



Consultants to the Professionals!

Answer Sheet for the March Consulting Arborist Quiz

Your client is being sued for “negligent operation of the equipment”.
Can you tell what kind of equipment he was using?



1. While this can be an Earth-mover it is technically a **Cat 824 Wheel Dozer**. It is used for moving soil, stone, trash and other materials.



5. This is **not** a Pan Arm Loader. It is actually called a **Hydraulic Excavator**. It is used to move materials and sometimes for demolition.



2. This is **not** a Bulldozer! It is actually a **Wheel Tractor Scraper** which is used for earth moving in large construction projects. The back section is called the bowl & can be lowered to cut soil & materials.



6. This is **not** a Bobcat which is actually a brand name. It would be the same as calling a soft drink a Coke. It is a **New Holland Skid Steer** which is used to move materials and can have any number of implement attachments.



3. This is actually a “dump truck” but it is correctly called an **Articulating Truck** because of its drive system. This is a big truck and is great for off road rough terrain.



7. This is a **Backhoe** and it is used to move materials in construction, to push materials and to dig. It can also be used to move snow.



4. This is **not** an Articulating Trac Hoe with a true brush, it is a **Motor Grader** which is used for grading in construction projects.

Remember, if your claim is worth more than a cup of coffee call me and ask for a “Claim Review”, it may save you a lot of time and money!

*Special thank you to Chris MacAllister of MacAllister Machinery for use of the most of the pictures and for helping with the answer sheet.