

Ecoserv Group Ltd

Stables 1, Howbery Park, OX10 8BA

Location: ***Address Including Postcode***

Title : Scrubber Dryer Operation	Date of Assessment : 10/08/2023	Risk Assessor : Stephen Jones
Risk Assessment Reference : Scrubber Dryer Operation	People involved in making this assessment : Stephen Jones	
Task/ Process : Use of Scrubber Dryer	People at Risk : Employees, Contractors, Members of the Public	

Hazard : Equipment Fit for Use Equipment that is faulty could lead to risk of electrical shock to the user, or not completing the task to to equipment failure

Control Measures:

1. Before use, carry out a visual inspection of the equipment to include the following:
2. Scrubber dryer tank has clean water and cleaning solution in it
3. Confirm the waste water tank is empty
4. Ensure the tray is free from debris
5. Ensure the front and rear blades are not torn
6. Inspect the cable for any kinks, cuts, bare wires and ensure the plug is not damaged. If there is a DNU label DO NOT USE the equipment.
7. Ensure the pipe work is not blocked
8. Ensure the scubber dryer is fully charged prior to use

Hazard : Authorised Operation Use by untrained staff could lead to injury to the user and other personnel

Control Measures:

1. Ensure the area to be scrubbed is segregated from others by the use of signage / barriers
2. A record of training must be maintained, in order to evidence authorised staff members to be kept in the site file.
3. Carefully apply de-greaser to the floor area taking care to not slip during the activity
4. Conduct the machine operation by running it over the floor, ensuring the water is collected during the operation
5. On completion, ensure the area is dry and not slippery before removing signage / barriers

Hazard : Wear issued uniform and footwear When staff are task focussed on clearing activities, they may not be aware of their surroundings, high visibility clothing will alert other personnel to their presence and safety clothing will add protection to the users

Control Measures:

1. All operators are to wear their issued uniform, including safety trousers, safety shoes, mask, gloves, Hi Vis vest
2. Only authorised staff are to operate the scrubber dryer

Hazard : Close Down Operation Incorrect close down could lead to damage to the machine which in turn could lead to injury to the next operator
Control Measures:
1. Ensure the scrubber dryer is switched off
2. Empty the waste water into an approved drain, for waste water
3. If hazardous waste has been cleaned, empty the waste water into a separate container, label it as hazardous waste and inform your manager of its location, so it can be disposed of correctly, via a certified waste carrier
4. Once the scrubber dryer is empty, replace the machine in its designated storage area and place back on charge, ready for its next use
5. Dispose of any disposable PPE in the waste bin provided

Documents Associated with this Risk Assessment:	
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