

## **SITE SPECIFIC Risk Assessment**

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## **TRADE: SCAFFOLDER - ERECTION**

Job No:	7565/14	Client:	O'MEALLY
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Key:	"1" action now	"2" action ASAP	"3" action ASAP

**Note 1:** Refer to the general Safety Plan and Safe Work Method Statement.

**Note 2:** All scaffolding to comply with AS/NZS 1576.1-1995 and WorkCover NSW industry standard – *erecting, altering and dismantling scaffolding - Part 1* 

**Note 3:** all *manual tasks* to comply with the requirements of Safe Work Australia – National Code of Practice for Manual Handling 2009 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.

		Likelihood				Result					
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>			✓		3	Assess travel path and distance to work area  Ensure unobstructed access to site and work areas.	Site Supervisor /all 'workers'	
Stored materials - Slips, trips, falls and accessibility - Access ways not clearly defined	Slips, trips and falls		<b>√</b>			✓		2	Assess travel path and distance to work area  Ensure unobstructed access to work areas.  Provide and maintain barricades to isolate scaffold components and to restrict access.  Provide designated storage areas for waste / rubbish	Site Supervisor / all 'workers'	
Manual tasks	Muscle strain - back injuries and cuts Over exertion or repetitive movements		<b>√</b>			<b>✓</b>		2	Use trained 'workers' and team lifting. Rotate 'workers' and vary tasks.	Contractor / all 'workers'	
Exposure to noise Plant / equipment	Hearing damage		✓			<b>✓</b>		2	Isolate plant and equipment. Use appropriate PPE	All 'workers'	

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Exposure to UV light / weather -	Skin cancer / sun burn -								Reduce exposure where possible.		
UV light - glare  Extreme	Dehydration - heat stroke or fatigue		✓			✓		2	Monitor 'workers' condition  Adequate fluid intake	Contractor / all 'workers'	
temperatures	Sight damage								Use appropriate sun screen. Wear appropriate PPE.		
Location of underground electrical, sewer, and storm water service trenches -	Scaffold collapse Fractures, bruises lacerations and personal injuries		✓		✓			3	Thorough site inspection to locate services - consultation with Owners to identify the location of the service trenches before erecting scaffold.	Site Supervisor / Approved person / Contractor	
collapse  Carry scaffolding components to ground floor work areas -  Slips, trips, falls and accessibility -  Access ways not clearly defined -  Site and weather conditions - wet site - windy and or wet conditions -  Manual tasks	Slips, trips and falls  Muscle strain - back injuries and cuts  Over exertion or repetitive movements		✓			✓		2	Assess travel path and distance to work area  Ensure unobstructed access work areas.  Use trained 'workers'.  Rotate 'workers' and vary tasks.  Use appropriate PPE	Contractor / all 'workers'	
Erect scaffold on unstable /disturbed ground Gravity - scaffold collapse - Site and weather conditions - wet site - windy and or wet conditions	Scaffold collapse Fractures, bruises lacerations and personal injuries		<b>√</b>		<b>√</b>			2	Use large sole plates  Site specific induction to identify hazard Ensure frames are adequately braced Use trained and experienced 'workers'	Contractor / all 'workers'	
Erect scaffold by lifting, carrying and placing all components - Slips, trips, falls and accessibility - Inadequate fall prevention system / work platform -	Slips, trips and falls from work platform  Back injuries - muscle sprains, strains and cuts  Fractures, bruises lacerations and personal injuries		<b>√</b>			<b>√</b>		2	Assess travel path and distance to work area  Ensure unobstructed access work areas.  Use trained and experienced 'workers'  Provide barricades to restrict access to around / under work areas.	Contractor / all 'workers'	

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Gravity - overbalancing - Site and weather conditions - wet site - windy and or wet conditions - Manual tasks - Gravity - struck by falling objects - Proximity to other 'workers' Passing scaffolding components from ground or building level - Slips, trips, falls and accessibility - Inadequate fall prevention system / work platform - Gravity - overbalancing - Site and weather conditions - wet site - windy and or wet conditions - Manual tasks - Gravity - struck by falling objects - Proximity to other 'workers'.	Slips, trips and falls from work platform  Back injuries - muscle sprains, strains and cuts  Fractures, bruises lacerations and personal injuries		~		✓			1	Ensure frames are adequately braced  Use appropriate PPE  Use SWMS  Use trained and experienced 'workers'.  Rotate 'workers' and vary tasks performed  Provide barricades to restrict access to around / under work areas.  Don't stack or store scaffold components on scaffold.  Use appropriate PPE  Use SWMS	Contractor / all 'workers'	
Site clean up on completion of work  Manual tasks  Exposure to dust - Hazardous chemicals  Biological -	Exposure to dust - Hazardous chemicals - Biological - Personal injuries - cuts and abrasions.		✓			✓		3	Remove any temporary barricades if no longer required  Place all rubbish in appropriate bins  Leave site / work area in a clean and tidy condition	Contractor / all 'workers'	

I / We have consulted with Cape Cod Australia Pty. Ltd. 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. Ltd. work site.

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