

VEDN Bulletin

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This Bulletin is issued by the Victorian Electricity Distribution Networks (VEDN) to disseminate the latest information regarding VEDN processes for contractors undertaking civil works.

NEW WEBSITE

The Victorian Electricity Supply Industry (VESI) has launched a new easy to use website. The website contains links to all the VESI committees, including the VEDN Civil Works site.

This is the link to the VEDN Civil works site:

<http://www.vesi.com.au/Committees/VEDN-Civil-Works.aspx>

THE VEDN COMMITTEE

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ACCREDITATION PROCESS

Annual Review: Your VEDN Civil Work accreditation is subject to satisfactory performance and the provision of an annual JASANZ audit of your management system. The following links are to the annual review audit forms: [VEDN NW Special Requirements & Checklist Open Trench - Civil Audit](#)

Re accreditation: After three years you will also need to apply for re accreditation, and provide the annual review documentation along with a new application form. [VEDN Civil Application](#)

Document Overview: An updated table has been added to the VEDN website to assist civil work contractors and auditors in providing the correct Accreditation and Re Accreditation Documents. [VEDN Civil Accreditation Process](#)

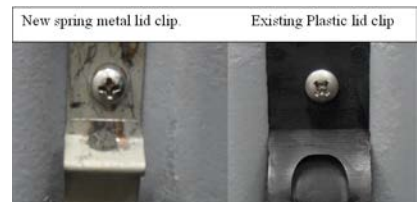
SP AUSNET PLASTIC PIT LID CLIPS

Plastic lids covering electricity service pits have been in use at SP AusNet since 2004.

The plastic pit lids are fitted with two plastic clips that secure the lid in place. However they are susceptible to being easily damaged.

A new pit lid clip has been introduced and it is more robust making it harder to break or damage during the installation or removal process.

The simplicity of the design solution also enables existing plastic pits and lids to be retrofitted with the new securing clips while still in service.



- To receive VEDN Bulletins contact a VEDN committee member at <http://www.vesi.com.au/Committees/VEDN-Civil-Works/VEDN-About-Us.aspx>
- To undergo VEDN accreditation visit the VEDN website at: <http://www.vesi.com.au/Committees/VEDN-Civil-Works.aspx>

