## **Telehandler Certification Alberta**

Telehandler Certification Alberta - A telehandler certification course can be taken by potential operators who have previous experience with driving typical forklifts and for individuals with no previous experiences on a lift truck. The real-world training offered by these programs produces graduates who know the safe and proper use of these types of machinery.

Telehandler certification courses could be completed at a third party location or at the trainees work site. To be able to acquire the formal training at a certain training facility, the manufacturer could work out a licensing agreement to be able to bring other people to a training facility. This option offers trainees with the chance to learn to make use of the machines in a controlled setting. Upon completion, those who participated are given a license or certification to utilize this kind of machinery.

With the latter option, a skilled instructor is sent to a work location to be able to provide on-location training. This option ensures that the one training is instructed on actual equipment that would be utilized on the job, and prepares the trainee for the demands of that particular environment. Trainees learn about possible dangerous situations which can occur on the actual work site. The instruction focuses on any conditions that are specific to the work site, allowing operators to be ready to safely handle these elements.

"Telehandler" is an abbreviated version of the term "telescopic handler," that references the machines extending or telescoping arm supporting a fork. The characteristics and controls of the telehandler are rather like a lift truck. A telehandler has the capability of transporting and lifting loads up and away from the vehicle. Wrong operation of telehandlers could cause serious accidents. If load limits are exceeded, the machine could tip because of excess weight on the lift. It is the task of the operator to know load limits and to make use of these machinery safely.

"Conversion" classes are designed for operators who have been certified to make use of a forklift. These conversion classes will teach the differences between the operation of a telehandler and a forklift, all the while trying to avoid repetitive information that the forklift operator is already familiar with. For trainees who have no past experience making use of telehandler equipment, training covers the basic utilization and operation of the equipment. Some groups even provide refresher programs.