

Pool Pump And Filter SAFE WORK METHOD STATEMENT (SWMS)								
TAS	K OR ACTIVITY: Pool Pump And	Filter						
Business Name: [Company Name]		ABN: [ABN]	SWMS#					
Business Address: [Company Address]								
Contact Person:	Phone: [Phone]	E. pil:						
THIS SAFE WORK METHOD	STATEMENT IS APPROVED BY	THE PLACE OF THE PROJECT						
Under the Work Health and Safety Regulation (WHS Regulation), a person conductive proposed work starts.	cting a business or undertaking (k BU) is	required to thurs out 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. 1E AND DATED SIGNATURE OF A CO. 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, conditioned unical those hazards and then to further take steps to either condition conditions and hazard.	NAME	SIGNATURE	DATE					
If an incident or a near miss occurs, all work must structure 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:					Provide a detailed description of the specific work being carried out (otherw						
Project Address:				ŀ	known as cope of works).						
Project Manager	:										
Contact Phone:											
Project Manager	Signature:										
Date SWMS sup	plied to Project Manag	er:									
		ANY HIG	H-RISK CON TUCT		ARRIED OUT						
involves a risk of	a person falling more than	2 meters.		is carried out on of	near pressurised gas main	s or piping.					
is carried out on	a telecommunication tower			is carried out on o	is carried out on or near chemical, fuel or refrigerant lines.						
involves demoliti	on of an element of a struct	ure that is load-be		is carried out on o	☐ is carried out on or near energised electrical installations or services.						
involves demoliti	on of an element related to	the physical integrit of a st	ir 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	mporan 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 c	or 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/r	near a shaft or trench deepe	er than 1.5m or tunnel involv	ving use of explosives.	is carried out in are	eas with artificial extremes of	of temperature.					
☐ is carried out in c	or near water or other liquid	that involves a risk of drown	ning.	involves diving wo	rk.						
		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		Bobcat	E Flammable Gas	Fuel	Dozer				
High Voltage	Mulcher	Tilt-up Panels	Roller	Scissor Lift	Tractor	Other -					







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1. Preparation	Manual handling injuries, electrical hazards	2М	 Provide thorough training to workers on proper manual handling techniques and related safety measures to avoid injuries during previation. Ensure all workers are wearing appropriate Provincluding gloves, steel-toe shoes, and workplace-spec glasses where necessary. Use trolleys, carts or other material handling equipment to help lift, carry and transport heavy materials when feasible. Plan for frequent breaks and obtain of tasks are up worker to reduce the risk of repetitive strain injuries or must fatigue. Maintain a safe and workganisel work area, ensuing that there is adequate space for movement and heidling theol pumper of filter components. Follow many enturers' gradelines why area ensuing and disassembling equipment to average re-work spections of electrical cords, plugs, sockets, and systems to identify in yournage, wear that may pose an electrical hazard. Clearly displaying ignage about electrical hazards and safety protocols at the tysistel pronue awareness and knowledge among workers. Use that lockout/tagout devices on electrical sources to prevent unauthorised access and inadvertent energization during maintenance or repair work. Verify that all electrical equipment onsite has been assessed for Australian legislative compliance and ensure it bears the appropriate markings. Ensure an up-to-date maintenance record is kept for each piece of electrical equipment used in the preparation work step. Provide workers with general first aid training, as well as specific training for the treatment of injuries related to manual handling and electrical hazards. 	1L	
2. Power disconnection	Electrocution, equipment damage	ЗН	 Properly trained and authorised personnel: Only allow workers who have received adequate training in electrical safety and possess necessary permits or authorizations to handle the disconnection process. Communication and signage: Clearly communicate with all relevant team members about the power disconnection plan and place appropriate warning signs near the work area to alert people of potential hazards. Pre-work inspection: Perform a thorough inspection of the area surrounding the pool pump and filter prior to starting any disconnection work, ensuring there are no obvious hazards like tangled wires or wet surfaces. 	1L	



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			- Secure power source: Before attempting to disconnect the power, turn off the main circuit breaker or remove fuses and lockout/tagout (isolate) the energy source according to the workplace's lockout/tagout procedure.		
			- Use appropriate tools and equipment: Utilise is usated tools specifically designed for electrical work and wear personal protective equipment (PPE), such as rubber gloves and safety boots, to minimise the risk is electron on.		
			- Test for voltage: Utilise voltage testing device, the surface the circuit is de-energised before commencing with the disconnection. Conclusive monifold during the process to eliminate any accidental recorregization.		
			- Disconnecting proceeders: Follow step-by-step instructions provided by the manufacturer or equalified lectric in when disconnecting the equipment to avoid any mishand that could is sult in image of gury.		
			- Safe torking sture: Foodurage work to maintain a balanced stance while perform a tasks and could touching any conductive surfaces to reduce the risk of electric to a durit cusconnection.		
			- Double child contractions: After disconnection, double-check and confirm that all wires all contracted provide been safely disconnected and are in their proper places preven accidents upon re-booting the system.		
			- En, the y response plan: Establish and regularly review emergency response rocedul educating employees on how to respond in case an incident does occur sing the power disconnection process. Ensure emergency kits, including first aid trument and equipment, are in close proximity to the work area.		
	G		- Ensure that all personnel working in the area have received appropriate training and are aware of the standard operating procedures for pool pump and filter maintenance.		
			- Before beginning work, inspect the work area for any potential obstacles or hazards, such as wet or uneven surfaces, and take steps to rectify these issues before continuing.		
			 Place signage and barriers to indicate the ongoing work and potential wet areas, reducing the risk of unauthorised personnel entering the site and slips and trips. 		
3. Filter pressure release	Water splashing, slips and trips	2M	 Provide appropriate personal protective equipment (PPE) for workers, including slip-resistant footwear, waterproof gloves and clothing, and safety goggles to minimise water splashing hazards. 	1L	
			- Keep all necessary tools and equipment within easy reach, reducing the likelihood of overstretching or bending down in a way that could lead to slipping and tripping.		
			- When releasing filter pressure, follow manufacturer guidelines and ensure the proper valve is released slowly to prevent excessive water spraying and splashing.		
			- Use absorbent mats or rags on the ground surrounding the filter unit during the pressure release process to contain water spills and reduce slip hazards.		



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			- Regularly clean and maintain filters according to the manufacturer's recommendations, helping to prevent built-up pressure that could result in dangerous situations or equipment damage.		
			- Ensure walkways and working areas are cleaned debris, hoses, and other items that may pose a trip hazard, maintaining are userly and safe workspace.		
			- Follow a systematic approach when performing the dark, executing one step at a time and verifying completion before moving to project, minimising the chance of errors or accidents.		
			- If possible, perform the pool, ap and filter maint, approximating low-traffic times, reducing worker distance and iting exposure to the ducipated hazards.		
			- Continuously conitor we are concions, postering maintenance tasks if heavy rain or storm, are expected eading a slipper conditions and increasing the risk of accidents.		
			- Enclose effective communication and teamwork between workers, fostering a shared exponsibility or maintaining a safe working environment.		
			- Regularly review and endate the SWMS in consultation with workers to incorporate any charges in aujment, procedure, or potential hazards that may require new or a lated introl is asures.		
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4. Pump lid removal	Falling objects, slips and trips	2M		1L	



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5. Filter cartridge extraction	Manual handling injuries, the with debris/chemicals	2М		1L	



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6. Cartridge cleaning	Splashing chemicals, eye injury	2М		1L	



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7. Strainer basket cleaning	Contact with debris/chemicals, sharp objects	2M		1L	

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8. Reassembling pump	Pinching/crushing fingers, manual handling injuries	2M		1L	



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9. Reinstalling filter	Incorrect installation, manual handling injuries	2М		1L	



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10. System pressure check	Leaks, hose connection failure	2M		1L	

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11. Power reconnection	Electrocution, faulty wiring	ЗН		1L	



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12. System restart	Equipment malfunction, leaks	2М		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 LEGISLATIVE 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 Occupational Health and Safety Active 04 Occupational Health and unfetwing gulations 2017 Legismon VIC: <u>https://www.worksafe.vic.gov.au/occupational-health-and-safety-act-and- tulatures</u> Unles of mactice VICe <u>witps://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: https://www.safework.nsw.gov.au/legal-obligations/legislative Codes of Practice NSW: https://www.safework.nsw.gov.au/legal-obligations/legislative	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: <u>https://worksafe.nt.gov.au/laws-and-compliance/worplace-sets-laws</u> Codes of Practice NT: <u>https://worksafe.nt.gov.au/fecture_sourcestor_sou</u>	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				
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/wor/_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: https://worksafe.tas.gov.au/topics/laws-and-compliance/codes-of-practice Codes of Practice for TAS: https://worksafe.tas.gov.au/topics/laws-and-compliance/codes-of-practice	 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 				
Details of permits, licenses or access required by regulatory bodies (add or delete as required): - Permits from local council - Authorisation to commence 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 				

- 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:		

SAL WO 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 area of the process should be carried out in s and subcontract s) who may be affected by the operation esentatives who received 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.
- 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 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.			
REVIEWED BY	DATE RI	EVIEWED	
SIGNATURE	DATE COMPLETED		