



Stannah Lifts Safety Bulletin

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LIFT TYPE: Vertical platform lifts by Phoenix Lifting Systems

Introduction

Historically, on vertical platform lifts manufactured by Phoenix Lifting Systems Ltd. ("PLS"), double sided tape was used to retain guide infill panels. Stannah names for these lift models include: AVL-P & Midilift PX.

Following removal of panels retained by double sided tape (e.g. for maintenance), the refitting procedure described below must be followed. If panels are replaced using the original tape, then there is a possibility they could subsequently fall off & cause injury.

Refitting of panels

Before refitting of guide infill panels, all remnants of the old double sided tape should be removed & both surfaces onto which the tape attaches cleaned with a proprietary degreaser. New double sided tape of the same thickness & performance specification as that removed may then be used to re-fix the panel in position. Self tapping screws or rivets should then be added to secure the panel to ensure that if the tape should lose its adhesion, the panel will not fall off.

Refitting of panels on outdoor lift

In the unlikely event that any PLS vertical platform lift installed outdoors is found to be fitted with guide infill panel(s) held with double sided tape only, then self tapping screws or rivets should additionally be fitted. This action should be carried out even if the panel(s) seem secure & are not intended to be removed for maintenance.

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