

## **Environment Protection Licences: Changes & Negotiation**

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## 3 X 1 HOUR SESSIONS, 1, 2 & 3 JULY 2025

## HOW TO BEST MANAGE YOUR ENVIRONMENT LICENCE: NEGOTIATION AND COMPLIANCE

This webinar will cover management, negotiation, dealing with the EPA and practical issues in operating with Environment Protection Licences (EPL) and its variation. Learn the changes to EPL compliance and add-ons such the coming Climate Change Mitigation and Adaptation Plans (CCMAPs) and enforcement of Dangerous Goods standards. 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 corporate documentation so your site has more control over how it complies with the EPL and other environmental law. After EPA inspections of your site, you can be hit with reporting, EPL changes, PRPs and even Show Cause requirements regarding EPA concerns over your site's maintenance and or operational efficiency. Using better negotiating practices can greatly help in avoiding difficult conditions. A number of case studies are provided to assist you to avoid issues and comply better. Key issues addressed include:

- ✓ Overview of Environmental Protection Licenses what is their purpose, lots and thresholds
- ✓ How to maintain compliance with your EPL conditions
- ✓ Working with the regulators to achieve a better level of compliance
- $\checkmark$  Monitoring under your license  $\rightarrow$  how to get the most from monitoring
- ✓ Preventing and managing complaints from neighbours
- ✓ Dealing with Pollution Reduction Programs and application of newer environmental criteria
- ✓ Case studies of difficult EPL conditions and coverage
- ✓ Inspections and EPA investigations and add-ons, PIRMPs and CCMAPs
- ✓ Dealing with non-compliance and responding to formal requirements, e.g. PRPs, Show Cause
- ✓ Negotiating environmental licence conditions new requirements
- ✓ Use of the appeals process if all else fails

## Details at a glance

Date: Live webinar 1, 2 & 3 July 2025 Recorded version any time after

Time: 10:55 am – 12 pm; Registration first using Crowdcast

Venue: At your computer

Environment Protection Licences: Managing Changes and Negotiating			
Session 1 Live 1 July from 10:55 am	<ul> <li>Introduction to Environment Protection Licences (Facilitator: Andrew Doig)</li> <li>Introduction to Environmental Protection Licenses – lots and thresholds</li> <li>Triggering EPLs and interpreting Schedule 1 POEO Act</li> <li>License conditions, what are they and which ones are most important</li> <li>Monitoring under your license - how to get the most from monitoring and traps to avoid</li> <li>Risk Based Licensing - getting a lower risk level and what does this mean</li> </ul>		
Session 2 Live 2 July from 10:55 am	<ul> <li>Use of voluntary audit practices to deal with incidents and assessment of performance</li> <li>Reporting requirements, routine, exceedances, incidents and website publishing</li> <li>EDA inspections, audits and investigations, how to manage such events</li> </ul>		
Session 3 Live 3 July 10:55 am	<ul> <li>Licence Variations and Negotiations</li> <li>Minimising and managing complaints from neighbours</li> <li>Immediate reporting of pollution incidents and PIRMP use</li> <li>CCMAPs likely requirements and oversight of greenhouse gas emissions current and future</li> <li>Dealing with EPA found non-compliance, PRPs, s191 reporting and Show Cause letters</li> <li>Negotiating environmental licence conditions including PRPs etc</li> <li>Use of appeals on EPL conditions</li> </ul>		
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