

## SITE SPECIFIC Risk Assessment

## **TRADE: SCAFFOLDER - DISMANTLE**

Job No:	7611/14	Client:	PAYNE
Address:	5 / 59 Gould Street, Bondi Beach NSW 2026	Supervisor:	David Wahba

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**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 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 task or 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		✓			✓		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		✓			✓		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	Site Supervisor / all 'workers'	
Manual tasks	Muscle strain - back injuries and cuts Over exertion or repetitive movements		<b>√</b>			✓		2	Identify the risks and plan the tasks in consultation with the 'workers'  Use task specific trained 'workers' and team lifting.  Rotate 'workers' and vary tasks	Contractor / all 'workers'	

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Exposure to noise Plant / equipment	Hearing damage		✓			✓		2	Isolate plant and equipment. Use appropriate PPE	All 'workers'	
Exposure to dust- Hazardous chemicals - Biological -	Dust inhalation - respiratory problems  Skin and eye allergies/ irritations.		✓			<b>✓</b>		2	Appropriate procedures to contain dust.  Use appropriate PPE - disposable dust 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>		2	Reduce exposure where possible.  Monitor 'workers' condition  Adequate fluid intake  Use appropriate sun screen. Wear appropriate PPE.	Contractor / all 'workers'	
Contact with o/head electrical services / point of attachment - Power lines not isolated, covered or enclosed - Working to close to electrical supply - Strong winds causing power lines to swing close to work area - Wet conditions making 'tiger tails' ineffective	Electric shock or electrocution		<b>\</b>			✓		3	Identify that the electrical service is isolated prior to work commencing  Provide 'tiger tails' [insulation] - adequately boxed adjacent to scaffold extended an appropriate distance past the boundary	Licensed Electrical Contractor or Approved person Site Supervisor Contractor / all 'workers'	
Dismantle scaffolded access tower / materials hoist - Slips, trips, falls and accessibility - Inadequate fall prevention system - Gravity - overbalancing /struck by falling objects - Manual tasks -	Slips, trips and falls from work platform  Back injuries - muscle sprains and strains  Fractures, bruises lacerations and personal injuries		<b>&gt;</b>			✓		З	Identify the risks and plan the tasks in consultation with the 'workers'  Provide barricades to restrict access to around / under work areas.  Assess travel path and distance to work area  Ensure unobstructed access to work areas.  Set up a clear work area and maintain clear travel path.  Use task specific trained	Contractor / all 'workers'	

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Weather conditions - rain and wind loading on scaffold  Scaffold / tower / hoist collapse -  Proximity to other 'workers'.									and experienced 'workers' rotate 'workers' and vary tasks  Ensure 'workers' are harnessed to scaffolding at all times when dismantling components.  Ensure 'worker' only disconnects when working on two [2] planks and protected by handrail.  When access is disconnected dismantle next lift  Ensure wall ties are only removed once shade cloth and mesh is removed and stripping has reached the level of the tie.  Use appropriate PPE		
Walking on tiles that break under foot -  Slips, trips, falls and accessibility - walking in the middle of tiles - not tile lap -  Inadequate fall prevention system / work platform -  Pitch of roof -  Windy and or wet conditions -  Gravity - overbalancing  Manual tasks	Slips, trips and falls through roof surface. Fractures, bruises lacerations and personal injuries		<b>&gt;</b>			<b>√</b>		2	Identify the risks and plan the task in consultation with the 'workers'  Assess travel path and distance to work area  Ensure unobstructed access work areas.  Use safety harness - use task specific trained 'workers'.  Provide perimeter guardrail / catch scaffold to roof surface.  Provide training on safe working at heights and on brittle surfaces.  Use appropriate PPE	Contractor / all 'workers'	
Dismantle roof perimeter edge protection - Slips, trips, falls and accessibility -	Slips, trips and falls from work platform  Back injuries - muscle sprains and strains  Fractures, bruises		✓			<b>✓</b>		3	Identify the risks and plan the tasks in consultation with the 'workers'  Assess travel path and distance to work area  Ensure unobstructed access to work areas.	Contractor / all 'workers'	

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Inadequate fall prevention system - Gravity - overbalancing - Manual tasks - Weather conditions - rain and wind loading on scaffold Proximity to other 'workers'.	lacerations and personal injuries								Use task specific trained and experienced 'workers' rotate 'workers' and vary tasks  Ensure 'workers' use safety harness at all times when dismantling components.  Scaffolder 'worker' to work back towards roof surface  Use appropriate PPE		
Ladder access to work areas - Slips, trips, falls and accessibility - Inadequate work platform - Windy and or wet conditions - Gravity - overbalancing	Fall from ladder Fractures, bruises lacerations and personal injuries		<b>√</b>		<b>√</b>			3	Identify the risks and plan the tasks in consultation with the 'workers' Use scaffold as working platform. Ensure ladder is 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	Contractor / all 'workers'	
Site clean up on completion of work  Manual tasks  Exposure to dust -  Hazardous chemicals  Biological -	Inhalation of dust - respiratory problems.  Eye and skin irritations / allergies  Personal injuries - cuts and abrasions.		<b>\</b>			<b>✓</b>		3	Place all associated building waste and rubbish in the designated waste area / skip bin  Leave site / work area in a clean and tidy condition  Remove any temporary barricades if no longer required	Contractor / all 'workers'	

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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