DO NOT use this equipment unless you have instructed been in its safe use and operation.

**Description of Work:** Operation of a Liquid Petroleum Gas (LP Gas) fuelled BBQ

**Potential Hazards:**
- Fire and explosion
- Temperature
- Slips/trips/falls

**Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) Required** (Check the box for required PPE):
- Gloves
- Face Masks
- Eye Protection
- Welding Mask
- Appropriate Footwear
- Hearing Protection
- Protective Clothing
- Suitable Apron

**Safe Work 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

**Competent Persons** (The following persons are authorised to operate the equipment).
## Operational Safety Guideline 
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