Metal Company Hammered for Alleged Serious, Repeat Violations Carrying \$212,000 in Proposed Fines

Fifty-eight serious and five repeat violations were cited for workplace hazards that allegedly put employees at risk for cuts, crushing injuries, amputations, falls, electrocution, asphyxiation, burns and struck-by injuries. Repeat citations allege water-covered floors, lockout/tagout issues, unlabeled electrical devices and failure to remove defective forklifts from service.

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