

Dear sirs

The harmonisation of national Australian OHS laws should also consider key elements of overseas regulations. For example the use of actions levels (rather than one limit) which is a key element in successful noise management in European Noise at Work Regulations (see: <http://www.opsi.gov.uk/si/si2005/20051643.htm>). This is completely missed in Australian OHS laws. I appreciate the many aspects of the harmonisation of national Australian OHS laws but this seems to be an excellent chance to correct this short coming and should not be overlooked.

Please let me know if you need any further information.

Best regards

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