



Native Title and Cultural Heritage Compliance for Infrastructure Projects

Course overview

Projects, Land Dealings and Operational Activities

This one-day program builds on IPWEAQ's popular 2004/05 program on Indigenous Cultural Heritage and Native Title Future Act Compliance for Public Works Projects. As well as providing a refresher on the compliance knowledge required to manage native title and cultural heritage risks to infrastructure projects and land tenure dealings, this updated course offers additional strategic learning specific to regional challenges, government policy developments and in-house compliance systems.

Designed for

- New local governments including officers and relevant elected members
- Public and private sector project proponents
- Officers from government departments, agencies and business



Your presenter

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The program is a timely opportunity for officers across a range of organisations to refresh their skills, update their knowledge, learn about recent legal and policy developments and share ideas.

Suggested outcomes

At the end of the program participants will be able to -

- Identify on a regional and local basis, projects and operational activities where consideration should be given to satisfying compliance obligations.
- Undertake practical risk management and legal compliance steps in relation to those projects and operations.
- Identify opportunities to work with government agencies and indigenous groups to achieve strategic objectives.
- Understand how native title compliances have to be met in relation to land tenure dealings and strategic projects, such as town expansion, affordable housing and land release.

Oliver has 20 years experience in the field of Indigenous Law. He was one of the first lawyers in Australia to specialise in native title and has been involved in many of the legal changes and innovations in the field. Oliver first authored and delivered IPWEAQ's training program on Native Title and Indigenous Cultural Heritage Compliance for Infrastructure Programs in 2004 and was instrumental in the development of the Queensland local government template Indigenous Land Use Agreement. Oliver is the Legal Practice Director of Gilkerson Legal. It is a specialist legal practice established to provide Queensland government entities, infrastructure providers and development proponents with the highest possible level of Queensland focused expertise, innovation and service in the fields of Indigenous law, government and infrastructure.

Program structure

8.30 – 9.00 am	Registration
9.00 – 9.30 am	Introduction and Identifying Local Issues
9.30 – 10.00 am	How are public works projects affected? Distinguishing native title and Indigenous cultural heritage
10.00 – 10.45 am	Legal Compliance and native title Legal Compliance and Indigenous cultural heritage What sort of public works projects are affected? Native Title – future acts Cultural Heritage – activities causing harm
10.45 – 11.00 am	Policy Developments Direction of Commonwealth native title policy Township expansion and land release policies Local government ULIA program Strategic “tenure resolution” policy Reconciliation Action Plans
11.00 – 11.30 am	Morning Tea
11.30 am – 1.00 pm	Continuation on Policy Developments Indigenous cultural heritage compliance Detailing the statutory compliance requirements Discussion on compliance options Practical tools for achieving compliance <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Cultural heritage compliance checklist • Guide to identifying the right Aboriginal Party • Guide to searching Cultural Heritage Register and Database • Guide to cultural heritage agreements • Guide to Cultural Heritage Managements Plans
1.00 – 1.45 pm	Lunch
1.45 – 4.00 pm	Native Title compliance Detailing the compliance requirements Discussing the compliance options Practical tools for achieving compliance <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Native title compliance checklist • Guide to Indigenous land use agreements • Guide to other future act compliance alternatives • Guide to compulsory acquisition of native title • Example of a future act notice
4.00 – 4.30 pm	Summary

This program is available for in-house delivery. For a one-off cost, Council may host the program and invite adjoining Councils to participate. The savings are worthwhile both in time and cost of travel and accommodation for staff, and may allow Councils to have more staff participate than would otherwise be possible.

CPD points for CPEng & RPEQ = 5 hours 45 mins



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Registration

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Confirmation of registration and further details will be advised prior to the Program.
Please tick if you do not wish to receive information from IPWEAQ

Name: Position/Title:..... Member
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Council/Organisation:

Mailing Address:

Phone No: Fax No: Email:

Location and Date of Program:

All prices include GST

Payment for:	IPWEAQ Member	Non Member	Total Amount (inc GST)
Registration	\$650.00	\$750.00	\$
Discount Registration*	\$610.00	\$710.00	\$

*Note: Discount applies where three or more persons attend from one Council / Organisation

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Please note Native Title and your surname as the reference.

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