Glass Arisser   S	SAFE WORK METHOD STA	TEMENT (SWMS)						
	TASK OR ACTIVITY: Glass Arisse	er						
Business Name: [Company Name]		ABN: [ABN]	SWMS#					
Business Address: [Company Address]								
Contact Person:	Phone: [Phone]	E gil:						
	icting a business or undertaking (H BU) is	required to thursh at a safe work method s	statement (SWMS) is prepared before					
Full Name:								
Signature:		Title:	Date:					
Details of the person(s) responsible for ensuring implementation, monitoring arth compliance of the SWMS, well as reviews and modifications of the SWMS.								
Full Name:		Title:	Phone:					
	N. TE AND DATED SIGNATURE OF A CO. MUNICATED TO IN THE DEVELO	LL RELEVANT PERSONNEL WHO HAVE B OPMENT AND APPROVAL OF THIS SWMS	EEN CONSULTED AND					
requirements to first identify any site hazards, conduction inical those	NAME	SIGNATURE	DATE					
If an incident or a near miss occurs, all work must share an articly. 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.								



CLIENT OR PRINCIPAL CONTRACTOR DETAILS											
Client:					SCOPE OF WORKS						
Project Name:							rk being carried out (otherwise				
Project Address:				k	nown as scope of works).						
Project Manager:											
Contact Phone:											
Project Manager	Signature:										
Date SWMS supp	olied to Project Manag	er:									
		ANY HIG	H-RISK CON JUCI	N. JRK BEING	ARRIED OUT						
involves a risk of	a person falling more than	2 meters.		is carried out on or	near pressurised gas main	s or piping.					
is carried out on a	a telecommunication tower.			☐ is carried out on or near chemical, fuel or refrigerant lines.							
involves demolition	on of an element of a struct	ure that is load-be		☐ is carried out on or near energised electrical installations or services.							
involves demolition	on of an element related to	the physical integrit of a s	17 e.	is carried out in an area that may have a contaminated or flammable atmosphere.							
involves, or is like	ely to involve, disturbing a	estos.		involves tilt-up or precast concrete.							
involves structura	al alteration or repair that re	mporal upp to	prevent collapse.	is carried out on, in or adjacent to a road, railway, shipping lane or other traffic corridor.							
is carried out in o	r near a confined space.			is carried out in an area of a workplace where there is any movement of powered mobile plant.							
is carried out in/n	ear a shaft or trench deepe	er than 1.5m or tunnel involv	ving use of explosives.	is carried out in areas with artificial extremes of temperature.							
is carried out in o	r near water or other liquid	that involves a risk of drow	ning.	involves diving wo	k.						
		ANY	HIGH-RISK MACHINE	RY OR EQUIPMENT	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 -					







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1. Preparation	Manual handling injuries, Slips, trips and falls	2М	<ul> <li>Ensure that all workers have undergone appropriate manual handling training to minimise the risk of injuries from lifting and carrying unterials.</li> <li>Establish clear pathways for material transponded designated storage areas to avoid obstructions and reduce the risk of shortrips, and falls.</li> <li>Provide personal protective equipment (PF resuch agaloxes, safety footwear, and high-visibility vests for workers to prevent potes using the swhile handling glass materials.</li> <li>Implement a two-person lift propool or use mechanical one, like trolleys or hoists, when moving heave suppaneling objects to minimulation on workers' backs and reduce the risk an anual andling suries.</li> <li>Regularly furget the work lace flow or date, spills, or any other hazards and clean them up unediate to maintain use working environment.</li> <li>Clearstrank and suppaneling or date, spills, or any other hazards and clean them up unediate to maintain use working environment.</li> <li>Clearstrank and suppaneling objects and reduce the chance of slips, thes, a liftalls.</li> <li>Promol oper communication between team members to create awareness of protein azards within the workspace and allow for quick resolution.</li> <li>Establish are aware of how to react in case of an incident.</li> <li>Induct pre-work risk assessments and regularly review the SWMS to ensure control measures remain effective, especially when there are new processes or changes to the existing work environment.</li> <li>Encourage staff to actively report any near-misses or incidents they may witness so that appropriate corrective actions can be taken to prevent future accidents.</li> <li>Rotate tasks among workers to lessen repetitive strains, fatigue, and overexertion, which could lead to manual handling injuries.</li> <li>Properly plan and organise the task at hand, ensuring that sufficient time, resources, and personnel are given to complete it safely and effectively, reducing the chances of rushing, stress-induced errors, or cutting correst.<td>1L</td><td></td></li></ul>	1L	
2. Equipment setup	Electrical hazards, Incorrect equipment usage	3H	<ul> <li>Ensure all electrical equipment and appliances are tested and tagged by a professional electrician before use, according to the relevant Australian Standards.</li> <li>Set up a designated work area with appropriate signage and barriers to prevent unauthorised personnel and passersby from coming into contact with the equipment.</li> <li>Train all employees on the proper setup, use, and care of the equipment to avoid any incorrect usage or accidents.</li> <li>Inspect the equipment thoroughly for any visible signs of damage, wear, or malfunction before use, making sure to report and replace any compromised equipment.</li> </ul>	1L	



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			<ul> <li>Do not overload electrical outlets or power boards, adhering to the manufacturer's specifications for safe operation and efficient use of electricity.</li> </ul>		
			- Use extension cords with caution, ensuring they an good condition and are rated for the specific equipment being used to and overheating and potential fires.		
			- Always disconnect equipment from the poor supply when not in use and store them securely in a designated area, free from poisture aust, and other hazards.		
			- Establish an emergency protocol, including equating the work bace with fire extinguishers or circuit break a specifically designed for extinual specifical fires should they arise.		
			- Workers must we have a prior trace encoded protective equipment (PPE) such as safety glasses every and opse-tul shoes at the times while participating in the setup and operation of glass arises entripped.		
			- Consist regular tisk to assements and afety meetings, reviewing the SWMS and updates obased or arrent best practices and considerations for the specific workplace or viron not. Encourage employee input and address any concerns that may arrest or ingequation to the setup and usage.		
			- poropute Per nal Protective Equipment (PPE): Ensure that all workers handling glass real cut-resistant gloves, safety glasses or goggles, and long sleeves to rotect the selves from cuts, abrasions, and eye injuries.		
			- cass Cutter Maintenance: Regular inspection and maintenance of glass cutting tools, including checking for dull or damaged blades, is essential to reduce the risk of injuries during glass cutting tasks.		
			<ul> <li>Training and Supervision: Provide adequate training to all workers involved in glass cutting operations, and ensure experienced supervisors are present to guide and monitor their activities.</li> </ul>		
2 Close sutting	Cute and abrasiana Eva	ЗН	- Work Surface: Use a clean, stable, and well-lit work surface covered with a non-slip rubber mat to minimise the risk of glass slipping during cutting operations.	214	
3. Glass cutting Cuts an	Cuts and abrasions, Eye h,	3П	<ul> <li>Pre-mark Cutting Lines: Clearly mark cutting lines on the glass using a grease pencil or permanent marker to increase accuracy and reduce the likelihood of mistakes leading to injuries.</li> </ul>	2M	
			<ul> <li>Proper Techniques: Educate workers on using proper techniques for applying even pressure while cutting, ensuring straight and smooth cuts without excessive force.</li> <li>This minimises the risk of cutter slip-offs and broken glass edges.</li> </ul>		
			<ul> <li>Safe Glass Handling: Instruct workers to handle glass sheets with care, using both hands and carrying them by the edges to avoid potential cuts or injuries due to mishandling.</li> </ul>		
			<ul> <li>Breakaway Technique: Train workers to use the correct breakaway technique, placing even pressure along the scoreline while supporting the glass to prevent accidents.</li> </ul>		



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			<ul> <li>Waste Disposal: Establish designated bins or containers for waste glass shards and offcuts, ensuring these are regularly emptied and properly disposed of to eliminate the risk of injury from stray glass fragment</li> </ul>		
			- First Aid: Maintain first aid kits onsite containing unaterials specifically designed for treating cuts and abrasions, such as adhesin bandages, gauze, and antiseptic solution. Train workers in first aid procedure relevant to be and encourage prompt reporting of any incidents.		
4. Glass removal	Breakage, Handlin njuries, Inadequate ventilation	ЗН		2M	

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5. Glass edging	Machine operation of the source vorse pollution	≥M		1L	



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6. Glass polishing	Dust and debris, Reportive strain injuries	2М		1L	



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7. Inspection	Slips, trips and fatur Ergonomic issues	1L		1L	

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8. Glass installation	Heavy lifting, Working unrelights	-3H		2M	

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9. Sealant application	Chemical exposure, Fumes	2М		1L	



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10. Cleanup	Sharp objects, Disposal hazards	2М		1L	

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11. Maintenance	Equipment malfunction, Electrical hazards	ЗН		1L	



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12. Documentation	Incorrect records, Miscommunication	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.

RELEVANT LEGISLATION AND CODES OF PRACTICE. DELETE THE LEG	
Queensland & Australian Capital Territory Work Health and Safety Act 2011 Work Health and Safety Regulations 2011 Legislation QLD: <u>https://www.worksafe.qld.gov.au/laws-and-compliance/work-health-and-safety-laws</u> Codes of Practice QLD: <u>https://www.worksafe.qld.gov.au/laws-and-compliance/codes-of-practice</u> Legislation ACT: <u>https://www.worksafe.act.gov.au/laws-and-compliance/codes-of-practice</u> Codes of Practice ACT: <u>https://www.worksafe.act.gov.au/laws-and-compliance/codes-of-practice</u>	Victoria Octopational Health and Safety Action of Octopational Health and Safety Action of Legistrion VIC: <u>https://www.worksafe.vic.gov.au/occupational-health-and-safety-act-and- uulations</u> Unles of watchice VICT_https://www.worksafe.vic.gov.au/compliance-codes-and-codes-practice
New South Wales         Work Health and Safety Act 2011         Work Health and Safety Regulations 2017         Legislation NSW: <a href="https://www.safework.nsw.gov.au/legal-obligations/legislatic">https://www.safework.nsw.gov.au/legal-obligations/legislatic</a> Codes of Practice NSW: <a href="https://www.safework.nsw.gov.au/resource-library/lis">https://www.safework.nsw.gov.au/legal-obligations/legislatic</a>	Western Australia Work Health and Safety Act 2020 Work Health and Safety Regulations 2022 Legislation Western Australia: <u>https://www.commerce.wa.gov.au/worksafe/legislation</u> Codes of Practice WA: <u>https://www.commerce.wa.gov.au/worksafe/codes-practice</u>
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_placev-laws Codes of Practice NT: https://worksafe.nt.gov.au/laws-and-compliance/wo_placev-laws Codes of Practice NT: https://worksafe.nt.gov.au/laws-and-compliance/wo_placev-laws	Safe Work Australia Links Law and Regulation (All States): <u>https://www.safeworkaustralia.gov.au/law-and-regulation</u> Model Codes of Practice: <u>https://www.safeworkaustralia.gov.au/resources-publications/model- codes-of-practice</u>
South Australia Work Health and Safety Act 2012 (SA) Work Health and Safety Regulations 2012 (SA) Legislation for SA: <u>https://www.safework.sa.gov.au/resources/legislation</u> Codes of Practice for SA: <u>https://www.safework.sa.gov.au/work_saces/codes-of-practice#COPs</u>	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
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: <a href="https://worksafe.tas.gov.au/topics/laws-and-compliance/codes-of-practice">https://worksafe.tas.gov.au/topics/laws-and-compliance/codes-of-practice</a> Codes of Practice for TAS: <a href="https://worksafe.tas.gov.au/topics/laws-and-compliance/codes-of-practice">https://worksafe.tas.gov.au/topics/laws-and-compliance/codes-of-practice</a>	<ul> <li>First aid in the workplace</li> <li>Managing the risk of falls at workplaces</li> <li>Hazardous manual tasks</li> <li>Managing the risk of falls in housing construction</li> <li>Managing electrical risks in the workplace</li> <li>Demolition work</li> <li>Excavation work</li> </ul>
Details of permits, licenses or access required by regulatory bodies (add or delete as required): - Permits from local council - Authorisation to commence work	<ul> <li>Work health and safety consultation, cooperation and coordination</li> <li>Managing the work environment and facilities</li> <li>How to manage work health and safety risks</li> <li>Managing risks of plant in the workplace</li> <li>Construction work</li> </ul>

- Any required documents.



#### 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	Position	Signature	Date	Time	Supervisor
			Date:		
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			Date:		

#### SAF WC A STHUD STATEMENT MONITORING AND REVIEW

The SWMS must be reviewed regularly to revised if necessary) if relevant control measure are subcontract of the SWMS and their health and safety representatives who reworkplace.

ke sure it remains effective and must be reviewed (and acception of the process should be carried out in s any subcontract s) who may be affected by the operation esentatives who recented that work group at the

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	1	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	
Name, signature, position and date signed of the person approving the SWMS.			
Specific personnel and qualifications, experience is noted in the SWMS.			
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 effectine sections.			
Responsible person is assigned and listed on the SWMS for the impement of continue measures.			
Permit requirements specified, such as Hot Work, Electrical Work, Vortat Heights etc.			
SWMS identifies plant and equipment to be up t.			
Details of inspection checks required for any equipment listed at 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.			
Identifies any hazardous substances used with specific control measures in line with any SDS.			
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SIGNATURE	DATE COMPLETED		