

AUSTRALIAN CAPITAL TERRITORY

OCCUPATIONAL HEALTH AND SAFETY ACT 1989

NATIONAL OCCUPATIONAL HEALTH AND SAFETY CERTIFICATION
STANDARD FOR USERS AND OPERATORS OF INDUSTRIAL EQUIPMENT
[NOHSC:1006(1992)]

NO 121 OF 1993

EXPLANATORY STATEMENT

Under Section 87(1) of the ACT Occupational Health and Safety Act 1989, the Minister may approve a code of practice for the purpose of providing practical guidance to employers, self-employed persons and employees.


This instrument is written pursuant to Section 87 of the Act.

The instrument has been referred to the ACT Occupational Health Safety Council in accordance with Section 87(2) of the Occupational Health and Safety Act 1989. The Occupational Health and Safety Council has recommended the adoption of the Standard.

The instrument specifies national uniform certification classes and competency standards for; Scaffolding and Rigging; Crane and Hoist Operation and Pressure Equipment Operation. This national standard applies to arrangements for issuing Occupational Health and Safety certificates of competency for users and operators of industrial equipment on a nationally uniform basis and is part of a national certification scheme.

It addresses matters common to all certificate classes, such as eligibility criteria, supervised and accredited training requirements, assessment and arrangements for establishing nationally consistent registers.

Dated *second* day of *September* 1993


Wayne Bruce Berry
Deputy Chief Minister
On behalf of the
Chief Minister

August 1993