

Tailshaft Balancer	SAFE WORK METHOD ST	TATEMENT (SWMS)	
TA	SK OR ACTIVITY: Tailshaft Balar	ncer	
Business Name: [Company Name]		ABN: [ABN]	SWMS#
Business Address: [Company Address]			
Contact Person:	Phone: [Phone]	E fil:	
THIS SAFE WORK METHOD	STATEMENT IS APPROVED BY	THE PLOOF THE PROJECT	
Under the Work Health and Safety Regulation (WHS Regulation), a person conduct the proposed work starts.	cting a business or undertaking (i BU) is	required to turn 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	compliance of the SWMS well as review	s and modifications of the SWMS.	
Full Name:		Title:	Phone:
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Safety meetings or toolbox talks will be scheded in accordance with agislative requirements to first identify any site hazards, conditions unical those hazards and then to further take steps to either the conditions of the condi	NAME	SIGNATURE	DATE
If an incident or a near miss occurs, all work must strandardly. 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.			



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		ANY HIGH	RISK CON PUCT	N' JRK BEING	CARRIED OUT				
☐ involves a risk of a p	erson falling more than 2 n	neters.		is carried out on or near pressurised gas mains or piping.					
☐ is carried out on a te	lecommunication tower.		is carried out on	☐ is carried out on or near chemical, fuel or refrigerant lines.					
☐ involves demolition of	of an element of a structure	that is load-be		is carried out on	is carried out on or near energised electrical installations or services.				
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☐ involves, or is likely t	o involve, disturbing a es	stos.		☐ involves tilt-up or precast concrete.					
☐ involves structural al	teration or repair that re	mporal, upp to p	prevent collapse.	is carried out on, in or adjacent to a road, railway, shipping lane or other traffic corridor.					
is carried out in or ne	ear 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/near	a shaft or trench deeper th	nan 1.5m or tunnel involvir	ng use of explosives.	is carried out in	areas with artificial extremes of	f temperature.			
is carried out in or ne	ear water or other liquid tha	at involves a risk of drowning	ng.	involves diving v	vork.				
		ANY H	IGH-RISK MACHINER	RY OR EQUIPMEN	NT 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 -			





FOOT HAND **HEAD HEARING** SPIRATORY FACE HIGH-VIS **PROTECTIVE** FALL SUN HAIR/JEWELLERY CLOTHING **PROTECTION PROTECTION** PROTECTION **PROTECTION** PROTE DTECTION **PROTECTION** CLOTHING **PROTECTION PROTECTION SECURED**

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.



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1. Preparation	Incorrect equipment selection, Poor housekeeping	2M	 Develop and maintain an up-to-date equipment inventory to ensure the correct selection of tools and machinery for the specific task. Provide regular training and refresher course or staff on proper equipment usage and handling, emphasising on the understation of manufacturer's guidelines and limitations. Implement a daily inspection routine for all equation tused in the balancing process, with prompt repairs and replacements a needed to act all using faulty or substandard tools. Establish a clear and penisse porkspace designates separate zones for different tasks and material, minimaling the lisk of accidents due to clutter and confusion. Display professignage are safety to mine amound the work area to remind person tell aboundations. School notential azards and personation of the work area, ensuring that waste and derive the proper of disposed of to reduce slip, trip, and fall risks. Designate a gained to ployee to supervise and approve the choice of equipment for each task, to uring that only suitable and well-maintained tools are being used. Benural elopet communication and teamwork among employees, fostering a cooper of pening maintained tools are being used. Benural elopet communication and teamwork among employees, fostering a cooper of pening maintained tools are being used. Benural elopet communication and teamwork among employees, fostering a cooper of pening maintained tools are being used. Benural elopet communication and teamwork among employees, fostering a cooper of pening maintained tools are being used. Benural elopet communication and teamwork among employees, fostering a cooper of pening maintained tools are being used. Benural elopet communication and teamwork among employees, fostering a cooper of pening maintained tools are being used. Benural elopet communication and teamwork among employees, fostering a cooper of pening maintained tools are being used. Ben	1L	
2. Safety Check	Faulty equipment, Inadequate PPE	2M	Regular equipment inspections: Conduct routine inspections of the tailshaft balancer and related equipment to identify any faults, wear, or damage before commencing work. Pre-use checklists: Implement a pre-use checklist for operators to follow in order to ensure all necessary safety checks are carried out before commencing operation. Maintenance and repair protocols: Establish clear procedures for reporting faulty equipment and ensure timely repairs and maintenance are conducted by qualified personnel.	1L	



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			- Mandatory training: Ensure all workers who operate or maintain tailshaft balancing equipment have undergone proper training in safe operation, hazard identification, and incident reporting.									
			- Appropriate PPE provision: Supply adequate sonal protective equipment (PPE) for all workers involved in the task, such as a ves, safety classes, and hearing protection, and enforce its usage.									
			- PPE compliance monitoring: Regularly monitoring appropriate PPE properly while working with the shaft balance.									
			- Emergency stop devices: Instruction and maintain emergency cop buttons on tailshaft balancing equipment train there so their usage case of an emergency.									
			- Clear signact usplay visue waiting g signs a find the work area outlining potential haze is and required by the signature of the work area outlining potential hazers.									
			- Hor eeping faint a clean and counties described workspace to minimise trip and fall hazal and containing a clean and counties a cl									
		1	- Ergol min etup: Tup the work area to be ergonomically designed, allowing workers to he corresposture and reduce strain on their bodies during prolonged operation period.									
			- computation and reporting: Encourage open communication among workers and successors for reporting safety concerns, close calls, or incidents, and review ese repeats to implement further preventive measures if necessary.									
			Conduct regular inspections of all tools, ensuring they are in proper working condition and present no risk of injury.									
											- Provide adequate storage for tools when not in use, such as toolboxes or designated shelving units, to prevent unsecured tools from falling or causing a tripping hazard.	
			- Ensure that only qualified personnel handle the tool setup process to guarantee correct and safe equipment usage.									
3. Tool Setup	Unsecured tools, Incorrect setup	2M	- Provide comprehensive training for workers involved in the tool setup process, covering relevant safety guidelines, operating procedures, and emergency protocols.	1L								
·			- Maintain detailed records of all tools, including their maintenance schedules and any incidents involving their use, to enable effective prevention of potential hazards.									
			- Clearly communicate the requirements and expectations for proper tool setup to all staff members, using both written instructions and verbal reminders during team meetings.									
			- Implement a buddy system or peer-checking procedure to ensure that multiple pairs of eyes are verifying the correct setup of tools before beginning work.									
			- Make sure the equipment has appropriate safeguards, such as protective guards or shields, to minimise the risk of injury in case of a malfunction or human error.									



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			- Encourage workers to report any unsafe conditions, faulty tools, or near misses to supervisors or management, so adjustments can be made to prevent incidents in the future.		
			- Post clear signage in the workplace area out get the steps for correct tool setup and hazard mitigation practices.		
			- Utilise visual aids, like diagrams or flowchang to proceed the step-by-step demonstrations of the correct tool setup process pring to reinforce proper procedures.		
			- Develop a schedule for routing rudits and reviews the coll setup processes, taking the opportunity or odate improve existing solly measures as needed.		
4. Disassembly	Sharp edges, Falling espects	ЗН		2M	



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5. Inspection	Visual obstruction, Ineffective ection	2M		1L	



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6. Cleaning	Slips and trips, Chemical hazards	ЗН		2M	



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7. Assembly	Pinch points, Misalignment	ЗН		2M	



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8. Balancing	Misaligned machine, Excessive vibration	3Н		2M	



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9. Quality Control	Missed defects, Faulty testing equipment	2M		1L	



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10. Packaging	Manual handling, Stra			1L	



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11. Storage	Poorly stacked matrices, Insuricient space	2M		1L	



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12. Disposal	Environmental pollution, Inadequate waste disposal			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

 $\textbf{Legislation QLD:} \ \underline{\textbf{https://www.worksafe.qld.gov.au/laws-and-compliance/work-health-and-safety-laws}$

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/legislati

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 201

Legislation NT: https://worksafe.nt.gov.au/laws-and-compliance/wo_place-syllaws

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/legislation

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.safe.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: https://www.commerce.wa.gov.au/worksafe/legislation

Codes of Practice WA: https://www.commerce.wa.gov.au/worksafe/codes-practice

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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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.			
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