



PETROLEUMSTILSYNET

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Vår saksbehandler  
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Deres ref.

Vår ref. (bes oppgitt ved svar)  
Ptil 2021/295/LM

Dato  
27.05.2021

Dear Sirs

### **Order and revised investigation report following the incident involving a dropped object on *Askeladden***

From 10 February 2021 to 1 May 2021, we investigated the incident involving a dropped object on the *Askeladden* facility operated by KCA Deutag Drilling Norge AS (KCAD). One person was seriously injured on 10 February 2021 while working to disconnect a cuttings hose.

We refer to the notice of order and our report which have been sent to you. In accordance with the notice, we hereby issue the following order.

*Pursuant to section 69 of the framework regulations on administrative decisions, section 13 of the facilities regulations on materials handling and transport routes, access and evacuation routes, and sections 30 and 90 of the activities regulations on safety clearance of activities and on lifting operations respectively, KCAD is ordered to do the following with reference to sections 10.1.1, 10.1.2 and 10.1.3 of the report.*

- *Identify and implement measures which ensure that handling cuttings hoses is planned and executed in such a way that those participating in the activity are not injured, and that this can be done in an effective and prudent manner on KCAD's facilities in Norway.*
- *Review the systems for managing lifting operations and for safety clearance of activities with associated work processes, and implement measures which ensure prudent lifting operations.*
- *Present a binding and scheduled plan for corrective measures which also sets priorities for the measures, with a description of possible compensatory measures. The deadline for submitting this plan is 25 June 2021.*

*The deadline for complying with the order is 30 September 2021. We must be informed when the order has been complied with.*

An appeal can be made against this decision pursuant to section 28 of the Public Administration Act. The deadline is three weeks from the receipt of this letter. A possible appeal will be heard by the Ministry of Labour and Social Affairs, but must be submitted to us. Further information on the right to lodge an appeal and the procedure for doing so can be obtained from us.

This decision must be made known to elected officers for the workforce, including the safety delegates, pursuant to section 18-6, paragraph 8, of the Working Environment Act.

The decision will be published on [www.psa.no](http://www.psa.no).

Yours faithfully

Irja Viste-Ollestad, by authority  
*Head of supervision*

Lars Melkild  
*Principal engineer*

*This letter has been approved electronically in the PSA and accordingly bears no signatures.*

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