

BUILDING ADVISORY SERVICES BRANCH

BUILDING NOTE

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PREMISES STANDARDS

IMPORTANT CHANGES IN BUILDING REQUIREMENTS AFFECTING BUILDING PROFESSIONALS, CERTIFIERS, DEVELOPERS AND BUILDING MANAGERS

Essential opportunity for building professionals to learn about the changes

The purpose of this Building note is to remind you and your colleagues of an important seminar on new design, construction and building management requirements expected to come into force on 1 May 2011.

These new requirements are to be included in Premises Standards. The Premises Standards specifically identify those responsible for the design, certification and management of new and renovated buildings as having a responsibility to ensure the requirements of the Premises Standards are met. These same requirements are expected to be included in a revised Building Code of Australia at the same time.

The seminars will be presented by the **Australian Building Codes Board** and the **Australian Human Rights Commission**.

The seminars will be an important opportunity for building professionals to receive in-depth information and training on the Premises Standards before the requirements come into force and I am sure you and your colleagues will find the opportunity to participate in one of the seminars invaluable.

More information including registration can be found at
http://humanrights.gov.au/disability_rights/buildings/ps_registration.htm

Darwin Convention Centre	27 August 8:45am.- 1.00pm	Meeting Rooms 3 + 4	Stokes Hill Road Darwin NT 0800
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