These signals are to be used when verbal communication is hindered. Example: noisy warehouse or busy plant site.

Workers **must** first be orientated in use of signals before using.

1st – State the Amount required
2nd - Indicate the Scaffold required
3rd – Indicate the Length or Size required

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RIGHT ANGLE CLAMP
Tips of fingers point into open palm

SWIVEL CLAMP
Cup hands with wrist twisting action

END-TO-END JOINER
Close fists – tapping thumbs in a horizontal motion

TUBE
Cup hands with horizontal motion

PLANK (and Decks)
Open palms and tap together

LOCKING PIN
Index finger passing through eye of opposite hand

LADDER
Simulate climbing action

STARTER BRACKET
Simulate starting a car action

DECK with HOOK
Tap hands as planks then cup hands like deck hooks

GRATING OR PLYWOOD
Show imaginary box style

TOE BOARD
Indicating toe portion

WIRE – TYPE
Index finger pointed in circular motion
**STANDARD or Post**
Closed fists, vertical tapping action

**LEDGER or Horizontal**
Index finger showing hooked ends.

**BRACE**
Extended arms crossed over

**SIDE BRACKET**
Cock arm into hip socket

**SCREW JACK**
Open hand under index finger, circular motion

**COLLAR**
Indicating collar on self