

5 SOURCES OF FURTHER INFORMATION

- ✓ Your supervisor or employer.
- ✓ Your employees' safety representative or health and safety committee.
- ✓ Your fire warden or first aid officer.
- ✓ Your union representative.
- ✓ WorkCover and Workplace Standards Tasmania.

You can't be sacked for making a reasonable safety complaint

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For more information contact
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**WHAT
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YOU CAN HELP PREVENT WORKPLACE ACCIDENTS

5 THINGS YOU MUST DO

- Work with your employer and co-workers to improve safety.
- Obey reasonable instructions; follow safe procedures to do your work.
- Not put yourself or your co-workers at risk.
- Report accidents, near misses and hazards.
- Use protective equipment the correct way.

Everyone has the right to work in a safe and healthy workplace

5 THINGS YOUR EMPLOYER MUST PROVIDE YOU WITH

- A safe work environment.
- Safe procedures to do your work.
- Safe equipment and substances.
- Training, information and supervision.
- Protective equipment if you need it.

5 WAYS TO FIX SAFETY PROBLEMS

- Remove hazards completely from your workplace.
- Replace hazards with a safer alternative.
- Isolate hazards away from people.
- Adapt equipment so it's safer.
- Change work practices.

Don't fall for the idea that only wimps use safety gear!