Life-saving rules - Safety campaign

HAZARDOUS RELEASE

Failure to control hazardous energy can result in a fatality or multi-fatality.

TAKE PERSONAL RESPONSIBILITY WHEN WORKING WITH SYSTEMS AND EQUIPMENT THAT CONTAIN HAZARDOUS ENERGY SOURCES WHEN IN OPERATION:

> Conduct a last minute risk assessment with the system owner to make sure the system is safe to work on.
> Convince yourself that hazardous energy and chemicals have been drained off or allowed to dissipate.
> Keep your body out of the line of fire.
> Where relevant, use the lock-out and tag-out (LOTO) procedure to make sure systems remain out of operation during work activities.
> If you’re working on live equipment, do a detailed task risk assessment focusing on possible hazardous release.
> Use the relevant PPE to protect yourself against the contents of the system.