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Your work health and safety partner

WHS ADELAIDE - QUARTERLY UPDATE

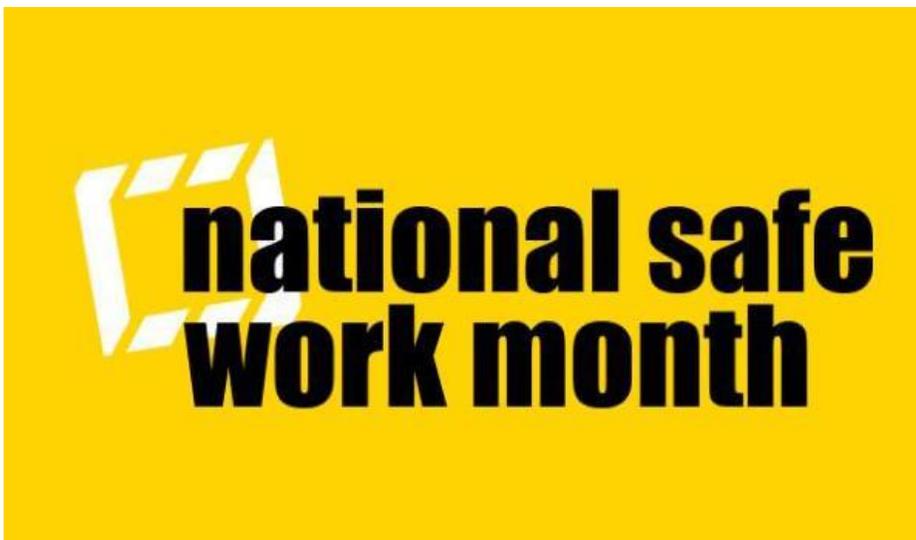


THE ROLE OF THE HSR

How are you treating your Health and Safety Reps? Legislation gives them;

- Powers (e.g. issuing Provisional Improvement Notices, ordering others to cease work)
- Functions (e.g. involved in investigations, inspections, any other WHS activity at their discretion) &
- Entitlements (e.g. attend HSR training, time to fulfil their functions in the workgroup)

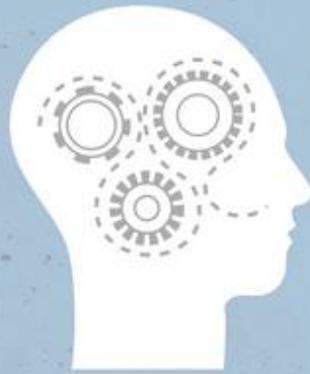
They have **NO OTHER OBLIGATION** or accountability as an HSR than representing their work group in good faith (WHS Act 68(5)). Notwithstanding, HSRs are among the best informed about health and safety matters in your workplace and can make significant contributions. Mutual good will goes a long way!



OCTOBER ~ NATIONAL SAFE WORK MONTH

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Safety Institute of Australia

SA SAFETY SYMPOSIUM 2018

Psychosocial Risk and Safety Culture

THURSDAY 11 OCTOBER 2018

ADELAIDE ZOO

SA SAFETY SYMPOSIUM 2018

WHAT: An initiative of the Safety Institute of Australia (SA Branch), this symposium addresses how a range of different organisations and industries are managing the impacts of Psychosocial Risks on Organisational Safety Culture.

WHEN: 11 October 2018; 9am - 5pm

WHERE: The Adelaide Zoo, Figtree Conference Facility, Frome Rd, Adelaide SA 5000

COST: \$150 (members); \$350 (non members) - See [website](#) for other price information.

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MANAGING FATIGUE IS NOT JUST FOR TRANSPORT & FACTORIES

A Melbourne legal firm (King & Wood Mallesons) were issued an Improvement Notice from WorkSafe Victoria, “*in relation to the management of employee fatigue in high pressure situations.*”

In a statement, the firm said: “*We are taking the notice seriously and we are taking the time to develop a comprehensive and meaningful response.*”

“*We will be working with Worksafe to ensure they are satisfied that our systems are compliant, and we will formally respond to the notice within the required timeframe,*” it continued.

Mr Cox noted the firm is “*actively looking at what else we can do to support our people working in high pressure situations.*”

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