SOP (DISC HARROW)

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TASK	Disc harrow					
HAZARDS	Flying debris		Heat / cold		Electricity	
	Cuts / laceration		Exposure	\boxtimes	Struck-by	\boxtimes
	Pinch / crush		Noise / vibration		Plant interaction	
	High pressure		Falling	\boxtimes	Entrapment	\boxtimes
PPE REQUIRED						

PRE-START CHECKS

- 1. Inspect the disc harrow for any visible damage, worn-out discs, or loose bolts.
- 2. Check fluid levels, including hydraulic fluids, and top up if necessary.
- 3. Ensure all safety guards and shields are in place and functioning properly.
- 4. Verify that all connections and hitch points are secure.

SAFE OPERATING PROCEDURE

- 1. Ensure all personnel are trained and authorized to operate the disc harrow.
- 2. Wear appropriate personal protective equipment (PPE), including gloves, eye protection, and hearing protection.
- 3. Follow manufacturer's guidelines for safe operation, including speed and depth settings.
- 4. Be aware of surroundings and hazards, such as uneven terrain, obstacles, and buried utilities.
- 5. Use caution when turning, reversing, or operating near edges to prevent accidents.

POST-OPERATION PROCEDURE

- 1. Park the disc harrow in a designated area and turn off the engine.
- 2. Perform a final visual inspection for any damage or debris.
- 3. Clean the disc harrow and remove any residue or debris to prevent corrosion and damage.
- 4. Secure the disc harrow and store any detachable parts or accessories properly.
- 5. Report any issues or incidents encountered during operation to the appropriate personnel.

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