

CONSTRUCTION SAFETY WORKSHOP

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PROCUREMENT TO COMPLETION Managing Project Safety

Wednesday, 22 October 2014

Canberra Rex Hotel, 150 Northbourne Avenue, Braddon, ACT

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ARE YOU AND YOUR ORGANISATION AT RISK?

2014 has seen the first prosecution of an organisation and an officer for allegedly failing to exercise due diligence, safe work systems and a safe work environment without risks to health and safety under the *Work Health and Safety Act 2011* (ACT).

Procurement has an enormous influence on managing project safety. This high impact one-day workshop covers procurement not only from a client's perspective, but also from that of superintendents, a principal contractor, service providers, subcontractors and suppliers across Commonwealth, State/Territory and Local Government construction and maintenance works.

What you'll gain from attending

- 1** A heightened awareness of the importance of procurement in safer project outcomes.
- 2** Knowledge of best practice in the delivery of safe projects.
- 3** An understanding of due diligence and how to meet your key WHS obligations.

Clarification of WHS Issues

As the ACT has several high profile construction-related death cases currently the subject of legal proceedings, this workshop led by experts will cover:

- Due diligence for company officers
- WHS duties of workers
- Acceptable safe systems of work
- Tests for as "far as reasonably practical"
- Appropriate levels of supervision and what needs to be done

This workshop is not for the faint hearted — it is frank and hard hitting to deliver important messages.

It brings together construction industry stakeholders face-to-face, with specialist WHS professionals driven by a real passion to raise standards, and who will share their expert knowledge and facilitate informed discussions based on practical examples and case studies that show how specific WHS issues can be effectively managed.

The day will comprise the delivery of several presentations on key WHS issues that need to be managed, followed by small group workshops that will deal with the day-to-day challenges present in delivering safer project outcomes. Delegates will participate in these workshops, exchange ideas and learn valuable strategies. The panel will then provide answers to questions the delegates have, including any areas of WHS requiring clarification.

HERE'S WHAT SOME SATISFIED DELEGATES FROM LAST YEAR'S FORUM SAID

"Excellent presenters — I learnt new skills and ideas and I will take these ideas back to my workplace." *Paul Scotellaro, WHS Officer, Brown Consulting Engineers*

"Informative and well presented." *Zacharia Youssef, Project Manager, BMD Construction*

"The information on Construction Safety Competency framework was excellent."
Andrew Crompton Senior Project Manager, Chincivil

"This training was very relevant as I am currently looking at competencies and training at each level of our organisation." *Fiona Turnbull, HR Manager, Cord Civil*

WHO SHOULD ATTEND Industry Stakeholders, Client Bodies, Procurement Agencies, Company Officers and Senior Managers, Risk Managers, Training Organisations, WHS Auditors, Superintendent's Representatives, Construction Company's key personnel (on and off site) responsible for managing safety including, Foreman/Supervisors, WHS Advisors, Site Managers, Engineers, Contract Administrators, Project Managers, WHS Managers, Operations/Construction Managers, Estimators, Purchasing Officers and Human Resource Managers, Senior Managers, Company Directors, Legal Practitioners, Insurance Representatives, Plant Hire and Suppliers.

PROGRAM

- 7.15 Registration
- 8.00 **Welcome and introduction - Importance of safety in procurement**
Graham Coyle, Federal Construction Management
- 8.30 **Incidents & consequences for stakeholders**
Paul Cutrone, Sparke Helmore Lawyers
- 9.00 **Safety in procurement best practice – case study Electrical Services**
Jason Epps, Work Health and Safety Manager, Austrade
- 9.45 Morning Tea
- 10.15 **Project case studies: separating plant and people**
Martin Tunstead, John Holland Group
- 11.15 **Practical plant safety management**
Mathew Turner, Plant Assessor
- 11.45 **Leadership skills to improve WHS outcomes**
Ilija Ilcesin, PeopleSafe Australia
- 12.15 Lunch
- 1.00 **Investigating incidents – plant, people and work systems**
Phillip Edwards, MBA ACT
- 1.30 **Series of small interactive WHS case studies/workshops**
Delegates/Panel
- 2.45 Afternoon tea
- 3.00 **Workshop findings discussed with Panel**
- 4.00 **Panel Session Q&A**
Delegates/Panel
- 4.45 **Evaluation and close**
Graham Coyle, Federal Construction Management



WORKSHOP COSTS (inc GST)

Workshop including course notes, morning tea, lunch and afternoon tea

\$595 inc gst

6 CPD points

PRESENTER **PROFILES**



GRAHAM COYLE SEMINAR FACILITATOR

Director, Federal Construction Management

Graham has extensive experience in the procurement and project delivery of government and private sector construction works. As lead WHS auditor, Graham knows the vital importance of procurement in realising safer outcomes.



PAUL CUTRONE

National Head of Safety, Sparke Helmore Lawyers

Paul is a key advisor in the area of workplace health and safety. He has more than 19 years' experience advising directors, executives, management and industry leaders across both public and private sector organisations on legal compliance, risk management and enforcement.



JASON EPPS

Work Health and Safety Manager, Austrade

Jason assists organisations undergoing change management. He has worked with international, Commonwealth and state WHS regulators on integrated risk management and practical measures to achieve workplace safety.



MARTIN TUNSTEAD

Safety Manager for NSW/ACT, John Holland Group

Martin has spent the last 12 years developing WHS best practice at the 'coalface' of plant safety within the rail, civil, water and building sectors of the industry.



MATTHEW TURNER

Director, Plant Assessor

Matt is co-owner of Australia's largest plant risk assessment company and produces authoritative research papers related to practical plant safety management.



ILIJA ILCESIN

General Manager, PeopleSafe Australia

Ilija is a WorkCover accredited trainer and RAB-QSA WHS Principal Auditor with over 24 years experience in construction, safety and training related roles. He is the General Manager of PeopleSafe Australia, a Registered Training Organisation providing highly engaging, customised training solutions, to many construction and infrastructure clients.



PHILIP EDWARDS

Work Health and Safety Adviser, MBA ACT

Philip's role is to deliver and support the objectives from the "Getting Home Safely" report as well as provide critical member service and support on Work Health and Safety.

PANEL **PROFILES**



MARK McCABE

ACT Work Safety Commissioner

Mark's enormous ongoing contribution to WHS in the ACT was preceded by a vital role within Comcare in the Australian Public Service and has been recognised when he was made an Honorary Fellow of the Safety Institute of Australia.



KIRILLY DICKSON

Manager Safety and Environment, ACTEW Water

Kirilly's focus is on safety and sustainability from project planning through to delivery. She is responsible for the safety strategy across the entire business to confront and address safety risks at all levels and instil a safety first culture.