

# IMPORTANT - TECHNICAL BULLETIN - SRL-LE RETROFIT - SHOCK ABSORBER EXTENSION LANYARD (# 01205)

Please be aware of the following policy change from Guardian Fall Protection:

Previously, Guardian had permitted the use of our Shock Absorber Extension Lanyard, part # 01205, to retrofit a cable self-retracting lifeline (SRL) for use in Leading Edge (LE) applications. The hook of the SRL would connect to the # 01205 D-ring, and the hook of the # 01205 would connect to the harness dorsal D-ring, thereby introducing additional shock absorption properties into the system and allowing the SRL to be used in LE work.

**USE OF # 01205 IN THIS MANNER IS NO LONGER PERMITTED.**



Used with  
# 01205  
**NO**

**THERE HAVE BEEN NO ACCIDENTS OR INJURIES RELATED TO THIS CONDITION.  
THIS IS NOT A PRODUCT RECALL.**

Only SRLs with integral LE capability may be used for LE work. Guardian SRLs are labeled with an icon to indicate their suitability for LE work. For a complete selection of LE approved SRLs, visit [www.guardianfall.com](http://www.guardianfall.com).



Approved for use  
in LE applications.



NOT approved for use  
in LE applications.

There is no safety hazard associated with part # 01205 or any Guardian non-LE cable SRL when used in non-LE applications. **THEY MUST NOT BE USED IN LE APPLICATIONS**, as set forth by this bulletin.

We have posted this notice on our website at: [www.guardianfall.com/blog](http://www.guardianfall.com/blog).

## WHAT TO DO IF USING # 01205 WITH CABLE SRL FOR LE WORK:

1. Immediately stop use of all applicable products in LE applications.
2. Only use a manufacturer-rated SRL-LE for any/all applications in which the potential exists for the lifeline to impact the edge of the hazard in the event of a fall.
3. Ensure all workers who may work in LE applications are sufficiently trained on this policy change, and are provided with the proper equipment.



Example SRL-LE  
(# 10920)



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