

## Construction Regulations Course

### 1 Day Course

#### Module 1: Introduction

- Establishment and embodied principles related to construction
- Construction health and safety accord
- Establishment of the SACPCMP; SACPCMP as approved statutory body and registration process

#### Module 2: Laying the foundation

- Definitions and terminology applicable to construction work

#### Module 3: Construction work and the “permit” system

- Meaning and scope of construction work. The new “permit” system, when and how to apply for it before the performance of construction work.

#### Module 4: Notification of construction work

- When and how to notify the chief inspector of intended construction work.

#### Module 5: Legal responsibilities of interested and affected parties

- New legal duties and responsibilities of persons like clients, agents, designers, principal contractors, contractors, and sub-contractors.

#### Module 6: Management and supervision of construction work

- The appointment and responsibilities of construction managers; assistant construction managers and as well as construction health and safety officers (includes competence and professional registration of these persons).

#### Module 7: Risk assessments

- Risk assessments on construction sites with specific reference to baseline risk assessments.

#### Module 8: Digging into the specifications

- Specifications and requirements stipulated by the various construction regulations including Fall protection, Structures, Temporary works, Excavation, Demolition work, Tunnelling, Scaffolding, Suspended platforms, Rope access work, Material hoists, Bulk mixing plant, Explosive actuated fastening device, Cranes, Construction vehicles and mobile plant, Electrical installations and machinery on construction sites, Use and temporary storage of flammable liquids on construction sites, Water environments, Housekeeping and general safeguarding on construction sites, Stacking and storing on construction sites, Construction employees' facilities, Construction health and safety technical committee, Approved inspection authorities.

#### Module 9: Health and safety plan

- What should the “health and safety plan” consist of?

#### Module 10: Legal appointments

- Legal appointments relevant to construction.

#### Module 11: Other prescribed documentation

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#### Purpose of the course:

- To provide an overview of the Construction Regulations, 2014.
- To update participants on changes and differences between the Construction Regulations 2003 and the new Construction Regulations 2014.
- To update learners on the latest amendments to these regulations

#### Upon completion of the course delegates will be able to:

- Explain and understand the principles and statutes stipulated by the Construction Regulations.
- The Learner will also be updated on the latest amendments to these regulations.

#### Learners found competent in this unit standard are able to:

- communicate and use the terminology relevant to construction
- understand what is meant by the term "construction work"
- understand when and how to apply for a "permit" in order to perform construction work
- understand when and how to notify the Provincial Director of intended construction work
- explain the basic requirements stipulated by the Construction Regulations
- understand the administrative requirements applicable to construction
- understand record keeping required by the regulation
- understand the legal responsibilities of all the interested and affected persons stipulated by the regulation
- understand the different legal appointments that should be made before certain types of construction work are performed
- understand when and how risk assessments should be performed
- Compile a suitable, sufficiently documented, site-specific a "health and safety plan"
- Compile and manage a "health and safety file"

#### The course will be useful for:

This course is aimed at all persons who are involved in construction, including clients, agents, principal contractors, contractors, sub-contractors; construction managers; construction health and safety officers, project managers, engineers, architects, designers etc.

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