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Question: When the design of a retractable fall arrester includes a lanyard (e.g. energy absorber pack) or other element permanently extracted from the end of the block, how should the dynamic performance test be carried out?			
Solution: Because the goal of this dynamic performance test is to generate a 600mm free fall, the first sentence of the article 5.7.2.2 of EN 364:1992 shall be replaced by: <p style="text-align: center;"><i>“Withdraw and fix the retractable lanyard in such a way that when the mass is raised to the same level as the bottom of the clip fitted to the retractable lanyard, it generates a 600mm free fall.”</i></p>			
NOTE: Devices including a permanently connected element (meaning “a lanyard which is not detachable from the retractable lanyard of the fall arrester”) longer than 600mm are not covered by either this VG11 sheet or EN 360:2002.			