

## HEAT GUN (LEISTER) Safe Operating Procedure Updated October 19, 2022 Page 1 of 1

Hazards	fires, burns, electrical
Tools/Equipment	
Employee Group(s)	Facilities Management - Carpentry

## **Required PPE:**









Eye Protection

Gloves

Respirator

Safety Shoes

## **SAFE WORK PRACTICES**

- Do not perform the procedure or operate the equipment until you have been appropriately trained and authorized to do so by your supervisor.
- Inspect required personal protective equipment (PPE) and replace if required.
- Do not wear loose-fitting clothing, dangling jewelry, etc.
- Always be aware of surroundings.
- Ensure fall protection plan is in place.
- Ensure hot work is done as noted in Hot Work Program.

## **PROCEDURE**

- 1. The gun is used for heating roofing membranes only (takes the place of a torch).
- 2. Do not use in damp weather.
- 3. Inspect the area for flammable material before starting.
- 4. Avoid breathing in vapors.
- 5. Do not touch hot element.
- 6. Make sure switch is off when plugging in extension cord.
- 7. After job is completed, turn unit on low for 10 minutes before shutting it completely off.