

CPA Crane Hire vs Contract Lift



CPA Crane Hire

The Hirer must:

- Carry out work in accordance with BS7121 and LOLER
- Supply the Appointed Person
- Provide Third Party Liability and Hired-In Plant insurance, or pay 20% damage waiver
- Plan and execute the lift and operate a safe system of work
- Ensure that the Lorry Loader/Crane hired is of a suitable capacity
- Check the credentials of the crane hire company personnel, certifications, qualifications and competences
- Ensure that the ground conditions are assessed and that stabilizer loads are adequately spread to ensure the ground bearing capacity is not exceeded
- Brief the Operator on the Lift Plan

The Crane Owner/Supplier must:

- Provide a Lorry Loader/Crane and associated lifting tackle that is properly maintained, tested and certified in accordance with LOLER
- Provide a competent Crane Operator
- Confirm to the customer the size of standard spreader pads supplied with the Lorry Loader/Crane

Area of Responsibility

	CPA Hire	CPA Contract Lift
Customer	Supply of Task Info & Ground Conditions	Customer
	Site Visit / Scope of Work	Supplier
	Crane Selection & Planning	
	Risk Assessment	
	Method Statement	
	Appointed Person	
	Slings / Signallers	

CPA Contract Lift

The Hirer should:

- Specify that all work is to be undertaken in accordance with BS7121 and LOLER
- Specify that the Crane Owner/Supplier is to supply the “Appointed Person”
- Provide information on the ground bearing capacity of the lifting area
- Allow site access for a full site survey
- Supply accurate information of the load to be lifted
- Advise the Crane Owner/Supplier of any potential hazards that may not be evident from a site survey
- Confirm what other information and/or services will be provided to the Contractor by the Customer

Insurance Cover

	CPA Hire	CPA Contract Lift
Customer	Damage to Crane	Supplier
	Loss of Hire During Repair	
	Lifted Goods	
	Public Liability	

The Crane Owner/Supplier is responsible for:

- *Supplying a competent “Appointed Person”
- *Planning the lift, and operation of a safe system of work (via a Risk Assessment & Method Statement)
- *Organisation and control of the lifting operation in accordance with BS7121
- *Providing a Lorry Loader/Crane that is properly maintained, tested and certified
- *Provide a competent Crane Operator
- *Ensuring that stabilizer loads are adequately spread to ensure the ground bearing capacity is not exceeded.
- *Ensuring that adequate information regarding site conditions is obtained



* Applies to the delivery of goods to a domestic customer.