



Energy Department Prime Minister's Office Note to Industry (NTI)

TOPIC Workplace Safety and Health Order 2009: HSE Training Requirements for the MAH Industry Sector			Reference Number 2017/NTI/5
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In 2016, the Energy and Industry Department, Prime Minister's Office (EIDPMO) released a NTI Reference Number 2016/NTI/4 issue date 10 June 2016. It stated a requirement for the employers in the Major Accident Hazard sector of industry to provide details of persons, who were to be nominated as Workplace Safety and Health Officers.

Reference is made to the Labour Department Directive 03/2016, "*the minimum qualification requirements for the Workplace Safety and Health Officer is a NEBOSH International General Certificate and two years of relevant experience in the workplace.*"

Since last year, EIDPMO have received a number of applications. Successful applicants have been informed, however, there have been some delays due to process related matters, pertaining to NEBOSH exam results and seats.

Further to discussions with Industry and taking these delays into consideration, EIDPMO would like to inform relevant stakeholders, that the requirement for "a WSH Officer to have a NEBOSH International General Certificate and two years relevant experience in the workplace," is hereby deferred to a date no later than **30th September 2017**.