

COMMON 2011 OSHA VIOLATIONS

AND HOW TO AVOID THEM

In 2011, over 100,000 OSHA violations were reported, costing companies over \$180 million in compliance-related fines. Averaged out, OSHA fines cost companies about \$1,850 per incident.

If 100% OSHA Compliance is a goal for your company for 2012, then here are four common OSHA violations for you to consider, and the products available to help you meet that goal.

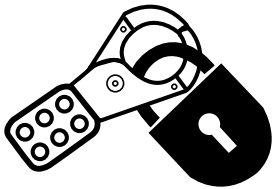


1 'DUTY TO HAVE FALL PROTECTION' VIOLATIONS

AVERAGE FINE: **\$3,234 /CITATION**

In 2011, failure to have fall protection equipment (OSHA 1926.501) was cited more frequently than any other OSHA violation. In 2011 alone, this amounted to over \$23 million in fines.

- ▶ **Solution:** We carry a full line of Miller Harnesses- These harnesses meet OSHA, ANSI and CSA Standards and requirements and will keep your employees safe from fall hazards.



2 'CONTROL OF HAZARDOUS ENERGY' VIOLATIONS

AVERAGE FINE: **\$2,276 /CITATION**

Lockout/tagout violations (OSHA 1910.147) not only incur steep fines from OSHA, but can be costly if an employee is injured on the job.

- ▶ **Solution:** We offer a variety of Lockout/Tagout kits and packages- Use Lockout locks whenever energized equipment is being worked on to prevent accidents or fines.



3 'WALKING WORK-SURFACES' VIOLATIONS

AVERAGE FINE: **\$1,632 /CITATION**

OSHA 1910. 22(b) violations are quite common in manufacturing and warehouse situations. Clear aisle marking, signage, and hazard markings that are not well kept can result in these fines.

- ▶ **Solution:** Use floor marking tapes like SafetyTac, as well as industrial floor signs to mark aisles, pedestrian walkways, and other important areas.



4 'HAZARD COMMUNICATION' VIOLATIONS

AVERAGE FINE: **\$635 /CITATION**

For companies that regularly deal with hazardous and dangerous chemicals, failure to properly mark chemical containers (OSHA 1910.120) can result in many fines very quickly. As well, failure to have proper disposal equipment can result in a violation.

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