Safe Work Procedure

**NOTE: DO NOT use this equipment unless you have been trained in its safe use and operation**

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| Description of Work: | Operation of a Liquid Petroleum Gas (LP Gas) fuelled BBQ |
| Gas Barbeque   http://imgc.classistatic.com/cps/blnc/130129/225r1/0953i0b_20.jpeg | **Potential Hazards:*** Fire and explosion
* Temperature
* Slips/trips/falls
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| **Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) Required** *(Check the box for required PPE*): |
| hand protectionGloves | dust maskFace Masks | safety gogglesEyeProtection | face shieldWelding Mask | foot protectionAppropriateFootwear | hearing protHearing Protection | safety apronProtective Clothing |
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|  **Safe Work Procedure Checklist:** |
| 1. PRE-Operation:LP Gas cylinders:* Only fill LP Gas cylinders at authorised filling stations employing trained personnel
* Avoid overfilling LP Gas cylinders
* Ensure the LP Gas cylinder is undamaged, free of corrosion/ damaged fittings and avoid using cylinders with a test date older than ten years
* Follow the connection instructions supplied with the LP Gas cylinder and avoid fitting a LP Gas cylinder to a natural gas appliance

BBQ fuelled by a LP Gas cylinder:* Ensure a regulator is used between the LP Gas cylinder and the appliance unless the BBQ is designed for high pressure gas
* Check that fittings are clean and tight -- use soapy water to check for leaks
* Only use the BBQ outdoors in well ventilated and well lit areas and avoid use in high winds
* Ensure a fire blanket or suitable fire extinguisher is available

2. Operation:* Operate BBQ as per manufacturer’s instructions
* Ensure that the lit BBQ is in the care of a responsible adult at all times
* Never put any flammable liquid on a BBQ
* Ensure adequate space is available for holding unprepared and prepared food and use appropriate BBQ implements

3. POST-Operation:* Shut off the cylinder valve prior to disconnecting the LP Gas bottle from the BBQ
* Remove all excess fat from the hot plate and drip tray once cooled.
* Ensure valves are turned off firmly when not in use
* Store LP Gas cylinders upright and secured on a firm level base away from any ignition source
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| **Competent Persons** (The following persons are authorised to operate, supervise and test students on the equipment/process). |
| **Name:** | **Title:** | **Contact Details:** |
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