

# Building Control — Building Regulation

## News Update

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### **BCA 2010 INFORMATION SEMINAR** and AIRAH Training Opportunity

#### **PURPOSE**

The purpose of this News Update is to advise building practitioners and other users of the Building Code of Australia (BCA) of an Information Seminar on the changes to the BCA to be held in Hobart on 27 April 2010.

#### **BACKGROUND**

The Australian Building Codes Board (ABCB) is hosting a series of Seminars in capital cities to inform building practitioners and industry stakeholders of the changes to BCA 2010 that will come into effect on 1 May 2010.

#### **Seminar time**

The Tasmanian Seminar BCA Seminar will be held on 27 April 2010 at the Hotel Grand Chancellor, Davey Street, Hobart. The Seminar begins at 9.30 am and concludes at 12.30 pm.

#### **Important changes**

The half-day seminars are an important learning opportunity which will update you on the many amendments to the BCA. A major focus of this year's seminars is energy efficiency. There will also be a short overview of the BCA provisions for 6 Star energy efficiency and a more detailed look at revised Commercial Building energy efficiency. Although neither of these changes will apply to Tasmania at this time it is an opportunity to understand the changes, and for designers to assist clients to voluntarily implement increased energy efficiency stringencies. Handbooks providing detail on these provisions will be included in your seminar satchels, along with other key information relating to the amendments.

#### **Registration**

A Registration Form is attached to this News Update. Registration may also be completed online – visit the ABCB website: [www.abcb.gov.au](http://www.abcb.gov.au) for registration and more information

#### **Continuing Professional Development**

As a formal building industry training activity this Seminar will earn attendees 3 CPD points and attendance certificates will be provided at the end of the Seminar. AIRAH will be conducting training on Section J (Volume 1) at the same venue in the afternoon. Register at [www.airah.org.au](http://www.airah.org.au)

#### **FURTHER INFORMATION**

For more details about building or plumbing legislation contact the Workplace Standards Tasmania Helpline:  
Phone: (in Tasmania) 1300 366 322. Phone: (outside Tasmania) (03) 6233 7657.  
Fax: (03) 6233 8338 Email: [wstinfo@justice.tas.gov.au](mailto:wstinfo@justice.tas.gov.au) Website: [www.wst.tas.gov.au/building](http://www.wst.tas.gov.au/building)



BAF Consulting on behalf of the  
Australian Building Codes Board  
invites you to register for the



# BCA 2010



## INFORMATION SEMINARS

Updates to the Building Code of Australia (BCA) for 2010 have been finalised, and as building industry practitioners you need to know what changes are coming into effect. Presenters from the Australian Building Codes Board (ABCB) will inform you of these changes at a series of Information Seminars, commencing late March 2010, in a capital city near you.

If you are involved in the building industry, the half-day seminars are an important learning opportunity which will update you on the amendments to the BCA. A major focus of this year's seminars is energy efficiency and you will hear about the changes affecting a majority of States and Territories which have been incorporated into BCA 2010. Handbooks providing detail on these provisions will be included in your seminar satchels, along with other key information relating to the amendment.

If you are involved in the building and construction industry then you should attend –  
**BCA 2010 takes effect on 1 May 2010.**

Please see overleaf for your registration form or register online at [www.abcb.gov.au](http://www.abcb.gov.au)  
For more information email: [bafc8mp@bigpond.net.au](mailto:bafc8mp@bigpond.net.au)

## Don't miss out on this important learning opportunity

Note: you may be eligible for Continuing Professional Development (CPD) points if you attend – please contact the administrator of your CPD scheme. Certificates of Attendance will be available for collection on the day.

*Details on this brochure were correct at the time of printing. The Seminar organisers retain the right to alter any or all of the Seminar details.*



The ABCB is proud to support the AIRAH afternoon Information Workshops on Section J (Volume One), which will be held at the majority of locations. **Please note that you will need to register separately for these sessions and that the AIRAH Workshops will not necessarily be conducted on all days of the ABCB Seminars.** To find out more, visit the AIRAH website at - [www.airah.org.au](http://www.airah.org.au) or email - [victoria@airah.org.au](mailto:victoria@airah.org.au)



# REGISTRATION FORM

One form per delegate.

## BCA 2010 INFORMATION SEMINARS - PROGRAM DETAILS

Booking and pre-payment are essential and required no later than 7 days prior to the seminar.

Tick one option

	Location	Date	Venue	Street
	Canberra	25 March	Sutherland Theatre, National Convention Centre	31 Constitution Avenue, Canberra ACT 2601
	Sydney Option 1	31 March	The Theatre, Australian National Maritime Museum	Darling Harbour, Sydney NSW 2000
	Sydney Option 2	1 April		
	Brisbane Option 1	13 April	Royal on the Park	Cnr Alice & Albert Streets, Brisbane Qld 4000
	Brisbane Option 2	14 April		
	Darwin	16 April	Novotel Atrium	100 the Esplanade, Darwin NT 0800
	Adelaide	20 April	Stamford Plaza	150 North Terrace, Adelaide SA 5000
	Perth Option 1	22 April	City West Function Centre	45 Plaistowe Mews, West Centre, West Perth WA 6005
	Perth Option 2	23 April		
	Hobart	27 April	Hotel Grand Chancellor	1 Davey Street, Hobart Tas. 7000
	Melbourne Option 1	29 April	The Village Roadshow Theatre, State Library of Victoria, Conference Centre	328 Swanston Street, Melbourne Vic. 3000 (pls use Entry 3 La Trobe Street)
	Melbourne Option 2	30 April		

\*Information regarding parking and public transport to the venues can be found on the ABCB website – [www.abcb.gov.au](http://www.abcb.gov.au)

First Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Surname: \_\_\_\_\_

Tel: \_\_\_\_\_ Fax: \_\_\_\_\_

Organisation: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

\*Email: \_\_\_\_\_

\*If you wish to receive acknowledgement of your registration, please provide your email address

COST:  Standard: \$195  BCA Subscriber: \$180

\*\* Please note: these fees do not include registration for the AIRAH Workshops. Please register separately at [www.airah.org.au](http://www.airah.org.au)

Total Payment of \$ \_\_\_\_\_ is made by:

Cheque (made payable to **BCA National Seminar Series**)

Credit Card Visa / Mastercard (please circle)

Card No: \_\_\_\_\_ Expiry Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Name on Card: \_\_\_\_\_ Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Please scan and email your registration to [bafc8mp@bigpond.net.au](mailto:bafc8mp@bigpond.net.au) or mail with your payment to:  
BAF Consulting, BCA Seminars, PO Box 4457 Eight Mile Plains Qld 4113 ABN: 42 087 006 509

Sessions begin at 9.30am and conclude at 12.30pm in all locations. The registration fee includes tea and coffee on arrival and morning tea. Please note that dress codes may apply at some venues. For information about parking at the above venues, please visit the ABCB website at [www.abcb.gov.au](http://www.abcb.gov.au)

On the day – registration and receipt of handouts commences at 9.00am. Attendance certificates will only be available at the end of the seminar, to delegates that have pre-registered and checked in upon arrival. Delegates that have not pre-registered will receive their certificate by mail or email after the seminar.

You can also register online and pay Standard: \$175 or BCA Subscriber: \$160 – visit [www.abcb.gov.au](http://www.abcb.gov.au)

All prices are GST inclusive. This document will be a tax invoice for GST when fully completed and payment is made.

Cancellation policy – a full refund is available for written cancellations received up to 7 days prior to the seminar. No refunds for cancellations received less than 7 days prior to the event. Substitute nominees may attend at the prescribed rate. Please advise in writing 3 days prior to the seminar so that the correct name will be available upon registration. No refunds will be available on the day. Strictly no cash payments will be accepted on the day. Please note that delegates are expected to abide by the terms and conditions of the venues.