## Stellafoam Ltd 2011

## USE & SAFETY PROCEDURES FOR ALLTENDORF PANEL SIZING BEAM SAW

- 1. Check for tidiness, ensuring working area is clear of obstacles, particularly the floor area.
- 2. Check the extractor is turned on and the diverting plates open.
- 3. Use ear and eye protection available from the office. Do not wear loose/flapping clothing.
- 4. Check the riving knife is in position and approximately 8mm from the edge of the blade. Never cut without the riving knife installed and never remove it for grooving purposes.
- 5. Check the extractor hood is approximately 10mm from face of work.
- 6. Do not assume the rulers are zeroed and the blade at 90 degrees. Cut a sample piece.
- 7. This machine and blade are only suitable for chipboard and MDF up to a maximum thickness of 30mm. Do not attempt to cut other types of material, material of greater thickness or material not supplied by Stellafoam.
- 8. Never put hands or any part of your body close to the saw blade, observe a 300mm no go safety zone around the saw blade. There are 2 push sticks for small pieces of work.
- 9. When using the moving beam and shelf to cut panels ensure that the right hand fence is folded away or locked in front of the cutting edge of the blade.
- 10. When using the right hand fence for through cutting of small pieces of work ensure the moving beam is locked into its fixed position.
- 11. Do not have a second person drawing work from the back of the saw until it is completely clear of the blade and fences.
- 12. Never force the work, allow the blade to cut the material. If extra pressure is needed, have the blade changed. Remember rushing causes mistakes and accidents.

## **DO NOT RUSH**

- 13. If in any doubt of procedures check with our trained personnel.
- 14. Please leave the cutting room as you would expect to find it. <u>TIDY UP</u> Small offcuts in the metal bin. Large offcuts onto pallet supplied (chargable)

DECLARATION: I am a trade person accustomed to using woodworking machinery and have had the above fully explained to me.

**SIGN** 

COMPANY	
ADDRESS	DATE

NAME