

## IMPORTANT SAFETY INSTRUCTIONS AND PRECAUTIONS

This booklet contains important information for the use and safe operation of this high pressure cleaner. Read and understand all warnings before you start using the unit.

**WARNING: When using this high pressure cleaner:**

1. Read all instructions before using this high pressure cleaner.
2. Know how to start and stop the unit and bleed pressure quickly. Be quite familiar with the controls.
3. Follow the maintenance and fault finding procedures outlined in this manual.
4. Keep operating area clear of all persons.
5. To prevent fire hazards, do not use near inflammables such as: gasoline, grain dust, solvents, thinners etc.
6. Stay alert and hold the lance strongly as high pressure cleaners jets produce a strong reaction force
7. This unit is not to be operated by children, teenagers or impaired persons (ie. people under the influence of drugs, alcohol etc).
8. Do not overreach or stand on unstable supports.
9. Read carefully the instructions concerning earthing and extension cords.
10. Do not pull electrical cable in order to unplug the unit.
11. Do not effect temporary repairs on worn or damaged electrical cords and plugs. Have worn, cut or damaged cords and plugs replaced by an authorised service person/electrician.
12. To reduce the risk of electric shock/damage do not aim the water jet onto the unit or any other electrical part and always wear rubber-soled footwear when operating the unit.
13. When using extension cords, it is essential to follow the instructions given in this manual under "EXTENSION CORDS". Wrong choice of wire dimensions can damage and impair the operation of the unit.
14. Keep the unit in a dry building where there is no danger of freezing.
15. Do not exceed the maximum temperature and pressure indicated in the technical data.
16. Never aim the jet in the direction of human beings, because the water jet comes out of the nozzle at high speed with high pressure.
17. Do not pull on high-pressure hose in order to move the unit.
18. Use only high-pressure hoses supplied by Spitwater Australia. In the case of defects, never try to bind up defective hoses, replace them.
19. Do not work in the rain or during thunderstorms.
20. When the unit is working, do not cover and do not place in a closed space where ventilation is insufficient.
21. When finishing work, always secure the handpiece with the lock catch.
22. To prevent injuries always disconnect power plug before disassembling any part of the unit or effecting any servicing and before leaving the machine.
23. All servicing and maintenance procedures should be carried out by an authorised service person using spare parts supplied by Spitwater Australia.
24. Local regulations and standards as to the installation and operation of high-pressure cleaners must be observed.

**WARNING: RISK OF INJECTION OR INJURY - DO NOT DIRECT JET STREAM AT PERSONS**

**SAVE THESE INSTRUCTIONS**

**READ WITH ATTENTION THE WARRANTY CARD AND MAIL COPY ON THE DATE OF SALE**

### ELECTRICITY SUPPLY AND EARTHING INSTRUCTIONS

The SPITWATER range of high-pressure cleaners should always be connected to an appropriately earthed power outlet with voltage and current supply matching the ones listed in the data plate affixed on the unit.

**WARNING: -This appliance must be earthed to avoid the risk of electrocution should a breakdown / malfunction occur.**

All electrical connections and fittings used in installing this unit should be in accordance with local standards and regulations and all electrical work during installation and maintenance should be carried out by a qualified electrician.

### EXTENSION CORDS

The use of extension cords should be avoided wherever possible by using longer high-pressure hoses.

If an extension cord must be used it must be a commercial / industrial grade cord designed for outdoor use. The extension cord must have an electrical rating not less than the one of the unit and have an earthing wire.

Extension cords should be kept dry, away from traffic, sharp edges and heat to avoid the risk of electrocution. Connections should not be touched with wet hands and the extension cord should be disconnected from the power outlet prior to disconnecting the unit from the extension cord.

**Note: Maximum length of extension cord allowed is 10 meters (30 feet).**