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## CERTAIN MEMBERS

# Occupational Health and Safety Amendment (Clothing Factory Registration) Regulation 2008

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Members are advised that the above Regulation has been made which incorporates the WorkCoverNSW clothing factory registration requirements into the NSW Occupational Health and Safety Regulation 2001.

**Action required:** The new Regulation **does not** change the existing obligations of employers covered by the following awards:

- Clothing Trades Award 1999;
- Clothing Trades (State) Award;
- Clothing Trades (State) Award NAPSA;
- Textile Industry Award 2000;
- Textile Industry (State) Award; and
- Textile Industry (State) Award NAPSA.

Employers covered by these awards still need to register their clothing factory with WorkCoverNSW by submitting an application form which sets out:

- Business contact details;
- a description of the type of work carried out at the factory; and
- the number of employees at the time of registration.

Employers are also required to submit to WorkCoverNSW a Section D statement from their local council which relates to access and exit facilities in case of fire.

Should you require further clarification please contact *Printing Industries'* Employee Relations Department phone: 02 8789 7300.

Yours faithfully

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