SAFETY ALERT
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SAFETY CONCERN
LIFTING LUGS

DETAILS:

Safety in the use of lifting lugs is being addressed and all teams are being issued with lugs that have been proof load tested to 4 Tonnes, making the Safe Working Load of each lug 2 Tonnes (unless otherwise specified).

This is a legal requirement to ensure that lifting equipment is suitable and safe.

It has now been decided that all teams will be issued with 8 of these lifting lugs to keep and use when necessary.

Once issued the lug will be placed on the Lifting Accessory Register.

Each lug will have to be visually inspected every 6 months as per your chains & slings, in order to comply with the Lifting Operations & Lifting Equipment Regulations 1998.

I have attached copies of the certificates for all the lugs, as some of you may have some from different batches.

These certificates will last for 6 months from the date of test, then you need to take to a lifting house for a thorough examination.

Please remember to keep a copy of your current certificates of testing and to send a copy to Anne Barnett at Tonbridge.

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IF YOU HAVE ANY QUERIES CONTACT 01302 346708