

# Fatal 3 - Graphic video shows how a mechanical engineer sustained serious injuries from fall whilst working on a conveyor repair on an HS2 site

## WHAT HAPPENED

Follow this link to an HSE post on LinkedIn which shows a short video which captures the moment a mechanical engineer fell from height while working at a HS2 site.

<https://www.linkedin.com/feed/update/urn:li:activity:7220027096322949121/>

He suffered a fractured skull, hip, jaw and pelvis after landing on the concrete floor 11 metres below. The man had fallen through a gap after stair treads had been removed from a stairway.

EMC Elite Engineering Services Ltd, the man's employer, was subsequently fined over £50,000 following a HSE prosecution.

Read more about this HSE prosecution [here](#):

## LEARNING POINTS / ACTIONS TAKEN

### Fatal 3 - Working at Height

Review the resources that are available on this website in relation to working at height

[Fatal 3 Resources](#)

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| LOCATION:     | CONSTRUCTION/DELIVERY SITE          | ALERT STATUS: | Normal              |
| ACTIVITY:     | ACCESS & EGRESS & WORKING AT HEIGHT | DATE ISSUED:  | 11/11/2024 16:16:06 |
| SUB ACTIVITY: | N/A                                 | INCIDENT No:  | 04845               |