



## ARE YOU PROTECTING YOUR RESOURCES

# IT WILL NEVER HAPPEN TO ME

Unfortunately there are many individuals and organisations that take this approach.

They have many reasons for believing this and they will try extremely hard to convince you, and themselves, that they are right, however, they very rarely convince the magistrate when they end up in court.

Excuses like;

We are only a small company. The Legislation doesn't apply to us.

**WRONG**

We only use skilled tradespeople and they know what they are doing so we are exempt.

**WRONG**

I am self employed so I don't need all of this stuff.

**WRONG**

I am the Director. I have hired a Manager who is responsible for all of this.

**WRONG**

The various Occupational or Workplace Health and Safety Acts and Regulations apply to **EVERYONE** who owns or operates a business. Every state has similar Legislation and even though the wording may be different and some States may be more prescriptive than others, basically they require Employers and Self Employed persons to adopt a Risk Management approach to managing Workplace Health and Safety.

With over 30 years experience in a variety of industries, Dave Chapman can assist you in providing a Safer and More Productive Workplace.

Safety is not something to be scared of as we all practice it every day of our lives. We are all constantly doing things like Risk Assessments without even knowing it.

Imagine how effective your workplace could be if your employees knew the reasoning behind Risk Assessments and how to use them in the workplace.

Even if you have an existing system in place, how long since you conducted an audited to ensure that your documentation has been reviewed, your Material Safety Data Sheets are all current and that your Policies and Procedures reflect any changes to Legislation

Please read the following pages and see how well your business measures up and then let Dave Chapman explain how Discovery Training Pty. Ltd. can assist you in rectifying any identified short-comings in your organisation.