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Note to Industry (NTI)

TOPIC Scaffolding Training Organisations - Recognition and Acceptance			Reference Number 2020/NTI/04
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The Workplace Safety and Health Order, 2009 (WSHO, 2009) states that it is the duty of every employer to take, as far as practicable, such measures as are necessary to ensure the safety and health of his employees at work. Such measures include ensuring that a person at work has adequate instruction, information, training and supervision, as is necessary for him to perform his work.

It further requires, that every person at work, to co-operate with his employer or principal and any other person to such extent as will enable his employer, principal or the other person, as the case may be, to comply with the WSHO, 2009

The Workplace Safety and Health (Construction) Regulations 2014, state that it is the duty of every employer of any person who carries out manual work in a worksite, to ensure that such person receives adequate safety and health training for the purpose of familiarising the person with the hazards associated with such work and the precautions to be observed.

The Safety, Health and Environment National Authority (SHENA) has already commenced registration of approved training organisations whose details can be found on the SHENA website www.shena.gov.bn

Currently, only training organisations who provide scaffolding training using the Construction Industry Training Board, UK [CITB] methodology and standard are approved and registered with SHENA.

The recognized training organisations are as follows: –

1. **Mashhor Training and Assessment Center** – providing Scaffolding Part A, Part B, Complex Scaffolding and Safe Scaffolding Inspection training and certification;
2. **Megamas Training Company Sdn. Bhd** - providing Scaffolding Part A, Part B, Complex Scaffolding and Safe Scaffolding Inspection training and certification;
3. **Joffren Omar Company Sdn. Bhd. Learning and Development Department** - providing Scaffolding Part A, Part B, Complex Scaffolding and Safe Scaffolding Inspection training and certification; and

4. **Blue Oceanic Training Centre** - providing Scaffolding Part A and Part B training and certification only.

The above training organisations have provided SHENA with the assurance that they will continue to meet the standards and certification requirements in accordance with SHENA's expectations and the law.

WAY FORWARD

All Bruneian Registered Companies are advised to obtain trained scaffolders with certification from the training providers listed above with immediate effect.

In the instance where companies obtain trained scaffolders from elsewhere, other than the listed training providers, they are to inform SHENA regarding this and providing their reasons for doing so. This can be emailed to info@shena.gov.bn

SHENA reminds all companies that it remains their responsibility to ensure that their employees are adequately trained and qualified for the work they are to undertake. Companies are reminded to continuously risk assess this requirement. The implication of hiring someone without suitable qualifications, training and experience may expose your company to potential accidents, unnecessary delays, lawsuits and loss of reputation.

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