SOP (LIGHTING TOWER)

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TASK	Lighting Tower					
HAZARDS	Flying debris		Heat / cold		Electricity	\boxtimes
	Cuts / laceration		Dust		Rollover	
	Pinch / crush		Noise / vibration	\boxtimes	Plant interaction	
	High pressure		Fire	\boxtimes	Trip / fall hazard	\boxtimes
PPE REQUIRED						

PRE-START CHECKS

- 1. Ensure all personnel are trained and authorized to operate the lighting tower.
- 2. Inspect the lighting tower for any visible damage, leaks, or signs of wear.
- 3. Check that the fuel tank is filled to the required level, with the fuel line having no leaks.
- 4. Verify that the lighting fixtures are clean, properly positioned, and in good working condition.
- 5. Test the electrical connections and ensure that all switches and controls are functioning correctly.
- 6. Confirm that fire extinguishing equipment is readily available in case of emergency.

SAFE OPERATING PROCEDURE

- 1. Wear appropriate personal protective equipment (PPE) including high-visibility clothing, gloves, and safety boots.
- 2. Start up the lighting tower according to manufacturer's instructions, allowing it to warm up and stabilize.
- 3. Position the lighting tower in the desired location, ensuring stability and clearance.
- 4. Activate the lighting fixtures and adjust the angle and direction of the lights as needed to provide adequate illumination.
- 5. Monitor the lighting tower during operation, ensuring that all lights remain functional and that there are no signs of overheating or malfunction.
- 6. Be aware of any unusual noises, vibrations, or odors during operation and investigate the cause if necessary.
- 7. If any issues or errors occur during operation, stop the lighting tower immediately and troubleshoot the problem before resuming.
- 8. After operation is complete, shut down and disconnect the lighting tower.

POST-OPERATION PROCEDURE

- 1. Perform a visual inspection of the lighting tower for any damage or signs of wear, reporting any issues to the appropriate personnel.
- 2. Refuel the lighting tower if necessary and store fuel containers in a designated area away from ignition sources.
- 3. Clean the lighting fixtures and lenses to remove any dirt or debris that may have accumulated during operation.
- 4. Store the lighting tower and accessories in a designated area, ensuring they are protected from damage and unauthorized use.

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