

Safety Message of the Day for IMEA Members



LOTO - Verify Safety Message

Verify is defined in the dictionary as "to ascertain the truth or correctness of, as by examination, research, or comparison"

Verification is the last step and one of the most important steps in the Lockout Tagout process. It is also the most skipped step in the process. You must verify that the energy is no longer a hazard.

Many times people take for granted that because they have thrown the disconnect, that the energy is no longer a hazard . . . however the verification step is there for a reason. Never take chances. Never make an assumption. Verify you have eliminated the hazard of the energy.

Your life may depend on it.