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ONE KILLED, TWO INJURED IN WORKPLACE ACCIDENT

WorkSafeNB is investigating a workplace accident in which one worker was killed and two others were injured.

Maurice Roussel, 60, died in hospital September 29 of injuries sustained after falling approximately 35 feet to the floor when a wooden catwalk collapsed. He had been working with two workers to repair roofing drains at the AV Cell Inc. mill in Atholville. One co-worker is in stable condition at The Moncton Hospital with a broken back and leg, while a second worker, who suffered a broken wrist, has been released.

The men worked for Val Landry & Son Ltd., of Campbellton.

About WorkSafeNB

WorkSafeNB administers no-fault workplace accident and disability insurance for employers and their workers, funded solely through employer assessments. WorkSafeNB is committed to preventing workplace injuries and illness through education and the enforcement of the *Occupational Health and Safety Act*.