

WHSE CONSULTING PTY LTD – TRAINING

DUE DILIGENCE



DURATION

1.5 hours



COST

\$155 per person + GST



REQUIREMENTS

Minimum 4 participants



CERTIFICATE

Attendance

Work Health and Safety legislation requires a Persons Conducting a Business or Undertaking (PCBU) to take all reasonably practicable steps to ensure the safety and well-being of its workers. Similarly, the legislation requires workers to take reasonable care of themselves and others in the workplace. This shared responsibility in achieving safe workplaces is partially achieved by providing workers with information, instruction and training.

The WHS Act imposes specific duties on officers of corporations and unincorporated entities such as clubs and associations.

Due diligence—in the context of work health and safety—means taking every precaution that is reasonable in the circumstances to protect the health, safety and welfare of all workers and others who could be put at risk from work carried out as part of the business or undertaking.

Effectively these duties require the officer(s) of the organisation to be proactive in managing the company's safety arrangements and importantly meet the requirements of the legislation.

To demonstrate due diligence officers will need to prove they have taken all reasonable steps to acquire and update their knowledge, understand the hazards, risks and controls relevant for their business. In addition, officers must show they have provided adequate resources, had a sufficient level of oversight of operations and insured safe systems of work are in place. A failure in any of these areas regardless of whether an incident occurs, or someone is injured may be grounds for a prosecution.

The aim of this training is to provide participants with a greater understanding of what are the requirements of an officer in meeting their legislative obligations.

Topics will include:

- Legislative Framework
 - Application of the Legislation
 - Work Health and Safety Act 2011
 - Work Health and Safety Regulations 2011
 - Offences & Penalties
- Demonstrating Due Diligence
- Key concepts
 - Duty of care
 - Reasonably practicable
 - Definition of an Officer
 - Duties of a Worker
 - Contractors
 - Other notable points

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