



## EYE PROTECTION POLICY

OSHA 1910.133 States: The employer shall ensure that each affected employee uses appropriate eye or face protection when exposed to eye or face hazards from flying particles, molten metal, liquid chemicals, acids or caustic liquids, chemical gases or vapors, or potentially injurious light radiation.

It is our Policy here at Kort that the wearing of Eye Protection is to protect a worker from injury to the eyes caused by flying objects (small or large), working with chemicals or vapors, or any potential act that may put the eyes at risk of harm. All employees must have Eye Protection with them at all times, and must be worn when directed by the on-site Superintendent, or specified in the following circumstances:

- All Employees and Workers shall comply with the Occupational Health and Safety Act.
- All Employees and Workers shall wear eye protection if there is an obvious flying object danger from using hand or stationary tools.
- All Employees and Workers shall wear eye protection while working with materials or chemicals that may create airborne particles or dangerous gas or vapors.
- All Employees and Workers shall wear eye protection if they are unsure if the conditions require to do so.
- All Employees and Workers are responsible for the condition (fit and visibility) of their eye protection and to make their supervisor or appropriate person aware, if a replacement is required.

### **Eye Protection Requirement:**

Protective eye and face protection devices must comply with the following consensus standards:

ANSI Z87.1-2003, "American National Standard Practice for Occupational and Educational Eye and Face Protection," which is incorporated by reference in 1910.6.