Chain Saw Bar Maintenance

Facility:	Written By:	Approved By:	Date Created:	Date of Last Revision

Hazards Present:	PPE or Devices Required:	Additional Training Required:
Pinch Points	Steel toed boots	
	Face shield	
	Eye protection	
	Hand protection	

Safe Work Procedure:

- 1) Ensure appropriate bar is used
- 2) Inspect for bolt tightness, cracks and defects
- 3) When tightening nuts on the bar, always hold bar nose up
- 4) Clean bar groove and oil hose
- 5) Ensure bar is receiving oil
- 6) Grease roller and sprocket nose
- 7) Remove any burred edges on the bar
- 8) Check bar straightness
- 9) Check for pinched or uneven bar groove
- 10) Reverse bar for uneven wear

If an emergency situation occurs while conducting this task, or there is an equipment malfunction, engage the emergency stop and follow the lock out procedure

REPORT ANY HAZARDOUS SITUATIONS TO YOUR SUPERVISOR

Guidance Documents/Standards:	This Safe Work Procedure will be reviewed any
	time the task, equipment or materials change and
MB Workplace Safety & Health Act & Regulations:	at a minimum of every three years
6 Personal Protective Equipment	Reviewed By WSH Committee:
16.27 Chain Saw Requirements	
	Date: