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Elevator Clamp Secondary Securement

Issue

The fasteners used to attach the elevator link clamps to the elevator links can become a dropped object if they become loose or broken. Canrig recommends inspection and safety securement be performed at the earliest opportunity.

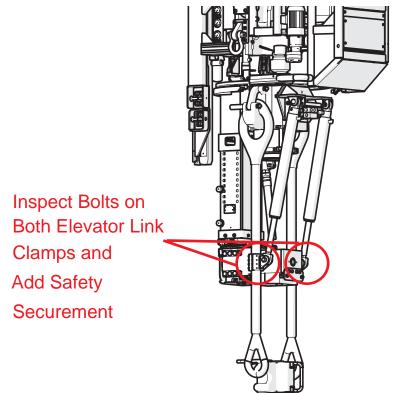


Figure 1: Inspect and Secure Bolts on Elevator Link Clamps (Both Sides)

Recommendation:

- 1. Immediately inspect both Elevator Link Clamps for loose or damaged fasteners. Correct as needed.
- 2. Replace fasteners on Elevator Link Clamps with fasteners drilled for safety wire. See Table 1.
 - The fasteners must be installed with Loctite 242 or equivalent thread locker



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- The fasteners must be installed with appropriate torque as shown in Table 1.
- Ensure that the gap between both halves of the clamps are equal on both sides as shown in Figure 2.
- The edges of the both halves of the clamp must be parallel to each other.

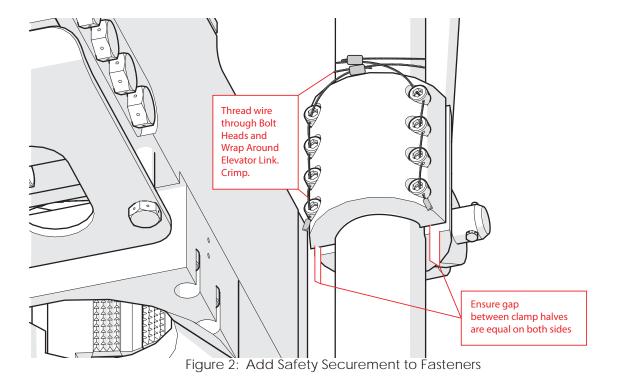


Table 1: Elevator Link Clamp Fasteners

Elevator Clamp Part Number	Fastener Part Number	Fastener Installation Torque
594-02-7	SH-0500NC-0275-W	99 ft-lb
594-02-1	SH-0375NC-0100-W	40 ft-lb
594-02-4	SH-0500NC-0275-W	99 ft-lb
594-02-6	SH-0500NC-0275-W	99 ft-lb