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| **Company Information** | | | | | | | | | | | |
| **Company Name:** | |  | | | | | | | | | |
| **Workplace Location:** | |  | | | | | | | | | |
| **Name of Safe Work Practice:** | | | | | Harvest Beater - Cranberry | | | **Release Date:** | |  | |
| **Safe Work Practice #:** | | |  | | | | | **Revision Date:** | |  | |
| **Management Signature:** | | | |  | | | | **Date of Approval:** | |  | |
| **Instructions** | | | | | | | | | | | |
| This safe work practice must be reviewed annually or any time the task, equipment, or materials change. | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Do **NOT** perform the duties listed in this *Safe Work Practice* until you have been appropriately trained and authorized to do so by your supervisor | | | | | | | | | | | |
| **Required Training** | | | | | | | | | | | |
| * Review Cranberry harvest beater task management package * Employer has completed competency determination for Cranberry harvest beater * Cranberry harvest beater toolbox talk * Lock-out and de-energization of machinery and/or equipment | | | | | | | | | | | |
| **Personal Protective Equipment (PPE)** | | | | | | | | | | | |
| PFD | Ear protection | | | | | Eye protection | Chest Waders | | Insulated gloves | | Non-slip footwear |
| **Potential Hazards** | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Drowning, Noise, Entanglement/Caught in moving parts, Cold Stress, Slips/trips/falls, Fatigue. | | | | | | | | | | | |
| **Pre-Operational Safety Checks** | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Inspection of PPE and beater machine | | | | | | | | | | | |
| **Safe Work Practice** | | | | | | | | | | | |
| **Things To Consider Before Starting** | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1. Ensure nobody stands in front of the beater before attempting to start the machine 2. Turn on machine when safe to do so 3. Enter machine and ensure you are holding onto handlebar | | | | | | | | | | | |
| **During** | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1. When moving the beater in and out of bogs (hills) ensure that help is available, never move beater without assistance. 2. Clean up the reels of debris when you notice an accumulation in front. 3. Be careful with trunks, twigs and debris that can obstruct the wheels and affect machine balance 4. Always maintain a clear visual of surroundings. Stay focused on the task being performed. Your safety and the safety of others is paramount. | | | | | | | | | | | |
| * Do not perform these safe work practices until you have been trained and authorized to do so by your supervisor. * Report any hazardous situation(s) to your supervisor/manager immediately. * These safe work practices must be reviewed annually, or if task, equipment or materials change, if an incident occurs or due to regulatory changes. | | | | | | | | | | | |

