

STATIC Plant Hazard Assessment Form



Assessment Number: 1.2	Assessment Date: 30/4/2026
Plant Type: Portable HALOGEN Light Tower Plant Make: Terex Plant Model: 4000 Asset/Fleet/Rego No: LIGHTOW Serial No(s): 4ZJSL141451, 4ZJSL141051M18145, 4ZJSL121X91002738	Assessment Facilitated by: Leigh Evans (Admin/Accounts Manager) Assessment Participants: Christopher Feldbauer (Director)
Plant Owner Name: Northern Hire Group	Follow up Assessment (See Revision No below)
Site/Job Specific Assessment Required? YES When completing the checklist, consider the hazards that may affect: • plant operators & anyone working, or in the vicinity of, the plant • others who could be affected, such as visitors, pedestrians, contractors, etc. • possible damage to surrounding areas including structures & environment	

Is the plant designed to perform the task? Yes

Has the plant been modified from the original condition? No

Is the plant in good working condition and free of weeds & mud? Yes

All identified action items closed out/addressed (plant checks)? Yes

Is the plant safe to operate? (On completion of PHA and action closure) Yes

Date: 30/4/26

Signature:

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Risk / Opportunity Rating Table (see [Risk Management Consultation Process Appendix](#) for a full description of Risk Consequence, Opportunity Consequence and Likelihood Ratings)

Likelihood rating	<i>Almost Certain</i>	D	C	B	A	A
	<i>Likely</i>	D	D	C	B	A
	<i>Possible</i>	E	D	C	C	B
	<i>Unlikely</i>	E	E	D	C	B
	<i>Rare</i>	E	E	D	D	C
		1	2	3	4	5
		Consequence rating				

Action and Approval Scheme

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- Whether the risk / opportunity is being controlled to a level that is reasonably achievable;
- Whether it would be cost-effective to further control risk or capture the opportunity;
- Whether the user/hirer wishes to tolerate risks / opportunities of that type

Action Table

Residual risk / opp level	Suggested action	Timing of status report and management plans	Authority for continued toleration or improvement of residual rating.
A	Take action to eliminate or implement additional controls to reduce it to acceptable level (ALARP/SFAIRP). "Onsite activities" – Intolerable and activity must not commence	Report as soon as practicable. Normally within hours.	Senior Executive Manager Plus Project Manager / Project Leadership Team
B	Implement additional controls reduce it to ALARP/SFAIRP. "Onsite activities" – must not commence without Corporate Management review	Manage and re-evaluate risk / opportunity to allow reporting days.. Manage and re-evaluate risk / opportunity to allow reporting every two weeks	General Manager and / or Project Manager / Project Leadership Team
C	Implement additional controls reduce it to ALARP/SFAIRP. "Onsite activities" – must not commence without Site Management review	Manage and re-evaluate risk / opportunity to allow reporting monthly	"Specialist" Manager, eg Construction or Design Manager
D	Will still require attention within existing operations to reduce to ALARP/SFAIRP. "Onsite Activities" – Site Management must determine appropriate level of management and supervision prior to commencement of activity	Manage and re-evaluate risk / opportunity to allow reporting every quarter	Team Leader
E	Lower priority. May be tolerable. .	Monitor, manage and carryout activity in accordance with identified controls	Supervisor

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This document has been developed as a guide to identify hazards on plant only.

This Risk Assessment has been conducted to the guidelines as detailed in the Worksafe booklet "Plant Hazard Checklist"

Workplace hazards have not been identified.

Job safety analysis (J.S.A) / Safe Work Method Statement (SWMS) are required to identify workplace hazards.

Operators must take into account Job Safety Analysis when operating mobile plant.

This assessment is conducted under a static condition as per Occupational Health & Safety Regulations Victoria 2017. A site specific assessment should be conducted at each change of location. Refer to Plant Regulations/National Standards for Plant (NOHSC).

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Disclaimer:

This Mobile Plant Hazard & Risk Assessment does not eliminate the Owner/Operator responsibility to maintain the Mobile Plant as per OH & S Regulations Victoria 2017/National Standards for Plant (NOHSC).

This assessment provides information that is based on an inspection that was made on the date noted on the assessment cover sheet. If any addition, alteration or modification has been made to this mobile item plant subsequent to that date, it may not confirm to a satisfactory level of acceptance.

All hazards identified in this document must be rectified within 21 days of date listed on this form.

If faults are not rectified in 21 days, this document becomes null and void.

I acknowledge receipt of the complete Assessment for the Mobile Plant item detailed on the cover sheet.

Supervisor/Operator Name:

Supervisor/Operator Signature:

Date: / /

	A	B	C	D	E
1	H	H	H	M	M
2	H	H	M	M	L
3	H	M	M	L	L
4	M	M	L	L	L
5	M	L	L	L	L

Hazard Risk Assessment

H	High Risk - INTOLERABLE (Significant & Urgent Action(s) required - Immediate Action)
M	Medium Risk (Reduce risk to ALARP - As Low As Reasonably Practicable)
L	Low Risk - Tolerable (monitor and manage risk)

Likelihood of Occurrence

1. Expected to occur (once per week)
2. Common (once per month)
3. Rarely (once in < 20 years)
5. Highly unlikely (once in > 20 years)

Severity of Result

A. Fatality
B. Permanent Disability
C. Lost Time Injury (LTI)
D. Medical Treatment/Damage
E. First Aid Injury

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	Y	N	N/A							
1. Are there any specific warnings or conditions (manufacturers or other) relating to potential hazards from the operation of the item of plant? - Refer to technical or operating manuals, SOPs, safe use instructions - List any relevant safety warning hazards & controls	Y			Potential Hazard (site specific)	Refer to Operator Manual					
2. Are there any <u>COMMUNICATION</u> requirements in relation to the safe operation of the plant? - Active signalling processes. - Point to point communications. - Whistle - Spotter (with/without whistles) - Flag signalling - Labels and signage	Y			Potential Hazard (site specific)	Refer to Operator Manual					
3. Can anyone be <u>ENTANGLED</u> in the plant? - Hair or other body parts caught in moving parts - PPE caught in moving parts - Isolation devices - Warning decals - Guarding - Rotating parts - Emergency stops	Y			Injury caused by contact with moving parts	Maintain exclusion zone around work site. Keep body parts, loose clothing, hair and jewellery away from moving parts					

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4. Can anyone be CRUSHED or TRAPPED? (e.g. through unexpected movement, lack of capability for plant or equipment to be slowed, stopped or immobilised, plant tipping or rolling, being thrown from plant) ▪ Emergency stop (E Stop) ▪ Service or parking brake ▪ Battery isolator ▪ ROPs/FOPs ▪ Being crushed between moving parts ▪ Unexpected movement ▪ Neutral Start ▪ Reversing/travel alarm ▪ Warning horn ▪ Amber flashing beacon ▪ Rear swing warning lights ▪ Pedals non slip surface ▪ Appropriate controls ▪ Rear view mirror ▪ Seat belt ▪ Door inter locks ▪ Crush zone decals ▪ Guarding devices ▪ Mandatory secondary protection device installed on all boomtype MEWP	Y			Falling, uncontrolled or unexpected movement of plant or load. Tipping or rolling over. Effects of wind and weather.	Vehicle is to be parked on solid, stable ground with jockey wheel lowered and handbrake engaged. Safety chains must be attached each time the trailer is attached to a vehicle. Do not exceed the maximum weight limit of the vehicle. Use part brake at all times while stopped. Wheel chocks must be used when on a slope of any grade. No person is to ride on the trailer while vehicle is in motion. Disconnect breakaway brake cable Outriggers engaged Pre-operation check of vehicle and trailer is recommended. Replace and repair any damaged items. Workers to keep clear of mast and light unit while raising and lowering					
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					Workers must not mount the unit for any reason. Client must risk assess workplace for the effects of weather and high winds.					
5. Can anyone be CUT, STABBED or PUNCTURED? - Flying objects - Moving parts - Pinch points - Sharp edges - Isolation devices - Warning decals - Guarding	Y			Injury from contact with moving parts	Keep body parts, loose clothing, hair and jewellery away from moving parts					
6. Can SHEARING occur? - Between two moving and rotating parts - Between fixed and moving parts - Warning decals - Guarding		N								
7. Can ABRASION, TEARING or STRETCHING occur? - Continuous contact with moving parts - Warning decals - Guarding - Pulling/pushing		N								

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8. Can anyone be STRUCK whilst operating the plant? ▪ Plant disintegrating ▪ Mobility of plant travelling ▪ Reversing/travel alarm ▪ Amber flashing beacon ▪ Work pieces thrown out ▪ Moving parts ▪ Warning decals ▪ Guarding	Y			Injury from uncontrolled or unexpected movement Effects of wind and weather	Installation and operation of unit may require a SWMS under state legislation – check local requirements Avoid installing unit near trenches, pits, cut-ins, ditches and other drop offs or areas where ground stability may be an issue. Pre-operation check if vehicle and trailer is recommended. Replace and repair any damaged items. Trailer must not be placed on slopes greater than 20°. Trailer must not be disconnected on slopes. Wheel chokes are to be used when trailer is disconnected/parked. Handbrake must be applied Lower jockey wheel Disconnect breakaway brake cable Outriggers engaged					
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9. Can a hazardous PRESSURE be produced? - Hydraulic hoses - Radiator - Come into contact with fluids under high pressure		N								
10. Can an ELECTRICAL hazard be created? - Lack of insulation - Contact with electrical conductors - Poor earthing - Water near equipment - Lack of isolation - Warning decals	Y			Injury from contact with electrical components or overhead/underground electrical services Shock during maintenance	Site induction and planning is the responsibility of the principal contractor Ensure all site personnel receive appropriate instruction on all electrical service locations and associated control measures. Minimum approach distances must be adhered to at all times The plant must be isolated prior to maintenance. Safety labels must be maintained					

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11. Can an EXPLOSION or LOSS OF CONTENTS occur? ▪ Gas emission, ▪ Dusts ▪ Vapours, lubricants ▪ Fuel tank ▪ Storage of haz chemicals/ DG's near plant ▪ Warning decals ▪ Ejection of workpiece ▪ Collapse or fragmentation		N								
12. Can anyone using or near the plant SLIP, TRIP or FALL? ▪ Uneven surface ▪ Fall from a height ▪ Weather conditions ▪ Slippery surfaces		N								
13. Are there ERGONOMIC - MANUAL HANDLING hazards associated with the plant? ▪ Poor posture ▪ Repetitive or sustained movements ▪ Awkward positions ▪ Strained movements ▪ Poorly designed seating ▪ Access and egress ▪ Access for maintenance ▪ Routine inspections and adjustments		N								

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14. Are there ERGONOMIC - OPERATING CONTROL hazards associated with the plant? ▪ Difficult to understand ▪ Inappropriate colouring ▪ Function not identified ▪ Inappropriate controls & switches ▪ Access and egress ▪ Labelling of controls and indicators ▪ Variation in operators ▪ Operation by two or more persons		N								
15. Are there specific requirements for ISOLATION of energy sources? ▪ Hydraulic pressure ▪ Compressed gases ▪ Electrical feeds/capacitors ▪ Motive power systems ▪ Suspended loads ▪ Operation by two or more persons		N								
16. Can unplanned LOSS of POWER create a hazard? ▪ Engine shutdown ▪ Loss of electrical supply ▪ Loss of steering systems ▪ Ability to apply brakes and stop ▪ Ability to lower suspended loads	Y			Potential Hazard (site specific)	Site specific risk assessment required					

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17. Can anyone be SUFFOCATED? ▪ Lack of oxygen ▪ Contaminated atmosphere ▪ Confined spaces ▪ Spaces where air flow is inadequate		N								
18. Does operation of the plant cause extreme TEMPERATURE changes? ▪ Fire ▪ Burns through conduction ▪ Convection ▪ Cryogenic burns ▪ Operation in extreme heat or cold		N								
19. Can a FIRE occur? ▪ Friction ▪ Ingress of materials/fluids ▪ Build-up of materials/lubricants ▪ Fuels ▪ Fire extinguisher		N								
20. Can certain WEATHER conditions create a hazard? ▪ Hypothermia / extreme cold ▪ Heat stroke / extreme hot ▪ Wet conditions ▪ Electrical storms ▪ Dirt & mud on roads at egress points	Y			Effects of wind and weather	Client must risk assess workplace for the effects of weather and high winds.	D				

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21. Does VIBRATION of the plant create a hazard? - Plant becomes unstable - Causes physical problems for the operator whilst operating - Vibration of equipment - Operation could cause unacceptable vibration levels in nearby structures		N								
22. Can the plant emit toxic FUMES or VAPOURS? - Exhaust fumes - Chemicals - Haz chemicals/DG's	Y			Injury from exposure to fumes	Use only in well ventilated area. Allow engine to cool before refuelling.					
23. Carry out NOISE survey on page 14. Is the plant noisy? - Emit >85 dBA at the operator - Effects operator communication - Noise impacts on community during out-of-hours work (including reversing beepers)		N								
24. Carry out the LIGHT survey on page 14. Is there poor visibility - At the controls - At the task - Darkens surrounding areas - Light impacts on community or sensitive natural environment during out-of-hours work	Y			Potential Hazard (site specific)	A site specific risk assessment must be undertaken by client to determine controls, PPE & exclusion zones					
25. Does the plant emit RADIATION? - Eg X-rays - EMR - Laser		N								

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26. Can operation of the plant create DUST? - Explosive atmosphere - Breathing hazard - Reduced visibility - Nuisance dust at nearby community - Impact on local flora and fauna - Loss of topsoil and spread of weeds and pathogens		N								
27. Can the plant become UNSTABLE during operation? - Working on uneven / unstable ground - Shifting load - Lack of plant support - Outriggers	Y			Injury from uncontrolled or unexpected movement Effects of wind and weather	Avoid installing unit near trenches, pits, cut-ins, ditches and other drop offs or areas where ground stability may be an issue. Trailer must not be placed on slopes greater than 20° Trailer must not be disconnected on slopes. Wheel chokes are to be used when trailer is disconnected/parked. Client must risk assess workplace for the effects of weather and high winds.	D				

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28. Could LOSS of LOAD occur? ▪ Failure of ropes/slings ▪ Overloading ▪ Entanglement in surrounding structures ▪ Maintenance requirements		N								
29. Is there anything in the SURROUNDING ENVIRONMENT that may produce a hazard? ▪ Power lines ▪ Low ceiling ▪ Other plant ▪ Storage areas ▪ Co-located equipment ▪ Isolation requirements ▪ Potential for flash flooding if operating adjacent to waterways ▪ Operating in known areas of weeds, pathogens or contamination ▪ Operating in sensitive environments requiring protection from offsite weeds/pathogens or spills	Y			Potential Hazard (site specific)	A site specific risk assessment must be undertaken by client to determine controls, PPE & exclusion zones.	D				
30. Can CHEMICALS create a hazard? ▪ Leaking from plant ▪ Splashing ▪ Explosion ▪ PPE considerations ▪ Spill kit considerations		N								

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31. Operator TRAINING / QUALIFICATIONS? ▪ Training requirements ▪ Qualification requirements ▪ Competency assessments ▪ Documentation ▪ Operator's manual ▪ Equipment experience ▪ Product knowledge	Y			Operation by persons who are not suitably qualified or experienced may result in injury to person, damage to property, and may also void insurance cover.	This equipment may only be moved and operated by persons who have been instructed in the proper use of plant and have proven their qualifications to the owner/contractor All operators must completely read and understand the Operator Manual prior to operating plant.					
32. Are there ANY OTHER potential hazards generated by or during the use of this item of plant and/or any attachments?		N								

ALL OPERATORS OF THE PLANT OR EQUIPMENT MUST BE BRIEFED ON THE PLANT HAZARD ASSESSMENT (PHA) PRIOR TO FIRST TIME USE.

ANY RELEVANT CONDITIONS WHICH MAY IMPACT ON THE OPERATION OF THIS ITEM OF PLANT OR EQUIPMENT MUST BE TRANSFERRED TO THE AMS/TRA.

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NOISE REPORT			
Equipment Type:	Light Tower	Serial/Asset No.	
Make:	Terex	Model:	4000
Test by (print):		Date:	
Signature:			
Sound Level Meter Unit Used:			
Manufactures specified noise level:		dBA	
Background level:		dBA	
Results – Operator’s Station (Equipment Operating)		dBA	High Idle
		dBA	Low Idle
Comments:			
Results – Bystander Position: At 7 metres from side of equipment – Equipment Operating (High Idle)			
Front		dBA	
Rear		dBA	
Left		dBA	
Right		dBA	
Comments:			

LIGHTING REPORT			
Test by (print):		Date:	
Signature:			
Lux Meter used:			
Results – Operator’s station			
At controls		Lux	
At emergency control		Lux	
In front/over task		Lux	
Left side task		Lux	
Right side task		Lux	
Comments:			
Results – Surroundings:			
Clearly seen by others?		☐ Yes	☐ No
Decrease lighting in walkways?		☐ Yes	☐ No
Decrease lighting to other workstations?		☐ Yes	☐ No
Comments:			

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