

WORK METHOD STATEMENT

CONTRACTOR TEMPLATE

Contractor Details:

Contractor Company Name: TMS High Pressure Water Cleaning

ABN: 49 696 334 619

Company Address: 45 Larra Crescent, North Rocks

Name of Key Contact Representative: Paul Trampe

Contact Details: 0428-411648

Work Method Statement Details:

Work Site / Location: CAFE Cod Auth. P/L

BAC Site Contact: (name)

Work Activity Title: Brick/block cleaning

Proposed Work Date:

WMS Author/s: (name/s)

Development Date:

Related Permit To Work Number: (if applicable)

Related Work Approval Number: (if applicable)

Related Overarching Safe Work Plan: ☐ Yes ☐ No

Task No.	Tasks <small>List in sequence, the tasks involved in the work activity.</small>	Hazards <small>List the hazards relating to each task using the WHS/Q Risk Management Code of Practice 2007 as a guide as required. Consider any environmental issues where applicable.</small>	Controls <small>For each identified hazard, list the controls to be implemented based on the hierarchy of controls. Also include reference to specific work permits as required.</small>	Responsible Party <small>List the role, competency, prescribed occupation title, etc. responsible for the controls (e.g. worker, supervisor, foreperson, plant operator, electrician, dogger, etc).</small>	Risk Analysis*		
					With controls in place		
	Cleaning of bricks / Besser blocks	- Noise from machinery	Isolate machine from working area to an outdoor area where possible and wear ear protection (ear plugs)	Brick cleaner and distance to work area usually determine where machine could be placed.	LL	CL	Risk
		- Back strain	Minimise lifting over 20 kg. Full acid drum is 15 kg.	Brick cleaner	LL		
		- Chemical spills	Read material Safety sheet on handling and first aid. Lid of drum is always screwed on. Drum is positioned on a flat surface (ground or scaffold)	Brick cleaner	LL		
		- Chemical burns	Use of PPE, raincoat, gumboots, rubber gloves, hard hat, safety goggles		LL		
		- Respiration	Use of PPE and respirator (face mask) particularly when cleaning indoors where adequate ventilation has to be provided by builder/construction company.		LL		

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		- Falls	Do not work at certain heights without fall arrest system	LL		
		- injury to others	Isolate working area from other working personnel including the use of warning signs. At smaller sites like domestic sites other worker will be warned in person that brick cleaning is in progress.	LL		
Brick cleaning method that will be used:			Acid is always mixed to water! 1- Pre wet bricks/blocks, 2- Apply acid mix to bricks/blocks, usually between 10:1 to 20:1. Applied with watering cans 3- rinse surface 4- Pressure clean surface, 5- for the second clean steps 1 to 4 will repeated again.			

* Refer to the WHSQ Risk Management Code of Practice 2007 as a guide as required, (LL = Likelihood Level, CL = Consequence Level, Risk = Risk Level Assessed).
 Note: Although more than one page of the above may be required, the Monitoring, Approval & Communication sections must also be completed as part of the WMS development & implementation process.

