



Australian Government

Royal Australian Mint

Public Notice of Comcare's acceptance of undertaking

Notice of Acceptance of an Enforceable Undertaking under Part 11 of the *Work Health and Safety Act 2011* (Cth) (WHS Act).

On 4 May 2019, a worker engaged by the Royal Australian Mint, was exposed to a risk of death or serious injury when a blanking press fell during relocation at the Mint's premises.

Comcare investigated the incident and subsequently alleged that the Mint contravened sections 32, 33, 19(1), 19(3)(a), 19(3)(c) and 19(3)(f) of the WHS Act.

This notice has been placed under the terms of an enforceable undertaking and acknowledges acceptance of an undertaking, that is enforceable under the WHS Act, from the Royal Australian Mint, ABN 45 852 104 259 as finalisation of the alleged contravention.

The Royal Australian Mint regrets that the incident occurred.

The undertaking requires the following actions:

- A grant (in accordance with relevant requirements under finance laws applicable to the Royal Australian Mint) to the Australian Institute of Health and Safety to fund the update of a chapter in the *OHS Body of Knowledge* on cranes, lifting and mobile plant, and development of accompanying training on mobile plant and contractor management, and professional case studies.
- The Development and installation of a gallery interactive display at the Mint focused on contemporary WHS risk management practices to support community knowledge of WHS.
- Development and delivery of safety culture program for the Mint's leadership team and its workers including the development of a safety training artifact based on a recreation of the incident.
- Partnering with the Australian Institute of Health and Safety, facilitate industry experts developing three solution packages for small and medium sized enterprises responding to WHS challenges involving plant and equipment.

The full undertaking and general information about enforceable undertakings is available at www.comcare.gov.au