

## **Training and awareness outreach**

NICNAS's preferred approach to ensuring compliance with our legislation is to work with industry, providing advice to help you understand your regulatory obligations, and assistance in finding the most practical way to meet those obligations.

As part of our commitment to raising industry awareness, NICNAS conducts free training and awareness sessions each year. These training sessions are open to all interested stakeholders, such as registered chemical introducers and regulatory consultants.

NICNAS officers will be in Perth and Adelaide during 1st– 14th December 2010 conducting stakeholders training sessions and are seeking an expression of interest on attendance.

### **The first presentation will be an “Introduction to NICNAS” and will cover the following topics:**

Overview of regulatory obligations for all chemical introducers;  
NICNAS Registration;  
The Australian Inventory of Chemical Substances (AICS) and searching listed chemicals;  
New chemical notification & assessment, including exemptions;  
Annual reporting of chemicals to NICNAS;  
Existing Chemicals;  
Prior Informed Consent chemicals (PIC); and  
NICNAS Compliance & Enforcement functions

### **The second presentation will be “Cosmetics – your regulatory obligations” and will cover:**

Overview of regulatory obligations for all chemical introducers;  
What is a cosmetic and why assess them?  
NICNAS registration for imported or manufactured cosmetics;  
Cosmetics vs Therapeutic goods;  
Reporting requirements;  
Australian Inventory of Chemical Substances (AICS);  
New industrial chemicals;  
The Cosmetics Standard 2007;  
The NICNAS Cosmetics Guidelines; and  
Cosmetics and toiletries – ingredient labeling

**The final presentation will be “Industrial nanomaterials” and will cover:**

What is an "industrial nanomaterial"?

How nanomaterials are currently regulated?

Why is regulation needed?

NICNAS's consultation results on a proposal for regulatory reform of industrial nanomaterials;

Administrative arrangement changes for nanoforms of new chemicals; and

How to get more information.

Expressions of interest for Perth and Adelaide 2010 training sessions will be accepted from 20 October – 20 November 2010. If you wish to attend please provide your name; industry/company; number of attendees; preferred city and sessions, and email to [outreach@nicnas.gov.au](mailto:outreach@nicnas.gov.au)

Further outreach sessions are planned for 2011 in other Australian cities with an updated provided early next year. Expressions of interest to be emailed to [outreach@nicnas.gov.au](mailto:outreach@nicnas.gov.au)

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