

ASP General Information

Contract Delivery

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Subject: Pole Safety Inspection Awareness (eLearn) Course update

Dear ASPs,

Earlier this year Ausgrid rolled out a new 'Pole Safety Inspection Awareness' Course as detailed in General Information notice [GI02_22](#). The Pole Safety Inspection Awareness Course was made available ('Optional') to all ASP workers as an online 'eLearn' module through Ausgrid's ASP Authorisation Management System (Pegasus).

[GI02_22](#) identified a requirement for this course to be mandated to the following ASP classes from 7th July 2022.

- ASP - Class 1A - Line Worker
- ASP - Class 1Xf – Telecommunications Worker
- ASP - Class 1Xg (L) – Apprentice Line Worker
- ASP - Class 2C - Overhead Services
- ASP - Class 2Xf - Telecommunications Worker

Due to internal delays, the intended mandating of this training was not implemented on the 7th July 2022.

Until now, completion of this training has remained 'Optional' with Ausgrid's review showing many of the above classes are yet to undertake the training.

Please note, by **24 February 2023**, successful completion of the 'Pole Safety Inspection Awareness' Course' will be required for all of the above stated ASP classes.

Workers who fail to complete the mandated 'Pole Safety Inspection Awareness' course by **24 February 2023** will be deemed non-compliant for their ASP authorisation and will not be able to work on or near Ausgrid's network.

This training will require annual completion.

For more information, please contact Ausgrid via ASPAuthorisations@Ausgrid.com.au.

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