



Accredited Africa Training Institute for Capacity Development

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COURSE BROCHURE

Environmental Legislation for Risk Management

Business, Commerce and Management Studies / Finance, Economics and Accounting

Unit Standard 242685 · NQF Level 4 · 6 Credits · 3 Days

COURSE OVERVIEW

This course equips learners with a comprehensive understanding of environmental legislation and its critical role in risk management within South African contexts. Participants will explore key environmental laws, regulations, and standards, and learn how to integrate them into organizational risk frameworks to ensure compliance and mitigate environmental liabilities.

Category	Business, Commerce and Management Studies
Subfield	Finance, Economics and Accounting
Unit Standard	242685
Accreditation	SAQA Accredited · NQF Level 4 · 6 Credits
Duration	3 days
Training Method	Online, On-Campus, In-House
Certificate	Issued via AATICD LMS – verifiable online

LEARNING OUTCOMES

- Demonstrate knowledge of key South African environmental legislation, including NEMA, NWA, and NEM:AQA, and their impact on risk management.
- Apply environmental legal requirements to identify, assess, and mitigate environmental risks within an organization.
- Analyze the implications of non-compliance with environmental legislation for organizational risk exposure.
- Evaluate organizational policies and procedures to ensure alignment with environmental legal frameworks.
- Implement risk management strategies that integrate environmental compliance obligations.
- Communicate environmental legislative requirements and risk management responsibilities to relevant stakeholders.

WHO SHOULD ATTEND

- This course is designed for health and safety officers, risk managers, environmental compliance officers, and operations managers who need to apply environmental legislation to manage organizational risk effectively.

COURSE OUTLINE

Day 1: Foundations of Environmental Legislation

- Introduction to environmental law: sources and hierarchy.
- The Constitution of South Africa and environmental rights.
- National Environmental Management Act (NEMA) and its principles.
- Sector-specific legislation: water, air, waste, biodiversity.
- Regulatory bodies: DEA, DWS, provincial departments.
- Enforcement: compliance notices, fines, and legal liabilities.
- Introduction to environmental impact assessments (EIAs).
- Case studies on legislative breaches and penalties.

Day 2: Applying Legislation to Risk Management

- Risk management frameworks: ISO 14001 and legal register.
- Legal compliance auditing: process and documentation.
- Environmental risk assessment methodologies.
- Due diligence and duty of care obligations.
- Waste management and the Waste Act.
- Water use licensing and the National Water Act.
- Air quality management and the Air Quality Act.
- Reporting and record-keeping requirements.

Day 3: Practical Integration and Incident Management

- Incident reporting and management under NEMA.
- Legal procedures for appeals and enforcement actions.
- Preparing for regulatory inspections and audits.
- Environmental management system (EMS) implementation.
- Stakeholder engagement and public participation.
- Emerging trends: climate change legislation and carbon tax.
- Review of comprehensive case studies.
- Developing an action plan for organizational compliance.

ASSESSMENT & CERTIFICATION

Delegates are assessed through exercises and a final test. A mark of **50% or above** earns an **AATICD Certificate of Completion**, issued digitally with a unique verification code. This course carries **6 NQF credits** at **NQF Level 4**.

PRICING (PER DELEGATE, EX-VAT)

Delegates	Training Method	Price per Delegate	Total
1	Online	R 17,900.00	R 17,900.00
1	In-House	R 23,300.00	R 23,300.00
1	On-Campus (Pretoria)	R 26,800.00	R 26,800.00

UPCOMING SESSIONS

Start	End	Method	Venue
10 Aug 2026	12 Aug 2026	On-Campus	Durban, South Africa
10 Aug 2026	12 Aug 2026	On-Campus	Dubai, UAE
11 Aug 2026	13 Aug 2026	On-Campus	Pretoria, South Africa
11 Aug 2026	13 Aug 2026	On-Campus	Mauritius
12 Aug 2026	14 Aug 2026	On-Campus	Abu Dhabi, UAE
12 Aug 2026	14 Aug 2026	On-Campus	Cape Town, South Africa
17 Aug 2026	19 Aug 2026	On-Campus	Shenzhen, China
17 Aug 2026	19 Aug 2026	On-Campus	Pretoria, South Africa

Contact us if no suitable date is listed – on-demand sessions can be arranged for groups.

HOW TO GET A QUOTE OR APPLY

1. **Get an instant quotation online:** visit www.aaticd.co.za, open the page for this course (Unit Standard 242685) and click **Get A Quote / Apply**. Select your training method and number of delegates – your quotation is generated immediately and emailed to you with the course brochure attached.
2. **Apply by email:** send the course title, your preferred training method (Online, In-House or On-Campus Pretoria), the number of delegates and your preferred dates to apply@aaticd.co.za – our team will reply with a formal quotation.
3. **Apply by phone or WhatsApp:** call +27 12 004 8389 or WhatsApp +27 65 077 6310 and we will prepare your quotation and reserve your seats.
4. **Confirm your booking:** accept the quotation and settle the invoice. As soon as payment is confirmed your delegates are enrolled and receive their AATICD LMS login details by email, along with joining instructions for their chosen training method.

Group discounts apply automatically – the more delegates you enrol, the lower the price per delegate. No payment is required to request a quotation.

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