



Occupational Health & Safety

*Your Rights,
Responsibilities,
and
The OHS Act*



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NS OHS Act

- Internal Responsibility System
- Three “R”s - Basic Rights



OH&S ACT INTERNAL RESPONSIBILITY SYSTEM

Everyone at a workplace is responsible for creating and maintaining a safe and healthy workplace – to the extent of their ability and authority to do so.

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- FOR EMPLOYERS, THIS MEANS:

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RESPONSIBILITIES

- FOR EMPLOYEES, THIS MEANS:

- Reading, understanding and following all safety rules
- Wearing and using all required safety equipment or clothing
- Notifying Supervisors of any unsafe conditions or reporting any unsafe acts
- Taking action to correct unsafe conditions or acts
- Participating in safety training



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MY BASIC HEALTH AND SAFETY RIGHTS

KNOWN AS THE 3 R'S

- THE RIGHT TO KNOW
- THE RIGHT TO PARTICIPATE
- THE RIGHT TO REFUSE



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THANK YOU!