

RISK ASSESSMENT

Company Name: DOWSE HAULAGE

Date: 30-8-15

Review Date: 30-11-16

Assessment No: 29a

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Task: USE OF INSPECTION PITS

No.	Significant Hazards Look only for hazards which you could reasonably expect to result in significant harm e.g. slips/trips, work at height, falling objects, vehicles, electricity etc. (STEP 1)	People Affected List groups of people who may be at risk e.g. maintenance staff, contractors, cleaners, public etc (STEP 2)	Existing Controls List controls that are already in place to control the risk e.g. physical safeguards, training, personal protective equipment etc. (STEP 3)	Level of Risk Decide on the level of risk remaining. (Likelihood \ Severity)			Further Action Required List further action required to control significant risks. If there is lots to do, make an action list. (STEP 4)
				High	Med	Low	
1	Fall of vehicles & equipment into pits	Workshop Fitters Contractors Drivers	(Training) Staff made aware of fire and health hazards and the relevant precautions to be taken			X	Banksman to guide driver over pit
2	Asphyxiation		Workshop doors open if engines are running			X	
3	Head injuries on overhead vehicles		PPE to be worn			X	
4	Slips, trips & Falls (personnel)		Workshop floor cleaned every day Floors Painted in hi viz paint Signage at entrants Physical barrier around pit Fluorescent lighting in pit Pit cleaned every day			X	
5	Welding (Naked flame) Fire		Fire Extinguisher nearby			X	Fire watchman
6	Dedicated pit equipment		Air and 110v Tools used in workshop			X	

Action Timescale Guidelines

High Risk – Action Immediately

Medium Risk – Action within 2 Months

Low Risk – Re-assess after next review