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SAFETY FLASH – EMPLOYEE ALERT NEWLY PAINTED PTEX CARS – SLIPPERY HANDHOLDS AND STIRRUPS FO-125-04

Required Action Always ensure the use 3-point contact on steps, ladders, railings, or handrails when entraining/detraining or riding any piece of equipment.

s: Be alert for slippery handrails, grab irons, and stirrups on all equipment, especially during wet or winter conditions.

When using a car's ladder, improve your footing by turning your feet at an angle placing the ball of your foot on the ladder's rung against the ladder's side rails.





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Please take the time to review this incident with your crew members and discuss the important points for prevention. Please pay special attention to SOFA Lifesavers #1, “**Discuss safety at the beginning of a job and when work changes**”. If you have any questions pertaining to this incident in this bulletin, do not hesitate to contact your supervisor or safety and health representatives.

SOFA Lifesavers:

- #1 - Discuss safety at the beginning of a job and when work changes
- #2 - Communicate before action is taken
- #3 - Protect against moving equipment
- #4 - Secure equipment before action is taken
- #5 - Mentor less experienced employees to perform service safely

USE THE LIFESAVERS!

"You make sure you make it a safe day"

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