


# RISK ASSESSMENT

## Slicers

Document Reference

**PTS.RA.P04**

Operation	Hazards	Risks	UNCONTROLLED Risk Levels	Description of controls	CONTROLLED Risk Levels																														
Diagnosis or Repair of faults and undertaking of routine PPM Servicing of electrically controlled food preparation equipment including Vegetable Preparation & Food Processors	Electricity	Death by Electrocution, Internal or External Burns	<b>LIKELIHOOD</b> <table border="1"> <tr><td>Most Likely</td><td>5</td><td></td></tr> <tr><td>Likely</td><td>4</td><td>✓</td></tr> <tr><td>Possible</td><td>3</td><td></td></tr> <tr><td>Unlikely</td><td>2</td><td></td></tr> <tr><td>Very Unlikely</td><td>1</td><td></td></tr> </table>	Most Likely	5		Likely	4	✓	Possible	3		Unlikely	2		Very Unlikely	1		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Only competent engineers with relevant training and experience and qualifications to undertake works.</li> </ul>	<b>LIKELIHOOD</b> <table border="1"> <tr><td>Most Likely</td><td>5</td><td></td></tr> <tr><td>Likely</td><td>4</td><td></td></tr> <tr><td>Possible</td><td>3</td><td></td></tr> <tr><td>Unlikely</td><td>2</td><td></td></tr> <tr><td>Very Unlikely</td><td>1</td><td>✓</td></tr> </table>	Most Likely	5		Likely	4		Possible	3		Unlikely	2		Very Unlikely	1	✓
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	Blade	Loss of Fingers, Cuts & Abrasions		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Electrical supply to equipment to be isolated prior to any invasive works whatsoever being undertaken as per <b>PTS.RA.SRE - Repairs to Electrical Equipment</b>.</li> </ul>																															
	Moving Parts	Loss of Limbs or Fingers, Broken or Fractured Bones, Cuts & Abrasions.		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>PPE equipment must be used as per the section <b>PPE REQUIREMENTS</b> below and <b>PTS.RA.S40 Safety - PPE</b></li> </ul>																															
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	Heavy Components	Manual Handling Injuries		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Engineer to take special care when handling Blade/Cutter which should be fitted with the extraction guard and removed then stored safely prior to and invasive works whatsoever.</li> </ul>																															
	Working environment	Slips & Trips		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Engineer to take special care to ensure that the Cutter Blade and any guards are securely fitted to operational testing.</li> </ul>																															
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