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available online for your convenience They are also available by contacting Dosko at 866-298-3659 and requesting are free of charge. Additional safety sheets are These safety sheets at www.dosko.com. tem # E786112

# NOTE:

sure that your customers sign the back of this safety sheet indicating they have read and Please make

understand the operating and safety instructions.

# follow manufacture PERATING INSTRUCTIONS



# Know Your Dosko: Before starting or using this machine, read and review this safety sheet! Be aware of all potential dangers protect windows and vehicles from possible flying debris and be aware of all necessary safety precautions

# **BEFORE GRINDING STUMPS**

• Be aware of all underground utilities before grinding stump.

### STARTING GRINDER

- Press down on handle bar so that cutter wheel is off the ground.
- Pull out on-off switch (located on control panel).
- Turn switch to "On" position (located on engine).
- Pull choke if engine is cold (located on engine).
- Set throttle about ¼ open (located on engine).
- Engage operator presence handle by pushing handle (small diameter bar) towards "Handle Bar Bow."
- **Recoil:** Pull recoil rope to start engine (located on engine). **Electric:** Turn key to start engine (located on engine).
- When engine starts close choke.

## **GRINDING STUMP**

- Push grinder to stump so that the stump is located just in front of the cutter wheel.
- Using the brake lever lock the one wheel.
- Pull throttle to full open (located on engine).
- Lower the cutter wheel slowly using a left-to-right motion to grind the stump.
- Grind stump to desired depth.
- Handle bar may have to be adjusted to accommodate for height of stump or desired depth. Raise or lower handle bar to a comfortable safe position.
- Reposition grinder further on stump and begin this process again.

A CAUTION: CUTTING WHEEL WILL CONTINUE TO TURN FOR A SHORT PERIOD AFTER ENGINE IS SHUT OFF.

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# Thank You For Choosing DOSKO®

While your Dosko stump grinder is very easy to use, and is safety-engineered, there are some simple rules and procedures which **MUST** be followed to ensure your safety, and to ensure the machine's best performance. Please take a few moments to review these rules and procedures:

# **A** CAUTION

**READ** all instructions and decals before starting!

**WEAR** proper safety clothing; safety glasses, sturdy footwear, gloves, face shield, etc.!

**OPERATE** grinder only from operating zone!

**NEVER** start grinder before checking controls and brakes!

**ALWAYS** lock brake before grinding begins!

**NEVER** allow anyone within 75 feet while grinding!

**NEVER** leave grinder unattended while running!

**<u>NEVER</u>** grind anything other than stumps!

**ALWAYS** be aware of your surroundings!

**<u>ALWAYS</u>** position machine to protect windows and vehicles from flying debris!

**ALWAYS** be prepared for emergencies by having first-aid supplies and a fire extinguisher!

**NEVER** operate while guards or shields are removed!

**<u>NEVER</u>** attempt to override any safety devices!

**NEVER** use in bad or questionable weather!

**ALWAYS** shut the machine off if any unusual noise or vibration occurs!

<u>**ALWAYS**</u> store machinery and gasoline away from the reach of any children!

**QUESTIONS?** Call your authorized Dosko dealer or rental center, or call Dosko direct at 866-298-3659!

# \*Always follow manufacturer instructions\*

# **TOWING INSTRUCTIONS**

There are certain legal road requirements for various states. It is the responsibility of the owner or user to be aware of these laws; and to obey them. For example, there may be lighting or licensing requirements.

- 1. Position tow bar into socket, then insert lock pin with safety clip.
- Connect grinder to vehicle using 2" tow ball. (Be sure that proper size ball is used to match coupler size.)
- 3. Be sure the tow hitch socket is closed/secured to tow ball and pinned.
- 4. Be sure that the safety chain is properly hooked to the vehicle and stump grinder by using the coupling links.
- 5. Be sure that wheels are fastened tightly and that tire condition and air pressures meet the manufacturer's specifications listed on the tire.
- 6. Make sure brake is released.

# **A** CAUTION

**NEVER** attempt to back up unit when in the tow position using towing vehicle.

**NEVER** tow exceeding 45 MPH.

# « DEALER INFORMATION »



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# DOSKO

Use this form when renting or loaning the equipment model(s) indicated on the reverse side of this sheet. Have the user initial each of the three statements below and sign acknowledging receipt of this safety sheet.

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_	I have been instructed in the use of this stump grinder, and I fully understand its operations.
—	All controls have been checked and are in good working condition.
—	I have been instructed about the dangers of this machine if not used properly. I am aware of all safety procedures and I accept full responsibility. I agree to "hold harmless" the manufacturer, dealer, rental yard owner, or anyone connected with Daske.

# Dosko Stump Grinder Model (please circle):

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