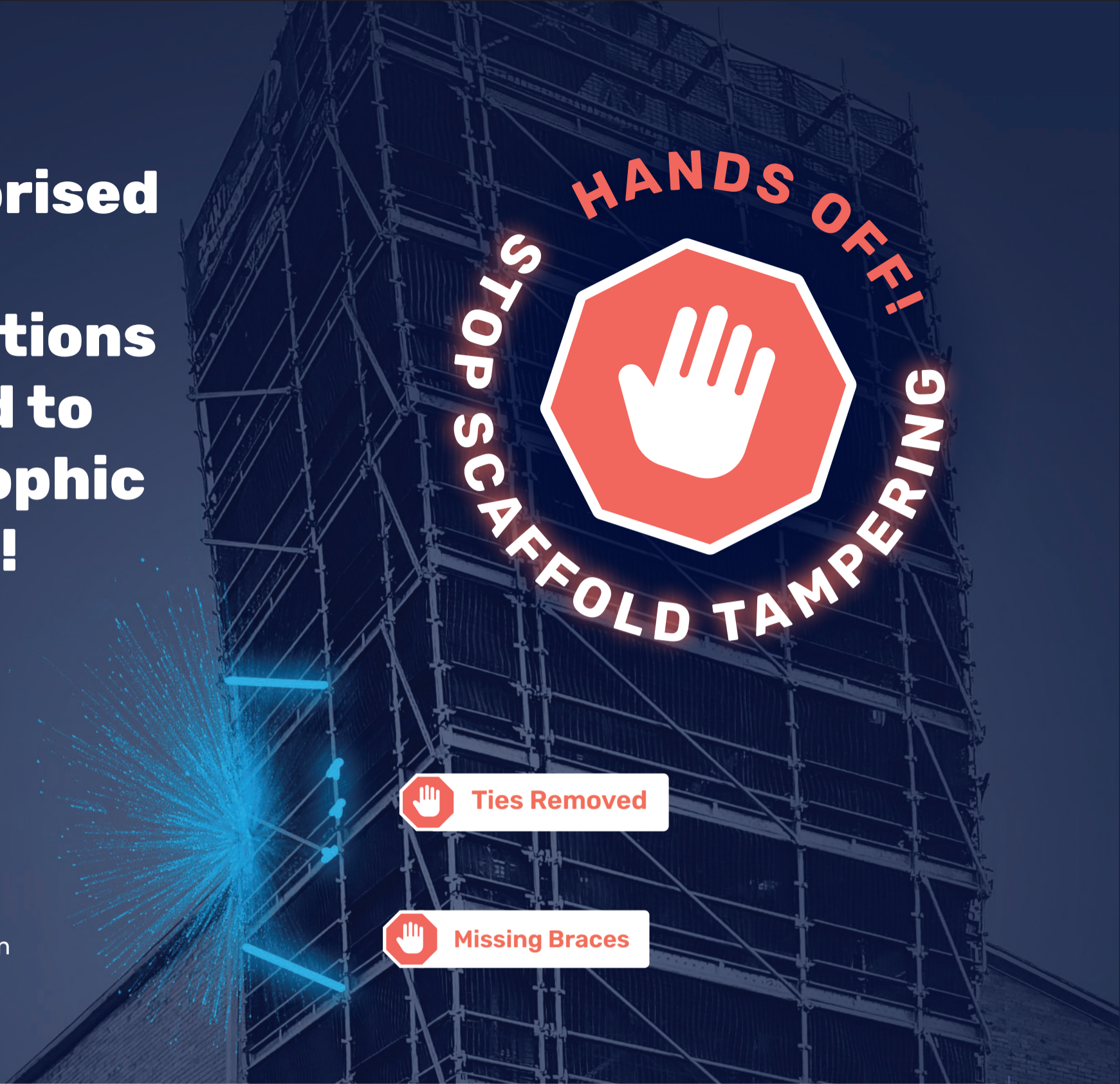


Unauthorised Scaffold Modifications Can Lead to Catastrophic Collapse!

Scaffolds are carefully engineered structures that rely on specific components for strength and stability. Unauthorised modifications, such as removing braces, ties, or supports, can weaken the entire system and cause total failure.



The Danger

- Removing or altering ties and braces compromises scaffold integrity.
- Overloading a weakened scaffold increases collapse risk.
- A collapsing scaffold can injure or kill multiple workers at once

Real Consequences

- Serious injuries, permanent disability, or fatalities.
- Heavy fines, legal action, and worksite shutdowns.
- Loss of productivity and costly project delays.

The Solution

- Only suitably licensed scaffolders from the company that built the scaffold should modify scaffolding.
- Never remove or modify scaffold ties, braces, or supports.
- Ensure all scaffold components are properly installed and inspected regularly.
- Report any signs of instability or unauthorised changes immediately.

**Scaffold safety is non-negotiable
DON'T RISK A COLLAPSE!**



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Hands Off! Stop Scaffold Tampering!

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