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### **Machine Shutdown & Isolation Process**

Considering Government advice on the COVID-19 Pandemic it may be necessary for customers to leave MEWP's on site for a prolonged period. If the machine is not completely and fully isolated the battery will run flat quickly causing delays when the unit is next needed, so leading to call out's for Engineering support that is highly stretched. NWP therefore ask you to re-enforce these processes with operators:

1. Shutdown procedure

#### Locate the key switch





Turn the key switch position to off and remove the key





2. Isolation Procedure

Locate and press the emergency stop switch to isolate the machine





Failing to shutdown and isolate the machine correctly will result in unauthorised use.

Please refer to page 2 for the SkySentry Activate & Immobilisation Procedure

## **SkySentry - Activate & Immobilisation Procedure**

The SkySentry is a system designed to improve the management of powered access fleet across multiple sites and to safeguard against unauthorised use.

#### Only authorised and trained users can operate machines fitted with SkySentry.

#### 1. Checking SkySentry status

- 1.1. Turn the machine key switch position to ON and ensure emergency stop switch is pulled out.
- 1.2. Locate the SkySentry keypad. If the Amber Power Status light and the Green Active lights are visible, the unit is unlocked to all personnel and does not require a PIN or IPAF smart card to operate.
- 1.3. If the Amber Power status light is only visible, the unit is locked. Follow steps 2 & 3 (Activation & Immobilisation procedure) to unlock and immobilise after use.
- 1.4. If you do not have any lights visible, follow step 4 (Technical Support).

#### 2. Activation Procedure

2.1. Ensure the amber power status light is turned on.

2.2. Touch your IPAF Smart Card on the SkySentry unit or enter your unique PIN number followed by the green tick. The green active status light will turn on and the machine is now unlocked to the authorised user to operate.

Amber power status light



NOTE: SkySentry uses the telecoms network to check IPAF smart cards and PIN numbers are allowed to use each system. Therefore, the initial start-up with a new card or pin may take up to 30 seconds to return a green light.

- 3. Immobilisation Procedure
  - 3.1. When you have finished using the machine, **turn the key switch position to off and remove the key.**
  - 3.2. **The ground emergency stop must be pressed**. Turn the page over and refer to the Shutdown and Isolation procedure for further information.

The SkySentry unit will remain active for 60 seconds after which the green active status light will turn off and immobilise the SkySentry. To re-activate the SkySentry follow the above procedure. **Failing to immobilise the machine correctly will result in unauthorised use.** 

#### 4. Technical Support

If you have no status lights visible or have any technical enquiries, please contact **Nationwide Platforms Technical Support team on 0845 745 0000**