Risk Assessment Rig camera onto tripod



The people that might be harmed: Studioworks employees, contractors, public, artists

HAZARD	CONTROL
 Awkward Body position whilst undertaking this activity. Awkward, heavy load. Trapped hands and fingers. Electric shock from voltage on cables and equipment. Incorrect assembly Tripod collapsing under load. Out of balance panning head. Overloaded panning head or tripod. Change of load with head unlocked. 	 Use of competent operators to carry out the task. Follow safe manual handling procedures. Use 2-person lift, or break down into component parts. Confirm EAW safety testing of cables and equipment. Visual check of cables and equipment prior to handling. Ensure that cables and equipment carrying mains voltages are rigged in such a way that they cannot be damaged by scenery or other equipment, or trapped in moving parts such as panning heads. Keep cables and equipment clear of heat from luminaires, and water Use of competent operators to carry out the task. Follow any instructions provided for equipment in use. Ensure that the tripod legs are correctly adjusted and that the legs and spreader are fully locked. Ensure that the surface upon which the tripod is mounted is stable and will take the weight of tripod and its load. Check and adjust head balance before releasing the lock. Ensure that the panning head and tripod are suitable for required load. Ensure that the panning head is locked before removing or adding load.

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