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STOP USE – FIELD SERVICE ACTION EVOLUTION THE HORIZONTAL LIFELINE SYSTEM

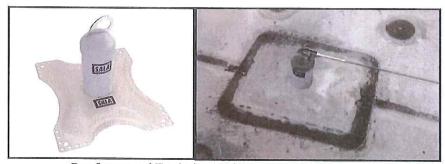


3M Fall Protection (formerly Capital Safety) has received field reports of broken end-posts (also known as Leap Energy Absorbing Posts, or "LEAP posts") used in roof-mounted EvolutionTM Horizontal Lifeline Systems. There have been no reports of fall-related injuries associated with this condition.

To remedy this situation, 3M is launching a global Stop Use – Field Service Action to replace all roof-mounted end-posts used in these systems between 2005 and 2015 (at which time the Evolution HLL system was discontinued).

The Evolution HLL system is a permanent, low tension, multi-span horizontal safety system that utilizes a series of roof-mounted anchorage posts (intermediate and end-posts) that are permanently installed on a roof or other structure and allow users to connect a self-retracting lifeline or lanyard to a shuttle that trails users along a horizontal cable supported by the anchorage posts. This service action only concerns the end-posts used in roof-mounted versions of these HLL systems.

If you are an **End-User or Building Owner** with a roof-mounted Evolution system, please stop use, lock the system out, and contact 3M Fall Protection by email <u>3MFPEvolutionServiceAction@mmm.com</u> to arrange for a certified installer to complete the end-post replacement free of charge.



Roof-mounted Evolution End Post (New and Installed)

Installers: Upon receipt of this Stop Use — Field Service Action notice, please forward it to any of your customers who have purchased or installed a roof-mounted Evolution system from or through you and provide any assistance requested by your customers to complete the field service. Also, please forward any site detail information and site contact information that you may have to 3MFPEvolutionServiceAction@mmm.com to facilitate 3M's service action replacement efforts.

3M Fall Protection will post this Stop Use – Field Service Action notice at www.capitalsafety.com. Please direct any additional questions you may have by emailing your inquiry directly to 3MFPEvolutionServiceAction@mmm.com