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These potential electrical hazards demand that certain requirements be observed when choosing equipment and work methods for the protection of personnel or equipment.