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