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Welcome back to work - we have all had a relaxing break spending time with our families and are ready for an exciting year ahead. We hope your Christmas and New Year's were enjoyable too.

Crane and hoist company found guilty on death of worker

Issue Date: - Friday, 3 December 2010

A Malaga hoist and crane company has been found guilty of failing to provide and maintain a safe workplace and, by that failure, causing the death of a worker. Two Directors of the company were also found guilty of breaching a section of the Occupational Safety and Health Act dealing with offences that occur with the consent or connivance of a Director or are attributable to the neglect of the Director. D & G Hoists & Cranes Pty Ltd and Directors David Patrick Majella Keating and Luigi Vincenzo Decesare were found guilty in the Perth Magistrates Court yesterday. In October 2007, 22-year-old rigger Luke Aaron Murrie suffered a fatal head injury after being struck by a 375-kilogram section of crane mast that fell out of a pack of 16 sections being moved by a crane. The Magistrate is expected to hand down the penalty in February.



City of Cockburn leads the way...

From 17th Jan 2011 the City of Cockburn will be the first local government in WA to introduce weekly recycle bin collections. A trial of weekly yellow top bin collections in Bibra Lake in 2007 showed weekly recycling bin collections led to a 15% reduction in contamination of the green top bin waste and a 40% increase in the recyclable volumes recovered.

All in together - new work health and safety laws

WA has been participating in the harmonisation of occupation health and safety laws. The federal, state and territory government's are working towards the new laws commencing across Australia in 2012. Model Regulations and Codes of Practice have been released by Safe Work Australia for public comment. Worksafe WA is holding a session for interested people to learn more about the proposed regulations and codes and how they will affect you in the workplace.

Date: 14 January 2011

Time: 12.15pm - 1.30pm

Venue: WorkSafe training room, Level 5 Westcentre, 1260 Hay Street, **West Perth**

Register by emailing: worksafersvp@commerce.wa.gov.au Include the following subject line: Harmonisation 14 January 2011



YOU MIGHT BE INTERESTED TO KNOW....

The road transport industry employs approximately 167,000 truck drivers nationally, with nearly one quarter working in WA, and has the largest and heaviest road-legal vehicles in the world. WA is the fourth largest State for employment of road transport workers. With the amount of freight moved expected to double in the next ten years, it is imperative that the skills demands for this industry are met. Want to read more? Contact us for a copy of the Logistics Industries Workforce Development Plan.

Course Dates for 2011 – see attached calendars for other dates.

Certificate IV in Training & Assessment (TAE40110)* **NEW QUALIFICATION**

Cluster One (2 days) 14, 15 February
Cluster Two (4 days) 1, 2, 3, 4 March
Cluster Three (4 days) 4, 5, 6, 7 April

Diploma of Management (BSB51107)*

Module 1 (4 days) 8, 9, 10, 11 March
Module 2 (4 days) 11, 12, 13, 14 April

Certificate IV in Occupational Health & Safety (BSB41407)*

Module 1 (3 days) 31 Jan, 1, 2 February
Module 2 (4 days) 21, 22, 23, 24 February

Diploma of Occupational Health & Safety (BSB51307)*

Module 1 (4 days) 7, 8, 9, 10 February
Module 2 (4 days) 14, 15, 16, 17 March

*Successful completion of post course project before statement of attainment can be issued.

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