

Webinar: Managing & Negotiating Environment Protection Licences



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HOW TO BEST MANAGE YOUR ENVIRONMENT LICENCE: NEGOTIATION AND COMPLIANCE

This webinar will cover management, legal and practical issues in dealing with Environment Protection Licences (EPL) and its variation. Learn what an EPL is for and what industrial activities and sub activities it applies to. ASBG's webinar will over 3 session cover what sites require an EPL, typical conditions and what is required to meet them, but also how to write the documents so your site has more control over how it complies with the EPL and other environmental law.

Also covered is the link between EPL and planning consent conditions, where a site expands production or changes its activity significantly. EPLs are often varied by the EPA if a site has had an issue or raises their concerns. Such attention often leads to increased inspections and variations to licence conditions, but these can be managed and new conditions like Pollution Reduction Programs properly negotiated. Dealing with The webinar will also focus on how to negotiate your variations to your EPL conditions. Key issues addressed include:

- ✓ Overview of Environmental Protection Licenses — what is their purpose
- ✓ What are the thresholds for EPLs and what to do if you are likely to exceed your EPL threshold
- ✓ License conditions, what are they and which ones are most important
- ✓ Legal advice on compliance and managing your EPL
- ✓ EPL and planning conditions
- ✓ Inspections and EPA investigations → being prepared
- ✓ How to best managing your site's EPL conditions
- ✓ Dealing with Pollution Reduction Programs and application of newer environmental criteria
- ✓ Working with the regulators to achieve a better level of compliance
- ✓ Monitoring under your license → how to get the most from monitoring
- ✓ Preventing and managing complaints from neighbours
- ✓ Negotiating environmental licence conditions and new requirements

Details at a glance

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Session 1 Live 21 July from 11 am	Introduction to Environment Protection Licences <i>(Facilitator: Andrew Doig)</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Introduction to Environmental Protection Licenses Triggering EPLs and interpreting Schedule 1 POEO Act License conditions, what are they and which ones are most important Monitoring under your license - how to get the most from monitoring and traps to avoid Risk Based Licensing - getting a lower risk level and what does this mean
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Session 2 Live 22 July from 11 am	Planning and EPLs how they work, Inspections and PRPs <i>(Facilitators: Jacinta Studdert & Andrew Doig)</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Use of EM Systems and due diligence to manage EPL obligations and avoid potential prosecutions When you need to vary your production up - EPL and planning conditions: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Planning triggers and different levels of assessment - DA vs EIS processes Changing EPL or Planning consent – Processes involved EPA inspections, audits and investigations: how to manage such events Cutting a better Pollution Reduction Program
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Session 3 Live 23 July from 11 am	Licence Variations and Negotiations <i>(Facilitator: Andrew Doig)</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Minimising and managing complaints from neighbours Immediate reporting of pollution incidents and PIRMP use Load Based Licensing: How it works and what is planned Interpretation and management of licence conditions Negotiating environmental licence conditions Use of appeals on EPL conditions
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