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**To:** All Contractors performing work directly for or on behalf of Hydro One Sault Ste. Marie

**Effective Date:** September 5, 2017

**Re:** High Visibility ARC / FR Clothing

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## **High Visibility Arc / FR Clothing**

Effective as of September 5, 2017 all contractors and visitors performing work directly for or on behalf of Hydro One Sault Ste. Marie, as a minimum, must abide by the following mandatory PPE requirements on all Hydro One SSM right of ways and at all Hydro One SSM transmission stations and buildings, indoors and outdoors. Areas of exception are offices, parking areas (including accessing and leaving the work centre), walkways, control rooms, lunchrooms, meeting rooms, locker rooms and enclosed work equipment or vehicles.

### **Mandatory PPE:**

- AR/FR hard hats, safety glasses, safety footwear, safety pants and long sleeve safety shirts (short sleeve shirts are not acceptable). Clothing shall have an outside layer of a minimum of ATPV 8 cal/cm<sup>2</sup>.
- Hi Vis, when required shall be achieved by either wearing a AR/FR/Hi-Vis long sleeve shirt or a combination of a AR/FR long sleeve shirt and a AR/FR/Hi-Vis Vest that meets ATPV 8 cal/cm<sup>2</sup>.

### **Exceptions:**

- High Vis is not required unless there is a risk of being struck by a vehicle or in areas designated as a "construction project".
- Head Protection (not required in relay/communications rooms unless specific hazard(s) make it necessary),

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