

Entering And Exiting Prime Mov	ver Alighting   SAFE WORK	METHOD STATEMENT (SWI	MS)
TASK OR ACTIV	/ITY: Entering And Exiting Prime	Mover Alighting	
Business Name: [Company Name]		ABN: [ABN]	SWMS#
Business Address: [Company Address]			
Contact Person:	Phone: [Phone]	E 11:	
THIS SAFE WORK METHOD	STATEMENT IS APPROVED BY 1	THE P. OF THE PROJECT	
Under the Work Health and Safety Regulation (WHS Regulation), a person conduct the proposed work starts.	eting a business or undertaking (F RU) is	required to ture at a safe work method s	tatement (SWMS) is prepared before
Full Name:			
Signature:		Title:	Date:
Details of the person(s) responsible for ensuring implementation, monitoring a	ompliance of the SWMS well as review	s and modifications of the SWMS.	
Full Name:		Title:	Phone:
ALL PERSONNEL PARTICIPATING IN ANY ACTIVITY ON THIS VMS. ST HAVE THE FOLLOWING COMMUNICATED	N. 1E AND DATED SIGNATURE OF A COMUNICATED TO IN THE DEVELO	LL RELEVANT PERSONNEL WHO HAVE BI PMENT AND APPROVAL OF THIS SWMS	EEN CONSULTED AND
Safety meetings or toolbox talks will be sched ed in accordance with egislative requirements to first identify any site hazards, conditions those hazards and then to further take steps to either the conditions of the conditions are conditionally as a condition of the condition of the conditions are conditionally as a condition of the condition	NAME	SIGNATURE	DATE
If an incident or a near miss occurs, all work must standardly. Depending on the severity of the incident, a meeting will be called with all workers to amend the SWMS if required. The meeting may also be an educational opportunity.			
Any changes made to the SWMS after an incident or a near miss must be approved by the Person Conducting Business or Undertaking and communicated to all relevant personnel.			
The SWMS must be kept and be available for inspection at least until the work is completed. Where a SWMS is revised, all versions should be kept. If a notifiable incident occurs in relation to which the SWMS relates, then the SWMS must be kept for at least two years from the occurrence of the notifiable incident.			



		CLI	ENT OR PRINCIPAL	CONTRACTOR D	ETAILS		
Client:						SCOPE OF WORKS	
Project Name:					Provide a detailed description	n of the specific work being	carried out (otherwise
Project Address:					known as cope of works).		
Project Manager:							
Contact Phone:							
Project Manager Sig	nature:						
Date SWMS supplie	d to Project Manager:						
		ANY HIGH-	RISK CON PUCT	N' JRK BEING	CARRIED OUT		
☐ involves a risk of a pe	erson falling more than 2 m	neters.		is carried out on	or near pressurised gas mains	s or piping.	
is carried out on a tel	is carried out on a telecommunication tower.  involves demolition of an element of a structure that is load-be in.  involves demolition of an element related to the physical integrit of a structure.			is carried out on	or near chemical, fuel or refrig	erant lines.	
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☐ involves, or is likely to	o involve, disturbing a	tos.		☐ involves tilt-up or	r precast concrete.		
involves structural alt	eration or repair that re	upp to p	prevent collapse.	is carried out on,	, in or adjacent to a road, railwa	ay, shipping lane or other to	raffic corridor.
is carried out in or ne	ar a confined space.			is carried out in a	an area of a workplace where t	here is any movement of p	owered mobile plant.
is carried out in/near	a shaft or trench deeper th	nan 1.5m or tunnel involvin	g use of explosives.	is carried out in a	areas with artificial extremes of	temperature.	
is carried out in or ne	ar water or other liquid tha	t involves a risk of drowning	ng.	☐ involves diving w	vork.		
		ANY HI	IGH-RISK MACHINER	RY OR EQUIPMEN	IT NEARBY		
Forklift	☐ Crane/s	☐ Hoist/s	☐ Excavator	☐ Backhoe/Loader	☐ Boom Lift	☐ EWP	☐ Genie Lift
☐ Trencher	☐ Drilling Rig	☐ Trucks	Formwork	☐ Bobcat	☐ Flammable Gas	☐ Fuel	☐ Dozer
☐ High Voltage	☐ Mulcher	☐ Tilt-up Panels	Roller	☐ Scissor Lift	☐ Tractor	Other -	





### PERL NAL TECTIVE EQUIPMENT (PPE)

FOOT PROTECTION	HAND PROTECTION	HEAD PROTECTION	HEARING PPOTECTION	PROTE	SPIRATORY P STECTION	FACE PROTECTION	HIGH-VIS CLOTHING	PROTECTIVE CLOTHING	FALL PROTECTION	SUN PROTECTION	HAIR/JEWELLERY SECURED
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Select me appropriate PPE above suitable for the equipment used or the job task being performed (if applicable).

**Note:** A SWMS must be reviewed regularly to make sure it remains effective. A SWMS must be reviewed (and revised if necessary) if relevant control measures are revised. The review process should be carried out in consultation with workers (including contractors and subcontractors) who may be affected by the operation of the SWMS and their health and safety representatives who represented that work group at the workplace.

When a SWMS has been revised, the person conducting a business or undertaking must ensure all:

- 1. persons involved in the work are advised that a revision has been made and how they can access the revised SWMS;
- 2. persons who will need to change a work procedure or system as a result of the review are advised of the changes in a way that will enable them to implement their duties consistently with the revised SWMS: and.
- 3. workers that will be involved in the work are provided with the relevant information and instruction that will assist them to understand and implement the revised SWMS.



JOB STEP	POTENTIAL HAZARDS	IR	CONTROL MEASURES	RR	RESPONSIBLE PERSON
SPECIFIC WORK STEPS	HAZARDS THAT MAY ARISE	INITIAL RISK	SPECIFIC MEASURES TO BE PUT IN PLACE TO ELIMINATE OR CONTROL THE RISKS	RESIDUAL RISK	NAME OF PERSON
SPECIFIC WORK STEPS  1. Preparation	Slips, trips and falls, Struck by moving vehicle		- Ensure proper housekeeping is maintained throughout the work area to keep walking surfaces free from debris, clutter, and any pointial tripping hazards.  - Provide employees with appropriate slip-resignation footwear suitable for the task, environment, and weather conditions where wering or exiting prime movers.  - Conduct regular safety toolbox talks discus on the invortance of remaining vigilant while alighting from vehicles and following proportion dedures.  - Establish designated parking areas or loading/un ading zonor in well-lit locations, ensuring they have level ground and a non-slip sum of for also and safe access to prime movers.  - Implement classy market bedesting walkways that are separate from vehicle routes to minouse the risk opedesting beginning through the vehicles.  - Instrumental foothers, and appropriately sized steps on all prime mover entral to points to the prevent slips and falls while accessing the vehicle cabin.  - Training vees on the correct "three-point contact method" for entering and exiting hime lovers, which involves maintaining three points of contact (e.g., two bands at lone bot) at air times.  - Unappropriate and fiction of measures, such as warning signs, barricades, and spotter of an ecessary, to safely guide vehicles and reduce the risk of collisions.  Incourage workers to report any damaged or worn equipment, such as steps, had rails, or anti-slip surfaces, so they can be repaired or replaced immediately.  - Communicate the safe working speed limits for prime movers in the relevant work environment to drivers, ensuring compliance through regular monitoring.  - Enforce a no-distractions policy in the workplace, including the use of mobile		
			devices and headphones, to enhance awareness and focus on potential hazards during ingress and egress tasks.  - Incorporate fall prevention best practices, including minimising the necessity to climb onto prime movers or equipment trailers without proper fall arrest systems in place.  - Perform regular hazard identification and risk assessments, ensuring that all control measures are in place, necessary maintenance is carried out, and updated safety protocols are communicated to employees.		
2. Approach Vehicle	Struck by moving vehicle, Collision with stationary objects	2M	<ul> <li>Ensure all workers are familiar with the designated pedestrian walkways, paths, and safe zones within the workplace to avoid interaction with moving vehicles and equipment while approaching the prime mover.</li> <li>Provide high visibility apparel for workers to wear while in vehicle operating areas, making them more visible to drivers and other workers.</li> </ul>	1L	



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			<ul> <li>Implement a traffic management plan that includes appropriate signage, barriers, and designated routes for pedestrians and vehicles, reducing the chances of collisions and accidents.</li> </ul>		
			- Conduct routine safety audits to ensure commence with traffic management plans and general site rules, addressing any contacts or violations promptly.		
			- Train workers on safe approaching technique where proximity to the prime mover, such as establishing eye contact with the er and receiving acknowledgment before proceeding.		
			- Ensure the area around the progression of the stationary object.		
			- Schedule in that mainter the control of the movers and their safety features like minors, can ras, any ght system advantee their optimal performance in maining visits.		
			- Estal, su, and enter a speed limits in work zones to minimise the risk of struck-by incident in ving manage vehicles.		
			Promo a strong safety culture by exchanging ideas and experiences among throu yegular safety meetings and toolbox talks, discussing potential risks of fective mitigation strategies for entering and exiting prime movers.		
			Encourage constant communication between vehicle operators, spotters, and prestrians via radios or hand signals, ensuring everyone's awareness of each other's movements and actions, ultimately avoiding accidental collisions and struck-by incidents.		
	5		- Ensure proper housekeeping around the vehicle, including removal of debris, tools, or other tripping hazards.		
			- Provide and maintain non-slip footwear for staff engaging in this task, to reduce the risks associated with slips and falls.		
			- Adequate lighting must be provided in the area where the vehicle is parked to ensure visibility during inspection.		
3. Inspect Vehicle	Slips, trips and falls, Contact with hot surfaces	1L	- Use handrails and grab handles when ascending or descending the prime mover; ensure they are in good condition and well-maintained.	1L	
			- Inspect steps, platforms, and ladders on the prime mover for any defects or damage that may compromise their integrity.		
			- Keep walkways and steps on the vehicle clean and clear of any grease, oil, or contaminants to prevent slipping.		
			- Perform inspections at a slow and steady pace, avoiding rushing, which could increase the risk of slips, trips, and falls.		
			- Train staff on proper techniques for safely entering and exiting the prime mover as part of their workplace health and safety induction.		



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			- Establish a designated path for workers to follow while inspecting the vehicle, limiting potential hazards associated with navigating through congested or cluttered areas.		
			- Implement a system for reporting and prompt addressing any identified hazards, such as damaged steps or hot surfaces, to agate risks.		
			- Require workers to wear appropriate Person Proton as gloves, to minimise contact with hot surface the graph the inspection.		
			- Install warning signs and/of prriers around hot faces, classy indicating the potential hazard to workers.		
			- Educate staff on the permitted in the event of a slip, trip, or fall, including first aid response at ancident orting otocols.		
4. Unlock Door Pinch points, Incorrect posture when reaching	1L		1L		



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5. Enter Vehicle	Falls from height, Count between vehicle and other a ject	ЗН		2M	



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6. Adjust Controls	Incorrect posture, Oversertion	L		1L	



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7. Ignition	Vehicle jumping for eard, Noise exposure	2M		1L	



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8. Exiting Vehicle	Miscalculated step. Falls for Inadequate use of house.	3H		2M	



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9. Lock Door	Pinch points, Incorrect posture when reaching	1L		1L	



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10. Inspect Exit Area	Slips, trips and falls, Collisions with ow- hanging structures	2M		1L	



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11. Move away from Vehicle	Collisions with oth spedence on vehicles, Slips, trips, una ralls	IL		1L	



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12. Report Any Hazards	Inadequate communection, Incorrect hazard reporting	1L		1L	



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#### **EMERGENCY RESPONSE – CALL 000 FOR EMERGENCIES**

Ensure to have an Emergency Management Plan in place as well as adequate numbers of trained first aid staff with easy access to fully stocked first aid kits, rescue equipment, material safety data sheets, adequate access to emergency communication equipment and fire-fighting equipment suitable for all classes of fire and ignition sources.

#### LEGISLATIVE REFERENCES

RELEVANT LEGISLATION AND CODES OF PRACTICE. DELETE THE LEGISLATIVE REFERENCES. ANY STATE OF AT ARE NOT APPLICABLE.

#### **Queensland & Australian Capital Territory**

Work Health and Safety Act 2011

Work Health and Safety Regulations 2011

Legislation QLD: https://www.worksafe.gld.gov.au/laws-and-compliance/work-health-and-safety-laws

Codes of Practice QLD: https://www.worksafe.qld.gov.au/laws-and-compliance/codes-of-practice Legislation ACT: https://www.worksafe.act.gov.au/laws-and-compliance/acts-and-regulations

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#### **New South Wales**

Work Health and Safety Act 2011

Work Health and Safety Regulations 2017

Legislation NSW: https://www.safework.nsw.gov.au/legal-obligations/legislative

Codes of Practice NSW: https://www.safework.nsw.gov.au/resource-library/lis > odes-or racti

#### **Northern Territory**

Work Health and Safety (National Uniform Legislation) Act 2011

Work Health and Safety (National Uniform Legislation) Regulation 2011

Legislation NT: https://worksafe.nt.gov.au/laws-and-compliance/wo\_place-

Codes of Practice NT: https://worksafe.nt.gov.au/5

#### South Australia

Work Health and Safety Act 2012 (SA)

Work Health and Safety Regulations 2012 (SA)

Legislation for SA: https://www.safework.sa.gov.au/resources/le\_lation

Codes of Practice for SA: https://www.safework.sa.gov.au/work\_aces/codes-of-practice#COPs

#### Tasmania

Work Health and Safety Act 2012

Work Health and Safety (Transitional and Consequential Provisions) Act 2012

Work Health and Safety Regulations 2012

Work Health and Safety (Transitional) Regulations 2012

Legislation for TAS: https://worksafe.tas.gov.au/topics/laws-and-compliance/acts-and-regulations

Codes of Practice for TAS: https://worksafe.tas.gov.au/topics/laws-and-compliance/codes-of-practice

Details of permits, licenses or access required by regulatory bodies (add or delete as required):

- Permits from local council
- Authorisation to commence work
- Any required documents.

#### Victoria

Occupational Health al. Safety Act

Occupational Health and Infety gulations 2017

Legis on VIC: https://www.wsafe.vic.gov.au/occupational-health-and-safety-act-and-

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#### Western Australia

Work Health and Safety Act 2020

Work Health and Safety Regulations 2022

Legislation Western Australia: <a href="https://www.commerce.wa.gov.au/worksafe/legislation">https://www.commerce.wa.gov.au/worksafe/legislation</a> Codes of Practice WA: <a href="https://www.commerce.wa.gov.au/worksafe/codes-practice">https://www.commerce.wa.gov.au/worksafe/codes-practice</a>

#### Safe Work Australia Links

Law and Regulation (All States): https://www.safeworkaustralia.gov.au/law-and-regulation Model Codes of Practice: https://www.safeworkaustralia.gov.au/resources-publications/model-codes-of-practice

#### **Model Codes of Practice**

- Managing noise and preventing hearing loss at work
- Confined spaces
- Labelling of workplace hazardous chemicals
- Managing risks of hazardous chemicals in the workplace
- Welding processes
- First aid in the workplace
- Managing the risk of falls at workplaces
- Hazardous manual tasks
- Managing the risk of falls in housing construction
- Managing electrical risks in the workplace
- Demolition work
- Excavation work
- Work health and safety consultation, cooperation and coordination
- Managing the work environment and facilities
- How to manage work health and safety risks
- Managing risks of plant in the workplace
- Construction work



#### SIGNATORIES OF THE SAFE WORK METHOD STATEMENT

The signed and dated personnel listed below have cooperated in the consultation and development of this Safe Work Method Statement which has been approved by the Person/s Conducting a Business or Undertaking (PCBU). In signing this Safe Work Method Statement each individual acknowledges and confirms that they have read this SWMS in full, having raised any questions for items on this Safe Work Method Statement that require clarification, and confirms that they are competent, skilled and knowledgeable for the task assigned to them. Every person acknowledges that they have received the relevant training and qualifications where required, before carrying out any work contained in this Safe Work Method Statement. By signing this Safe Work Method Statement each individual agrees to work safely, to follow any safe work instructions which are provided, and agrees to use all Personal Protective Equipment where appropriate.

Worker Name	Pos	sition	Signature	Date	Time	Sup	pervisor	
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	SAF WO A STHED STATEMENT MONITORING AND REVIEW							
The SWMS must be reviewed regularly to make sure it remains efficiency and must be reviewed (and revised if necessary) if relevant control measure are a country revery process should be carried out in consultation with workers (including contractors and subcontract is) who may be affected by the operation of the SWMS and their health and safety representatives who reduces essented that work group at the workplace.  When the SWMS has been revised the PCBU must ensure that all persons involved with the work are advised that a revision has been made and how they can access the revised SWMS, including all persons who will need to change a work procedure or system as a result of the review are advised of the changes in a way that will enable them to implement their duties consistently with the revised SWMS. All workers that will be involved in the work must be provided with the relevant information and instruction that will assist them to understand and implement the revised SWMS.				The SWMS must be monitored regularly for the effectiveness of ensuring hazard controls are effective in reducing the risk of incidents, keeping the workplace safe for all personnel. The person responsible for monitoring the effectiveness of the Safe Work Method Statement should employ a multi-faceted approach which includes but is not limited to:  1. Spot Checks. 2. Consultation with workers, contractors and sub-contractors. 3. Internal audits on a continual basis.  An approach of continuous improvement, promptly recording inconsistencies or deficiencies, followed up by immediate corrective action and consultation with all relevant personnel ensures that the PCBU is consistently developing ever-improving systems of safe work principles.				
REVIEW NUMBER	<u> </u>	□ 2	□ 3	□ 4	□ 5	□ 6	□ 7	
NAME								
INITIALS								
DATE								



### SAFE WORK METHOD STATEMENT REVIEW CHECKLIST

This Safe Work Method Statement Review Checklist is to be followed and used upon initial development of the SWMS to help ensure that all steps have been adequately taken before work commences. Think of this document as an internal audit review checklist before commencing work, and may form part of a Toolbox Talk (safety meeting) and may be used as an opportunity for education and training.

ITEMS WHICH MUST BE INCLUDED IN THE SWMS	COMPLETED	TO BE DONE	COMMENTS
The company details have been entered, including the project name and address.			
Names and signatures of all relevant personnel consulted during the development of the SWMS.		P P	
Name, signature, position and date signed of the person approving the SWMS.			
Specific personnel and qualifications, experience is noted in the SWMS.	P		
Provides a step-by-step process of tasks required to carry out the activity or task.			
Adequate risk assessment of any identified hazards has been completed.			
Foreseeable hazards are identified and documented for each step.			
Any hazards listed in any site risk assessments have been added to the SWh			
SWMS initial risk (IR) column as well as residual risk (RR) columns completed.			
Check control measures added to the SWMS are the most effecting so tions.			
Responsible person is assigned and listed on the SWMS for the imperent of continue assures.			
Permit requirements specified, such as Hot Work, Veralt Heights etc.			
SWMS identifies plant and equipment to be u d.			
Details of inspection checks required for any equipment listed are noted on the SWMS.			
Describes any mandatory qualifications, experience raining skills required to perform the work.			
Applicable personal protective equipment is selected on the SWMS.			
Lists any required permits or licenses.			
Reflects and documents any legislative references and/or Australian Standards.			
dentifies any hazardous substances used with specific control measures in line with any SDS.			
REVIEWED BY	DATE R	EVIEWED	
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