

You have requested a standard C.P.A crane hire :

We draw your attention to your responsibilities under LOLER (Lifting operations & lifting equipment regulations) and BS7121 (Safe use of cranes). For a standard C.P.A crane hire (hire of crane and operator only, and/or other hired personnel), it is the hirer's responsibility under the above mentioned legislation to ensure that :

1. The lifting operation has been planned by a qualified appointed person who will retain responsibility for the lifting operation.
2. A safe working method statement/risk assessment is produced relevant to the lift(s) to be undertaken.
3. The lifting operation will be supervised by the said appointed person, or a qualified lift supervisor designated by the appointed person.
4. The method statement / risk assessment is available to view, or be thoroughly explained to our crane operator or hired personnel prior to the start of lifting operations.

Please be aware that should you be unable to meet the above criteria, we reserve the right not to proceed with the lifting operation **at no financial loss or liability to Steel Erection Services Ltd & Crane Hire.**

If the situation of non-compliance should arise, we will be happy to discuss provision of a C.P.A "contact lift", where by we will provide the necessary expertise to plan the lifting operation, produce the relevant method statement / risk assessment, and execute the lifting operation on your behalf, employing suitable qualified personnel.

The above is a LEGAL requirement fully endorsed by the health and safety executive.

In addition to the foregoing, you should have in place at the time of a standard C.P.A hire the following insurance cover (*excepting where we have been requested to arrange cover on your behalf at an additional premium hire rate):

1. "Hired plant" Insurance to the replacement value of the crane to be hired. This to also include "continuing hire charges" insurance.
2. Public liability insurance.
3. Employer's liability insurance.
4. Lifted goods insurance.

***Where insurance cover has been requested from Steel erection services LTD and crane hire, by the hirer at an additional premium to the hire rate, no indemnity is given for the hirers own or hirer's employers' act of negligence. Any claims will be subject to our standard policy excess (details available on request)**