

## **SITE SPECIFIC Risk Assessment**

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## **TRADE: STAIRCASE INSTALLER**

Job No:	7591/14	Client:	HENMAN
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- Note 1: Refer to the general Safety Plan and Safe Work Method Statement.
- **Note 2:** Safe work procedures shall be implemented for the supply and use of a *hazardous chemical / substance/s* on site that complies with the material data sheet recommendations and also complies with the requirements of WHS Regulation 2011 Chapter 3 Part 3.2
- **Note 3:** all *manual tasks* to comply with the requirements of Safe Work Australia National Code of Practice for Manual Handling 2009 and /or WorkCover NSW Code of Practice Hazardous manual tasks

Note 4: Review of Control Measures - If there are any tasks that may be included by way of variation to the plans or an alternative approach to the set task, it is a requirement to carry out a "specific Risk Assessment" for the tasks.

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Job Step / Hazard	Potential Harm	Likely	Possible	Unlikely	Major	Severe	Minor	Priority	Possible Controls	Responsible Person/s	Date
Access to site / work areas - Slips, trips, falls and accessibility - Access ways not clearly defined	Slips, trips and falls		<b>✓</b>			<b>√</b>		3	Assess travel path and distance to work area  Ensure unobstructed access to site and work areas.	Site Supervisor / Staircase Installer / all workers'	
Stored materials - Slips, trips, falls and accessibility - Access ways not clearly defined	Slips, trips and falls		<b>√</b>			<b>✓</b>		2	Assess travel path and distance to work area  Ensure unobstructed access to work area.  Provide and maintain barricades to isolate material and to restrict access.  Provide designated waste areas	Site Supervisor / Staircase Installer / all workers'	
Manual handling staircase components to work area - Slips, trips, falls and accessibility -	Slips, trips and falls  Muscle strain - back injuries and cuts  Over exertion or repetitive		<b>√</b>			<b>√</b>		2	Assess travel path and distance to work area  Ensure unobstructed access to the work area  Use trained 'workers' and team lifting	Staircase Installer / all 'workers'	

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Access ways not clearly defined -	movements								Face direction of travel		
Manual tasks									Rotate 'workers' and vary tasks. Use lifting machinery, get assistance for loads which are heavy or are awkward dimensions.		
Exposure to dust / chemical vapours - Hazardous chemical - Biological -	Dust and chemical vapour inhalation / skin and eye allergies/irritations.  Respiratory problems		✓			✓		2	Use appropriate PPE - disposable dust / chemical vapour protection.	Contractor / all 'workers'	
Exposure to UV light / weather - UV light - glare Extreme temperatures	Skin cancer / sun burn -  Dehydration - heat stroke or fatigue  Sight damage		<b>√</b>			<b>√</b>		2	Reduce exposure where possible.  Monitor 'workers' condition  Adequate fluid intake  Use appropriate sun screen.  Wear appropriate PPE.	Staircase Installer / all 'workers'	
Use of electrical power tools -  Electricity - Exposure to noise - Exposure to dust - Hazardous chemicals - Biological - Equipment	Inhalation of dust - respiratory problems.  Eye and skin irritations / allergies - Sight damage Cuts		<b>\</b>			✓		2	RCD installed on mains supply / portable generator  Guards to plant and equipment fully operational.  Use stands and hooks for leads in trafficable areas  Adequate ventilation and lighting  Use trained 'workers'.  Use of appropriate PPE.	Staircase Installer / all 'workers'	
Working with pine timber and medium density fibreboard [MDF] Exposure to dust - Hazardous chemicals - Biological Tools and equipment	Inhalation of dust / fibres - respiratory problems.  Eye and skin irritations / allergies  Stuck by flying chip - sight damage		<b>√</b>			<b>√</b>		2	Use tools equipped with suitable guards and dust collection bags.  Use appropriate PPE  Make SDS available	Staircase Installer / all 'workers'	
Assemble staircase components in-situ	Slips, trips and		✓			✓		2	Establish safe work area Use trained 'workers' and	Site Supervisor / Staircase Installer / all	

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and install -  Manual tasks - Electricity -	falls  Back injuries - muscle strain / sprain  Electrical shock or electrocution								team lifting. Rotate 'workers' and vary tasks. Provide and maintain barricades to restrict access to work area. Assemble staircase in small units and in position. Assess and locate concealed services.	'workers'	
Work within open stairwell - fitting rails, posts and balustrade, nosings after installation of flight - Slips, trips, falls and accessibility - Inadequate fall prevention system / work platform - Gravity - overbalancing	Slips, trips and falls from stairwell edge.  Fall from ladder  Fractures, bruises lacerations and personal injuries		✓		✓			1	Use trained 'workers'. Secure ladder at base and top. Ensure 'workers' face the ladder when climbing up and down. Provide and maintain barricades to restrict access to work area. Use safety signage. Provide guardrail / edge protection. Provide scaffolding. Limit the use of ladders.	Staircase Installer / all 'workers'	
Work from step / extension ladder- Slips, trips, falls and accessibility - Inadequate fall prevention system / work platform - Gravity - overbalancing	Fall from ladder		<b>√</b>		✓			2	Assess travel path and distance to work area  Ensure unobstructed access to work areas.  Use scaffold as a working platform. Ensure ladders are at 4:1 slope. Secure ladder at base and top. Ensure workers face the ladder when climbing up and down ladder. Provide and maintain barricades to restrict access to work area. Limit the use of ladders	Staircase Installer / all 'workers'	
Clean up and rubbish removal - Manual handling - Exposure to dust - Hazardous chemicals - Biological	Slips, trips and falls Inhalation of dust / fibres - respiratory problems.								Ensure safe movement around work area.  Place all associated building waste and rubbish in the designated waste area		

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Access ways not clearly defined -	Eye and skin irritations / allergies								Use trained 'workers' Rotate 'workers' and vary tasks.		

I / We have consulted with  $Cape\ Cod\ Australia\ Pty$ . Limited and have mutually agreed on the above procedures. This risk assessment provides details on how I / we will manage my / our work on this  $Cape\ Cod\ Australia\ Pty$ . Limited work site.

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