Meat Tenderiser	SAFE WORK METHOD ST.	ATEMENT (SWMS)	
Т	ASK OR ACTIVITY: Meat Tenderi	ser	
Business Name: [Company Name]		ABN: [ABN]	SWMS#
Business Address: [Company Address]			
Contact Person:	Phone: [Phone]	E qil:	
THIS SAFE WORK METHOD	STATEMENT IS APPROVED BY	THE P OF THE PROJECT	
Under the Work Health and Safety Regulation (WHS Regulation), a person conductive proposed work starts.	ucting a business or undertaking (H BU) is	required to thurs 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	compliance of the SWMS well as review	vs and modifications of the SWMS.	
Full Name:		Title:	Phone:
ALL PERSONNEL PARTICIPATING IN ANY ACTIVITY ON THIS WMS. ST HAVE THE FOLLOWING COMMUNICATED	N TE AND DATED SIGNATURE OF A CC. MUNICATED TO IN THE DEVELO	ALL RELEVANT PERSONNEL WHO HAVE B OPMENT 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, conduct unica those hazards and then to further take steps to either the sched or conduct eac chazard.	NAME	SIGNATURE	DATE
If an incident or a near miss occurs, all work must store unately. 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	Slips and falls, Cuts and abrasions	2М	<ul> <li>Ensure the work area is clean, dry, and free from obstacles, grease or oil which may lead to slips and falls.</li> <li>Inspect flooring for any damage, uneven or sliberry surfaces that may require repair or maintenance prior to commencing tank.</li> <li>Keep the work area organised and clear of unecessary equipment and tools.</li> <li>Provide appropriate personal protective equipment (PPE) success non-slip shoes, cut-resistant gloves, and apres.</li> <li>Train workers on proper handous techniques for mucroaderizers, including appropriate hand or on and withods to avoid cute and abrasions.</li> <li>Implement option-as-you of pollar to main or workplace hygiene and minimise risks associate with a clustered works.</li> <li>Store is not tendent and other sharp edges or faulty mechanisms that could us an injury and conduct routine maintenance as needed.</li> <li>Store is not tendent and safety guidelines in visible areas within the workspace, remixing, or orkers of potential hazards and required protocols.</li> <li>Stablish an emergency response plan to quickly address any slips, falls, or injuries in workplace, including easily accessible first aid kits and trained medical pelsionnel on site.</li> <li>Encourage open communication between employees and management, allowing for reporting of potential hazards or incidents without fear of retribution, and proactively addressing concerns to improve overall workplace safety.</li> </ul>	1L	
2. Equipment Inspection	Malfunctioning equipment, Electrical hazards	2M	<ul> <li>Conduct a thorough pre-use inspection of the meat tenderizer equipment, checking for any visible signs of damage or wear on its parts, such as the motor, casing, and blades.</li> <li>Ensure that all electrical connections, including power cords, plugs, and sockets, are in good condition and free from frayed wires, exposed wiring, or damaged insulation which could cause electrical hazards.</li> <li>Implement a regular maintenance schedule for the meat tenderizer equipment to reduce the risk of malfunctioning components. This includes cleaning, lubricating, and servicing the machine according to the manufacturer's guidelines.</li> <li>Provide proper training to employees responsible for operating the meat tenderizer, covering safe usage, hazard identification, and emergency procedures in case of an equipment malfunction.</li> <li>Ensure that employees wear appropriate personal protective equipment (PPE) during equipment inspections, such as gloves, safety glasses, and close-toed shoes, to protect against potential injuries from sharp edges and moving parts.</li> </ul>	1L	



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			<ul> <li>Verify the correct functioning of all safety features and mechanisms built into the meat tenderizer, including emergency stop buttons, safety guards, and interlocks that prevent operation if certain conditions are not metal.</li> <li>Keep the work area surrounding the meat tenencizer clean and well-lit, reducing the risk of slips, trips, and falls due to grease or nooris that could hinder equipment inspection efforts.</li> <li>Establish clear communication protocols amount members during equipment inspections, including the user of hand signals on a dible alerts or ensure everyone is aware of ongoing inspection ctivities and potent thazart.</li> <li>Periodically review conditions or the Neuron enderizer to reflect any changes in the experience or actively propate in identifying potential hazards associated with a prevence actively propate in identifying any additional control measure in any methods, suggestion boxes, or anonymous reporting systems.</li> </ul>		
3. Machinery Setup	Caught in machinery, Nursequere	ЗН	<ul> <li>Proper graining and Supervision: Ensure that all workers who will be operating the meastens rizer as sufficiently trained and supervised in its safe use, including known and p potential hazards and how to avoid them.</li> <li>Speckout/Lagout Procedures: Implement lockout/tagout procedures during the meaninery setup to prevent accidental startup or energization. This will help to protect workers from getting caught in the machinery.</li> <li>Machine Guarding: Install appropriate guards and barriers around the moving parts of the meat tenderizer to prevent accidental contact and reduce the risk of entanglement or being caught in the machinery.</li> <li>Use Personal Protective Equipment (PPE): Workers must wear appropriate PPE such as safety gloves, aprons, earplugs or earmuffs to protect their hands, body and ears from potential hazards associated with machinery setup and noise exposure.</li> <li>Inspect Machinery: Regularly inspect the meat tenderizer for any signs of wear or damage, and ensure that it is functioning correctly before use.</li> <li>Noise Reduction Measures: Implement noise control measures, such as installing noise-absorbing panels or other sound-dampening materials around the work area to reduce noise exposure to workers.</li> <li>Clear Workspace: Keep the area around the meat tenderizer clear of unnecessary</li> </ul>	2M	
			<ul> <li>equipment, tools, and other obstacles that could interfere with proper machinery setup or contribute to accidents.</li> <li>Emergency Stop Button: Ensure that the meat tenderizer is equipped with an easily accessible emergency stop button or switch that allows employees to halt its operation immediately if necessary.</li> </ul>		



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			- Safe Work Procedures: Develop and implement documented safe work procedures for the use of the meat tenderizer, encompassing tasks such as machinery setup, operation, and maintenance.		
			- Ongoing Safety Awareness: Conduct regular neety briefings and toolbox talks related to the use of the meat tenderizer, exclassing the potential hazards and proper ways to address them. This will help pointain a course of safety and ensure that all workers remain vigilant in their approach to the using with the machinery.		
4. Meat Loading	Awkward postures atrains and overexertion	2M		1L	



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5. Tenderising Process	Machinery accide L. Entraper	ЗН		2M	



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6. Product Quality Control	Biological hazards, Chemical contamination	2M		1L	

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7. Sanitisation	Chemical spills, Eye irritation	2М		1L	



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8. Maintenance Activities	Equipment failure, Accidental activation	ЗН		2М	

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9. Waste Disposal	Sharp objects, Puncture injuries	2M		1L	



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10. Manual Handling	Manual handling injuries, Muscle strain	2M		1L	

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11. Emergency Procedures	Inadequate training, Panic situations	2M		1L	

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12. Machine Shutdown	Loss of power, Unexpected shutdown	2M		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 LEG	GISLATIVE REFERENCES ANY STATE AT ARE NOT APPLICABLE
Queensland & Australian Capital Territory Work Health and Safety Act 2011 Work Health and Safety Regulations 2011 Legislation QLD: <u>https://www.worksafe.gld.gov.au/laws-and-compliance/work-health-and-safety-laws</u> Codes of Practice QLD: <u>https://www.worksafe.gld.gov.au/laws-and-compliance/codes-of-practice</u> Legislation ACT: <u>https://www.worksafe.act.gov.au/laws-and-compliance/acts-and-regulations</u> Codes of Practice ACT: <u>https://www.worksafe.act.gov.au/laws-and-compliance/codes-of-practice</u>	Victoria Ord pational Health and Safety Active 04 Occupational Health and unfetwork gulations 2017 Legislation VIC: <u>https://www.worksafe.vic.gov.au/occupational-health-and-safety-act-and- sular is</u> or des of mactice VICe. <u>attps://www.worksafe.vic.gov.au/compliance-codes-and-codes-practice</u>
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: https://www.commerce.wa.gov.au/worksafe/legislation Codes of Practice WA: https://www.commerce.wa.gov.au/worksafe/codes-practice
Northern Territory Work Health and Safety (National Uniform Legislation) Act 2011 Work Health and Safety (National Uniform Legislation) Regulation 2011 Legislation NT: <u>https://worksafe.nt.gov.au/laws-and-compliance/worplace-sect-laws</u> Codes of Practice NT: <u>https://worksafe.nt.gov.au/fect-org/d-resources/corg-sect-sect-as-on</u>	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/legulation</u> Codes of Practice for SA: <u>https://www.safework.sa.gov.au/work_aces/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
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			Date:		

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

The SWMS must be reviewed regularly to review the sure it remains revised if necessary) if relevant control measure are a conconsultation with workers (including contractors are subcontract of the SWMS and their health and safety representatives who re workplace.

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 SWN			
SWMS initial risk (IR) column as well as residual risk (RR) columns completed.			
Check control measures added to the SWMS are the most effecting sections.			
Responsible person is assigned and listed on the SWMS for the imement of cont, measures.			
Permit requirements specified, such as Hot Wey, Electrical Work, Verat Heights etc.			
SWMS identifies plant and equipment to be up t.			
Details of inspection checks required for any equipment listed approved on the SWMS.			
Describes any mandatory qualifications, experience vaining 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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