



Safety recommendation no. 31

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Safety deficit	On Saturday, 26 January 2013, a fatal accident occurred at approximately 14:25 local time at the mountain station of the Hesisbol-"Wilde Maa", Hoch Ybrig chairlift. The hip strap hanging from a female snow-boarder's backpack became trapped in the backrest.
Safety recommendation	The wearing of backpacks on backs during travel on chairlifts must be forbidden, with warning signs.
Stage of the implementation	The safety recommendation was implemented. On 2 June 2014, in a circular, the FOT requires operators of chairlifts to provide warnings about the wearing of backpacks on backs when travelling on chairlifts, by installing appropriate signage before the 2014/15 winter season.
Investigation report concerning the safety recommendation	<u>Schlussbericht</u>