Elevated Walkway Inspection

WHAT HAPPENED

During a routine site visit it was noticed that a number of the brackets securing the mesh decking to walkway and platform steelwork were loose or missing. This could have lead to a person falling through an elevated walkway or platform and being injured.



Loose Bracket

LEARNING POINTS / ACTIONS TAKEN

The company concerned advised that

- an urgent inspection of all types of elevated walkways & platforms should be undertaken
- these types of structures are included in your inspection & maintenance schemes.

LOCATION:

COMPANY-WDE

ACTIVITY: ACCESS & EGRESS & WORKING AT HEIGHT

SUB ACTIVITY: N/A

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