

# MANUFACTURING SAFETY ALERT

**Ask Yourself**  
*“Could it happen here?”*

## DESCRIPTION OF EVENT

### **Brazing Hydraulic Line**

Employee was brazing a 1/2 inch x 6 foot steel line from a forwarder in a parts trailer. He had repaired the line on one side and as he turned it over to repair the other side of the line, a bit of hot hydraulic oil dripped on his fingers causing burns on the top of his left hand. The employee estimated that it was only a tablespoon of oil. Employee was wearing a welding glove on his right hand but not on his left hand.



## SUGGESTED ACTIONS

- Ensure hydraulic lines are drained of oil before brazing or welding.
- Always wear proper gloves when brazing or welding on any machine.

## Most Important Take Away

Ensure hydraulic lines are drained of oil before brazing or welding.

