



Return Conditions for Lease / Rental Equipment

1. The equipment that is/are listed overleaf is to be maintained at the Hirer's expense and operated in accordance with the manufacturer's specifications. The Hirer to use in the equipment only fuels, lubricants and replacement components as recommended by the manufacturer.
2. Where the equipment is subject to a six (6) months test, not more than four (4) months shall have elapsed since the date of the most recent six (6) months test in relation to the equipment. The equipment will be thoroughly steam cleaned and the cab interior cleaned. The equipment will comply with all legal requirements.
3. All major components to be in a safe, operational condition.
4. All main castings including, if appropriate, cylinder head, cylinder block, transmission components and axles to be watertight, oil tight and free from cracks, flaws and leaks. Engine(s) shall operate efficiently showing no abnormal fuel or oil consumption, excessive smoke and with satisfactory compression.
5. Mechanical drive train: If so equipped, the transmission/hydrostatic drive systems, including but not limited to differentials and final drives, shall be in good condition and operate quietly without vibrations or leaks.
6. Electric drive train: If so equipped, the electric drive system shall be functional and operating, free from noise and excessive vibration.
7. The equipment to be free from cracks, distortion, corrosion and repaired fractures. The main frame components shall be straight and true, without any signs of impact or distortion. Exhaust system to be secure and sound.
8. Bodywork should be free from damage and the condition of the machine to be generally relative to its age and hours worked. All livery and lettering to be removed at the Hirer's own cost leaving the equipment in a presentable condition.
9. If the equipment becomes corroded by atmospheric, industrial, chemical staining or other processes, it should be restored by a recognised process undertaken by a professional repairer or replaced.
10. Hydraulic systems must be in working order and free from leaks, corrosion, scoring, and not bent and should operate to manufacturers' specifications as to pressure and reach.
11. The battery should be able to hold a charge.
12. The brakes shall function in accordance with the manufacturer's recommendations, and there shall be no evidence of contamination or excessive mechanical noise upon operation.
13. Tyres, individually, to be not more than 50% worn with no major cuts or side-wall damage. Tracks to be in good repair with free movement.
14. All booms shall be straight and true within original manufacturer's specifications and tolerances. Baskets and controls shall be operational and show no signs of impact.
15. All welding repairs to structural components associated with the Equipment's lifting capabilities shall be carried out by an authorised person in accordance with the manufacturer's recommendations.
16. The equipment should be identical to the specification at the commencement of the hire including any extras, spares, tools or other parts unless expressly agreed otherwise by us in writing.
17. All statutory documents and operator handbooks, including plating and testing certificates to be returned with the equipment.
18. Should utilisation exceed 500 hours per annum, an excess hour charge of £2.00 shall be payable.
19. Assessment of fair wear and tear shall be at the discretion of AJ Access Platforms Limited.

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20. AJ Access Platforms Limited and the Hirer will agree in advance who shall carry out any major repairs including accident damage and failing agreement, AJ Access Platforms Limited will arrange for the work to be carried out by its nominated repairer. All repair costs incurred will be the responsibility of the Hirer.
21. In order to determine whether each and every item of the equipment meets these conditions, AJ Access Platforms Limited shall arrange for a suitable qualified representative or an appropriate professional body pertaining to that country (the "Expert") to inspect the equipment 30 days prior to you returning the equipment to us (the "30-Day Inspection"). You will pay all costs arising from such 30-Day Inspection including lodging and travelling expenses of the Expert as well as all costs to rectify any deficiency with respect to these return conditions identified by the Expert prior to the return of the equipment to us.
22. The Hirer shall be responsible for the cost of return of the equipment to AJ Access Platforms Limited or its appointed agent on or before the expiry of the Hire Term in the agreement.
23. No conditions other than those specifically set out in this contract shall be deemed to be incorporated in, or form part of this contract.