



# Safety Alert

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## TEMPORARY POWER ON SITES

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- All electrical equipment is to be tagged according to regulation 3.62 AS/NZS 3012.
- A site plan of all electrical services must be drawn up prior to any work commencing and the plan must be kept on site (Regulation 3.21).
- All builders temporary power boards must be located within 30 metres of work station.
- Extension leads must not exceed 30 metres in length and joining leads prohibited.
- Extension leads must not go from one level to another – eg. From the ground floor to the roof area (AS 3012).
- Power tools only (no leads) to be connected to portable lightweight power boxes (clipsal type) (AS 3012).
- All portable generator sets must be fitted with a residual current device (ELCB) and must be tagged (AS/NZS 3012).

### **RESETTING OF RESIDUAL CURRENT DEVICES (EARTH LEAKAGE DEVICES)**

Refer to Earth Leakage Device Resetting Policy.

- The outer sheath of an extension lead cannot contain the colour green (AS/NZS 3012 Part 2-6.4)

**Report unsafe sites and safety procedures call 9221 1055 Text 0419812 861**