



EXPLAIN THE REGULATORY FRAMEWORK FOR ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT

Unit Standard: 264458



Course Information



Qualification Title

National Certificate: Environmental Management

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Explain the Regulatory Framework for Environmental Management

Course Level

5

Course Credits

8

Course Duration

Three days

Cost of Course

R 2 800,00 per delegate (excluding 15% VAT)

Course Overview

The course enables delegates to understand the fundamental details regarding environmental legislation. While not intended to cover the entire legislation around environmental matters, this course guides how to govern the behaviour and actions of operational personnel in the field of environmental management.

This highly interactive and practical course is designed to provide delegates with a sound knowledge of all elements that involve the environmental practice or profession to:

- Describe the role of the constitution in environmental law in the country.
- Explain the impact of the National Environmental Management Act (NEMA) on the environment.
- Identify and explain other legislation for the environment.

Environmental Management

Who Should Attend?	• Individuals who have an interest in obtaining knowledge in environmental legislation. • Those wanting to shape their behaviour around environmental matters.
Course Objectives	• The fundamental objective of the course is to equip the delegate with the required skills, sound knowledge, and understanding of the regulatory framework that governs all matters pertaining to the environment. Importantly, the delegate also acquires a legal understanding of environmental issues and begins to appreciate how the law impacts our understanding of the environment.
Benefits	Benefits of this course include: • Ability to explain the regulatory framework for environmental management. • Application of fundamental knowledge of environmental ethics to a field of work or study. • Improved quality of environmental ethics practice.

Course Content

Course Modules	Course modules consist of: 1. Concepts of the state, society, and the law in relation to the Constitution and the relationships between them. 2. The Constitution of the Republic of South Africa in terms of its status as the most important legal document of the country. 3. Identifying relevant sections pertaining to the environment in the Constitution – analysis on how the Constitution forms the basis of other legislation for the environment. 4. Discussing and evaluating the NEMA in terms of its importance and significance in the preservation of the environment. 5. NEMA's national environment management principles and how they form the basis for most of the work pertaining to the environment. 6. Identifying and explaining sections of the NEMA that regulate organisational/human behaviour in terms of how they can demonstrate individual and collective responsibility for the environment.
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	7. Examining current legislation and policies pertaining to the environment in terms of their relationships to the legal framework for the environment and their impact on the environmental sector. 8. Acts and their impact on environmental work to develop a holistic approach to the environment. 9. Identifying legislation strengths and weaknesses to identify opportunities and challenges within the regulatory environment.
Certification and Assessments	All delegates who complete the summative assessment will be assessed, moderated, and receive a SOR (Statement of Results). Thereafter a Certificate of Competence from WWiSE (or SETA for qualifications) will be issued.

About WWiSE

Who are we?

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What do we do?

Our services are aimed at the improvement of quality, efficiency, knowledge, and competitiveness of client companies. This service range includes:

- ISO and SHERQ Systems implementation services, whereby we assist clients in meeting the requirements of (but not limited to) ISO 9001, 14001, 22000, 31000, 27001, 20000-1, 50001, and ISO 45001 Standards.
- Integrated Management Systems development whereby we integrate several business systems and management solutions into a single management system to comply with standards.
- Training of all employees (Shop Floor to Executive Management) in the fields of SHERQ, Engineering, Finance, Business, and Project Management to meet job responsibilities and expertise requirements of International Standards.
- ISO and Legal Auditing which includes Gap Analysis Audits, Product, Process, Procedural, and Systems auditing by our registered SAATCA Auditors.
- Customised web-based solutions integrating current systems to be in line with ISO requirements.

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