

U.S. Department of Labor
Occupational Safety and Health Administration

Inspection Number: 992409
Inspection Date(s): 08/28/2014 - 12/03/2014
Issuance Date: 02/25/2015



Citation and Notification of Penalty

Company Name: Jasper Contractors, Inc.

Inspection Site: 11760 Heather Grove Lane, Jacksonville, FL 32223

Citation 1 Item 1 Type of Violation: **Serious**

29 CFR 1926.1053(b)(1): Portable ladders were used for access to an upper landing surface and the ladder side rails did not extend to at least 3 feet (.9m) above the upper landing surface to which the ladder was used to gain access nor was the ladder secured at it's top to a rigid support and a grasping device, such as a grabrail, provided to assist the employee in mounting and dismounting the ladder:

a. On or about August 28, 2014, On the front of the house, the 24-foot extension ladder being used to access the roof does not have the ladder side rails extended to at least 3 feet (.9m) above the upper landing surface nor is the ladder secured at it's top to a rigid support and a grasping device, such as a grab rail, to provide assistance to employees in mounting and dismounting the ladder, exposing employees to a 9-foot fall hazard.

Date By Which Violation Must be Abated:
Proposed Penalty:

Corrected During Inspection
\$6600.00

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Citation 1 Item 2 Type of Violation: **Serious**

29 CFR 1926.1053(b)(5)(i): Non-self-supporting ladder(s) were not used at an angle such that the horizontal distance from the top support to the foot of the ladder was approximately one-quarter of the working length of the ladder:

a. On or about August 28, 2014, On the front of the building, the 24-foot extension ladder being used to access the roof had a working length of 10.8 feet, and the horizontal distance from the top support to the foot of the ladder was 6 feet.

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Citation 2 Item 1 Type of Violation: **Willful**

29 CFR 1926.501(b)(13): Each employee(s) engaged in residential construction activities 6 feet (1.8 m) or more above lower levels are not protected by guardrail systems, safety net system, or personal fall arrest system, nor are employee(s) provided with an alternative fall protection measure under another provision of paragraph 1926.501(b):

a. On a 6:12 pitch roof, employees conducting re-roofing operations are exposed to a 13 foot fall hazard in that they are not protected by a fall protection system.

To abate this violation, the employer must ensure that all employees wear appropriate fall protection or install a guardrail or safety net system when an employee works 6 feet or more above lower levels.

Pursuant to 29 CFR 1903.19, the employer must submit documents describing the steps it is taking to ensure compliance, including an explanation of how these steps protect its employees from fall hazards.

ABATEMENT DOCUMENTATION REQUIRED FOR THIS ITEM

Date By Which Violation Must be Abated:	03/23/2015
Proposed Penalty:	\$70000.00

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Citation 3 Item 1 Type of Violation: **Repeat**

29 CFR 1926.100(a): Employees working in areas where there was a possible danger of head injury from impact, or falling or flying objects, or from electrical shock and burns, were not protected by protective helmets:

a. On or about August 28, 2014, on the ground below employees performing roofing work, three employees are working below debris being thrown off the roof and while not wearing hard hats, the employees are exposed to being struck by roofing debris and tools falling from the roof.

Jasper Contractors, Inc. was previously cited for a violation of this occupational safety and health standard or its equivalent standard 29 CFR 1926.100(a); which was contained in OSHA inspection number 964742, citation number 1, item number 1 and was affirmed as a final order on 7/31/2014, with respect to a workplace located at 12983 Bent Water, Jacksonville, Florida.

Date By Which Violation Must be Abated:
Proposed Penalty:

Corrected During Inspection
\$13200.00

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Citation 3 Item 2 Type of Violation: **Repeat**

29 CFR 1926.102(a)(1): Eye and face protective equipment were not used when machines or operations presented potential eye or face injury from physical, chemical, or radiation agents:

a. On or about August 28, 2014, an employee is using a pneumatic air gun to secure plywood without the use of eye protection, exposing himself to eye injuries from flying debris or nails.

Jasper Contractors, Inc. was previously cited for a violation of this occupational safety and health standard or its equivalent standard 29 CFR 1926.102(a)(1); which was contained in OSHA inspection number 546338, citation number 1, item number 1 and was affirmed as a final order on 11/28/2012, with respect to a workplace located at 10775 Glengate Loop, Littleton Colorado, 80130.

Jasper Contractors, Inc. was previously cited for a violation of this occupational safety and health standard or its equivalent standard 29 CFR 1926.102(a)(1); which was contained in OSHA inspection number 626158, citation number 1, item number 1 and was affirmed as a final order on 11/28/2012, with respect to a workplace located at 2927 Newbury Court, Highlands ranch Colorado 80126.

Date By Which Violation Must be Abated:
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Citation 3 Item 3 Type of Violation: **Repeat**

29 CFR 1926.1053(b)(22): Employees using ladders were carrying objects or loads that could cause the employee to lose balance and fall:

a. On or about August 28, 2014, On the front of the building, an employee is using a 24-foot extension ladder to access the roof while he is carrying and balancing a roll of sheathing paper.

Jasper Contractors, Inc. was previously cited for a violation of this occupational safety and health standard or its equivalent standard 29 CFR 1926.1053(b)(22); which was contained in OSHA inspection number 313722787, citation number 1, item number 3c and was affirmed as a final order on 3/03/2011, with respect to a workplace located at 713 Valley View Road, Woodland Park, CO.

Date By Which Violation Must be Abated:
Proposed Penalty:

Corrected During Inspection
\$11000.00

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Brian J. Sturtecky", written over a horizontal line.

Brian J. Sturtecky
Area Director

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INVOICE / DEBT COLLECTION NOTICE

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Summary of Penalties for Inspection Number	992409
Citation 1, Serious	\$13200.00
Citation 2, Willful	\$70000.00
Citation 3, Repeat	\$33000.00
TOTAL PROPOSED PENALTIES	\$116200.00

To avoid additional charges, please remit payment promptly to this Area Office for the total amount of the uncontested penalties summarized above. Make your check or money order payable to: "DOL-OSHA". Please indicate OSHA's Inspection Number (indicated above) on the remittance. You can also make your payment electronically on www.pay.gov. On the left side of the pay.gov homepage, you will see an option to Search Public Forms. Type "OSHA" and click Go. From the results, click on **OSHA Penalty Payment Form**. The direct link is <https://www.pay.gov/paygov/forms/formInstance.html?agencyFormId=53090334>. You will be required to enter your inspection number when making the payment. Payments can be made by credit card or Automated Clearing House (ACH) using your banking information. Payments of \$50,000 or more require a Transaction ID, and also must be paid using ACH. If you require a Transaction ID, please contact the OSHA Debt Collection Team at (202) 693-2170.

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