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From: Tracey Lougher

Sent: Friday, 28 June 2019 11:36 AM

Subject: TfNSW Safety Alert - RIW transitional arrangements

Attachments: TfNSW_Safety Alert_RIW Transition.pdf

Hi valued employees,

Please read the attached and the below carefully.

A copy will be posted on our website for your information.

Happy Friday!

Many Thanks,

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From: Smith, Matt < MSmith@novorail.com.au>

Sent: 25 June 2019 14:21

Subject: TfNSW Safety Alert - RIW transitional arrangements

Good afternoon,

Please see the attached TfNSW document.

Novo Rail will not be transitioning from Pegasus to the MTA system from the proposed go live date of the 28th of June as per the attached communication.

TfNSW have advised that they will conduct further conversations with each NSW project to adopt a phased implementation to the MTA system over the coming six months. Please read the notice carefully and take note of the actions outlined.

It is important that your employees and sub-contractors are aware of the requirement to retain their Pegasus card until further notice and you might need to circulate this communication via your normal channels.

As you can understand this has created an added complexity to the transition to MTA particularly for workers who are moving between projects and states. Due to this, we will be prepared in the event that a worker arrives to site holding just an MTA card. This will not be a barrier to them conducting work during this messy transition phase.

Please ring me if you have any questions.

Regards,

Matt Smith Safety Advisor



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Safety Alert

SA-19-328 Rail Industry Worker **Transition from Pegasus to MTA**



Audience

- ΑII Infrastructure and Projects employees
- Transport projects contractors

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Background

The Rail Industry Worker Program (RIW) is a national competency framework for rail workers across Australia. The RIW Program is owned by the Australasian Railway Association (ARA) and is endorsed by all of its member organisations, including Transport for New South Wales (TfNSW).

The RIW Program is about to undergo a significant change as it moves from the current service provider Pegasus to the new service provider Metro Trains Australia (MTA).

Implementation

TfNSW has consulted with industry and stakeholders and it is clear the current program of capital investment into the rail network in NSW has increased the complexity of the transition from Pegasus to MTA. As a result, the Transport Cluster (TfNSW; Sydney Trains; Sydney Metro; NSW Trains; RMS) will adopt a phased implementation to the MTA system over the coming six months, beginning 28 June 2019. The Pegasus System will remain active on all Transport Cluster sites until a full transition is complete with MTA. A site by site assessment will take place, facilitated by the TfNSW Safety Managers, to determine when the transition will take place.

Actions Required

- On 28 June 2019 Rail Industry Workers will continue to access sites via the Pegasus system;
- Rail Industry Workers are to retain their current Pegasus RIW Card;
- Continue the process of registering for the MTA system via your RIW Administrator;
- Ensure this Safety Alert is communicated to relevant workers on Transport Projects sites via toolbox talks;
- Place this Safety Alert on site notice boards

Issued and authorised by the Director Safety and Engineering Systems

Signature

Name: Graham Jackson, Director Safety and Engineering Systems



Dated: 21 June 2019