Do not use this machine unless an instructor or shop supervisor has instructed you in the safe use and operation and has authorized you to operate this equipment!

**Equipment/Machine:** VERTICAL PANEL SAW

**Make/Model Number:**

**Description of Work:** Use/operate a vertical panel saw.

**Potential Hazards:** Exposed moving parts and electrical hazard with the potential to cause harm through entanglement, exposure to noise, dust, projectiles and sharp objects.

### Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) Required

- **Gloves**
- **Facial Protection**
- **Eye Protection**
- **Hearing Protection**
- **Safety Footwear**
- **Protective Clothing**
- **Welding Mask**

### Safe Work Procedure Checklist:

**1. PRE-Operation:**

- Task (e.g. Drawings, instructions, specifications etc) is clearly understood.
- Check that all safety guards are in position and are set to the minimum clearance from the work surface being cut.
- Locate and make sure you are familiar with the ON/OFF switch and emergency stop button.
- Ensure all locks are securely tightened.
- Start the dust extraction unit prior to commencing work (if applicable).
- Identify ON/OFF switch and emergency stop button (if applicable).

**2. Operation:**

- Allow machine to reach maximum revolutions before operating to avoid overloading.
- Never remove off cuts whilst the saw is running.
- Never leave the machine while it is running.
- Before making adjustments switch off and bring the machine to a complete standstill.

**3. POST-Operation:**

- Switch off machine and leave work area and machine in a safe and clean state.
- Make sure good housekeeping practices are in place to minimize dust build-up.