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Adjustment of Mechanical Overload Device

WARNING: High voltage is present in the hoist control cabinet and overload switch.

- 1. Turn adjustment screw for the mechanical limit switch counterclockwise until it no longer engages micro-switch.
- 2. Lift test load 1-3 inches. (Use 110% rated capacity as a starting reference not to exceed 125% of rated capacity)
- 3. Remove power to hoist.
- 4. On a low headroom or double girder hoist remove the hoist cover. On a normal headroom hoist remove the access plate above the control enclosure directly below the trolley side plate.
- 5. Using a continuity tester across terminals 53 and 54 in the hoist control box (Continuity should be read), adjust the mechanical limit switch adjustment screw until the micro-switch just "opens" causing an interruption in the circuit.
- 6. Remove the test equipment then apply the power to the hoist.
- Test the hoist using the load referenced in step 2. The hoist should shut off and not pick up the load. Note: If the hoist lifts the load, stop lifting and repeat steps 2 through 7
- 8. Test the hoist with 100%. The hoist should be capable of lifting the load.
- 9. Repeat steps 2 through 8 until the hoist lifts 100% of capacity but will not lift 125%.
- 10. Seal Screw with thread locking compound after Overload Protection is set properly.
- 11. Replace access covers.

Mechanical Overload Protection Switch



- 1. Rope anchorage
- 2. Lever mechanism
- 3. Set of plate springs
- 4. Mechanical limit switch
- 5. Adjustment screw for mechanical limit switch

(Load bar will differ between models-picture shown is SX2/SX3)