

## **STOP WORK AUTHORITY POLICY STATEMENT**

Each and every Employee of the Company has the Authority and Responsibility to stop work operations when there is an apparent or imminent threat to the Safety of the Employees, co-workers, 3<sup>rd</sup> Party personnel or the surrounding Environment.

After the Stop Work Order has been applied, the Employees affected are to evaluate the work operations and resolve the threat before work can resume.

After stopping work operations, the stoppage time is to be put to good use to re-evaluate the work operations/activities for any unsafe acts and conditions and to find a safer procedure to successfully complete such work operations/activities.

This Stop Work Policy Statement has the full support of Management. When there is doubt on whether work should continue, employees, including contractors, should promptly notify their immediate superior for assessment of the hazardous condition.