

Abrasive Blasting Permit

This permit is to be approved by the Wharf Manager or Wharf Supervisor.

Submit to: permits@albanyport.com.au or fax to 08 98417566 during office hours

Section 1: Permit Date

Date:	Permit Valid From:	Permit Valid To:
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Section 2: Applicant Details

Name:	Contact No:
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Company:

Section 3: Description of Work

1	Location of abrasive blasting activity	Please describe:	
2	Duration of abrasive blasting activity	Start Date:	End Date:
3	Can abrasive blasting activity be undertaken offsite in a DEC registered Abrasive Blasting Chamber?	Yes	No Please outline why:
4	Type of abrasive blasting	Dry	Wet
5	Abrasive blasting medium to be used	Australian Garnet Steel Other (Please specify and attach MSDS)	Water Silica (attach MSDS)
6	Type of surface material to be affected by abrasive blasting activity and the substrate e.g. steel, concrete.	Paint Concrete Other (Please specify)	Marine growth
7	Does paint contain organotin or other antifouling compounds?	Yes - Unknown (Discuss with APA Environment Manager) No	

Section 4: Conditions

If 'no' is ticked for any of the conditions within this section, please discuss further with the Port of Albany Environment Manager

4.1	Containment	Yes	No	N/A
1	Appropriate shrouding, tarpaulins or other similar material will be used to fully enclose the abrasive blasting operations and prevent airborne debris escaping the work area?			
2	Areas located over waters subject to abrasive blasting will be boarded (or have similar effective containment) across the base and at the edges to minimise abrasive material entering the marine environment?			
3	Abrasive blasting operations will cease immediately if wind speed and direction are such that the blasting media is not able to be contained within the approved work area?			
4	Where organotin or other heavy metal protective coatings are removed, particular care will be taken to contain all waste material and prevent ground contamination and any waste material from entering the stormwater system or marine environment?			
5	When undertaking wet blasting, the flow of water will be maintained at all times to ensure that there is no visible emission of dust when the operation is viewed from nearby?			

4.2	Recovery and Waste Management	Yes	No	N/A
1	Immediately recover spent abrasive blasting media / waste water / waste from all surfaces at: i. at the end of each shift and ii. if there is a strong likelihood that the wind / rain will remobilize the waste material?			
2	All used abrasive and waste products generated will be contained in enclosed bins (or similar) and securely stored before appropriate disposal to an approved facility.			
4.3	General			
1	Abrasive blasting material contains less than 2% free silica (substances containing more than 2% are prohibited under the <i>Environmental Protection (Abrasive Blasting) Regulations 1998</i> ?			
2	Is the blasting material in wet blasting free from corrosion inhibitors containing chromate, nitrate or nitrite?			
3	The proposed blasting activity/operation will comply with the <i>Environmental Protection (Abrasive Blasting) Regulations 1998</i> ?			
4	Does abrasive blasting equipment and operations comply with the requirements of the <i>Occupational Safety and Health Regulations WA (1996)</i> ?			
5	Will warning signs and barricading be in place around the blasting site?			
6	Have affected stakeholders been advised of blasting operations (overspray etc.)?			

Section 5: Applicant / Contractor Statement of Acknowledgement

I acknowledge the requirements of the Southern Ports – Port of Albany to identify and control risks and work in a safe manner at all times. I confirm the company has satisfactory documented safe systems of work in place and that all permits and licences required are in order and understood.

Company Representative Signature	Date / Time
Representative Name	Position in Company

Section 6: Southern Ports – Port of Albany Representative Statement of Acknowledgement (Port of Albany Use Only)

I am satisfied that the contractor information provided to me is sufficient to show that the contractor has a system in place to fulfil their legal obligations to conduct works in a safe manner. This Permit to Work is approved subject to any conditions listed below.

Port of Albany Representative Signature	Date / Time
Position	

Section 7: Specific Conditions / General Comments (if any)

The Port of Albany may withdraw this permit at any time if unsafe work practices are seen

Section 8: Notifications

	Engineer		Maintenance		Safety		Environment		Security		Pilots
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