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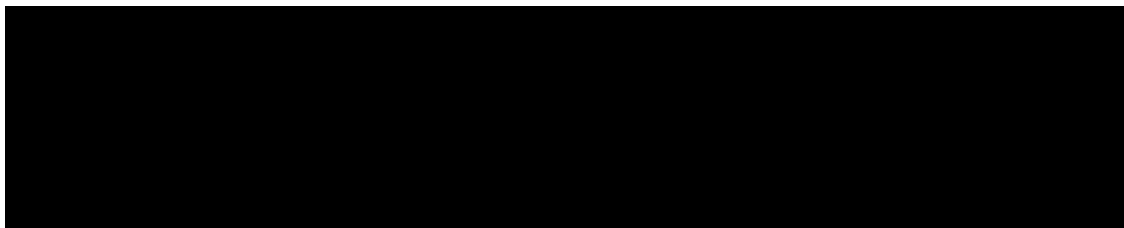
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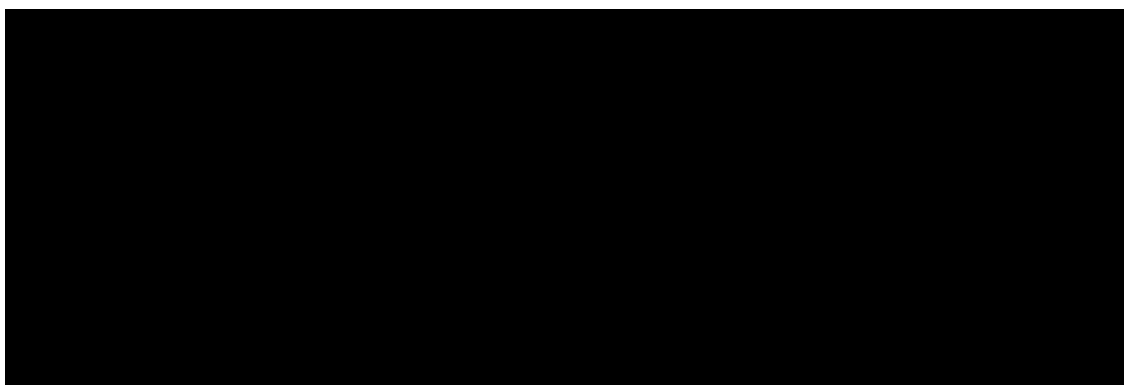
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Q4. This submission is written on behalf of an: Organisation



Q8. Publication of submission (select one) Publish my submission online anonymously

Q9. Would you like to complete the submission online or upload a document? I would like to complete an online submission

Q10. Do you have a clear understanding of the definitions of a competent person for asbestos-related tasks? How could any misunderstandings be addressed or clarified?

Clearance inspection - must the individual hold a valid LAA?? Or only the company they work for??

Q11. Do you see a benefit in aligning the training, qualification and experience requirements of competent persons, licensed asbestos assessors and asbestos removal supervisors for asbestos-related tasks? If so, what do you think the training, qualification and experience requirements should be? Please provide information and reasons to support your response.

No, the training requirements for a LAA/hygienist and a removalist would be different, we would not expect a removalist would hold the same competencies as a hygienist as they are two separate tasks. Also the LAA/hygienist needs to be independent, so why blur the lines between competencies and role in asbestos removal.

Q12. Are there any other issues regarding the definition and requirements of competent persons for asbestos-related tasks that should be considered? Please provide information and reasons to support your response.

For Class A asbestos removal work: has at least 3 years of relevant industry experience. How are they to get the appropriate experience without doing this. We need to ensure they are licenced and supervised until deemed competent. 3 years is too long.

Q13. Is there any other additional feedback you would like to provide?

N/A

Q14. Please upload your submission document or any supporting information to your submission here (optional)

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Q15. Terms and conditions

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