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Introduction

The objective of this document is to achieve uniform methods of training, verification and authorization of slingers and signallers involved in crane operations.