

SAFE WORK PRACTICE

TITLE	Use of Tiger Torches
GENERAL	Protecting workers from injuries associated with the use of tiger torches.
APPLICATION	The primary function of the tiger torch is to preheat piping systems prior to welding
PROTECTIVE MECHANISMS	Safe work practise Permit system Manufacturers specifications PPE Fire protection
SELECTION AND USE	As per safe work procedure Manufacturers specifications
SUPERVISOR RESPONSIBILITY	Supervisors are responsible to facilitate and/or provide proper instruction to their workers on protection requirements and training Hazard analysis Work site inspection
WORKER RESPONSIBILITY	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Ensure you are conversant with the operation if equipment. 2. Follow proper procedures for lighting torch. 3. Ensure fuel lines are in good working conditions. 4. Ensure proper cylinders are secured and regulators in place. 5. When not used fro pre-heating operation, shut torch off. 6. Torches are not to be used for heating or thawing of lines where known hydrocarbons are present.
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