





BUILDING
DESIGNER
AUSTRALIA NSW

SAFE DESIGN The WHS Act & Regulations

Current & Future Implications for “Designers”

BDA NSW CHAPTER SYMPOSIUM

13 March 2013 @ Carnarvon Golf Club, Lidcombe, Sydney

Time	Subject	Speaker	Content
9.45am	Registration, with tea and coffee on arrival		
10.15am	Introduction		
10.25am	WHS Act	Edward (Ted) Walsh WorkCover 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> – General Overview – What is safe design – What structures come under this legislation – Consultation requirements – Designers and Clients duties – Using a risk management approach – Identifying risks – What information needs to be provided
11.05am	Prof. Indemnity Insurance	Melissa Gojak CGU Underwriters 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> – General overview of a PI Policy – what it covers, generally and in relation to Safe Design Code. – Your obligations under a Policy and in relation to the new legislation. – What does your insurer expect of you. – How has CGU addressed the legislation.
11.35am	<i>Interactive Q & A session with Ted and Melissa</i>		
12.00pm	Lunch		
12.45pm	Case Studies	Lance Patison Building Industry Solutions 	Potential risk scenarios to look out for
1.15pm	A legal perspective	Jennifer Bicknell Kennedys Lawyers 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> – What are the legal ramifications of the legislation for “designers” – Explanation of common law and statute law and how this applies
1.45pm	<i>Interactive Q & A session with Lance and Jennifer</i>		
2.00pm	Afternoon tea		
2.20pm	Safety Reports	Sophie Barrett Safe Design Australia 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> – Design considerations for Safe Design through the lifecycle of the structure as a workplace – safe construction, safe use, maintenance, modification and demolition – Systematic evaluation of your design – Process for designers – Reporting and record keeping
3.00pm	<i>Interactive Q & A session with speakers</i>		
3.30pm	Close		

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