

2024 Top OHS Contraventions Issued to MSA Members



Ranking	Contraventions	Description
#1	OHS Reg 9-22	Risk from Vehicular Traffic - The employer or contractor shall develop and implement a traffic control plan.
#2	OHS Reg. 25-2	Fire Safety Plans - Developing a plan, communicating it to all employees, and holding annual fire drills.
#3	OHS Reg 10-4	Safeguards - The employer or contractor must provide effective safeguards where a potential hazard exists that could harm a worker.
#4	Act 3-22	Establishment of Committees - Every place of employment with 10 or more workers are required to establish an occupational health committee.
#5	OHS Reg 25-13	Compressed and Liquefied Gas Systems - Develop and implement written procedures for safe installation, use and maintenance of a system.
#6	OHS Reg 30-12	Electrical Panels - An employer or contractor shall ensure that every electrical panel is approved for the intended use and location of the electrical panel and is protected from physical or mechanical damage, readily accessible, and fitted with an approved cover that has an approved filler in any unused opening.
#7	OHS Reg 13-5	Load Ratings - An employer or contractor shall ensure that a hoist, crane or lifting device is provided with a durable and clearly legible indication of the load rating.
#8	OHS Reg 9-19	Pallets and Storage Racks - Employers must ensure pallets are maintained to permit safe lifting of the pallets and the pallets' loads and racks for the storage of material or equipment are designed, constructed and maintained to support any load placed on the racks and erected on a firm foundation, which would include knowing and labelling racking capacities.
#9	OHS Reg 25-15	Gas Burning and Welding Equipment - Gas burning or welding equipment must have Flashback arrestors installed on both hoses at the regulator ends, Stored in an upright position and turned off when not in use and gas pressure released from hoses.
#10	OHS Reg 3-12	Examination of Plant - The regulations mandate regular inspections and maintenance of machinery and equipment to ensure they are safe to operate. Keeping records of inspections and maintenance activities and ensuring that any identified hazards are promptly addressed.
#11	OHS Reg 3-4	Duty of the Employer or Contractor to Provide Information - Make readily available the Act & Regulations for all employees and training workers on safety practices and procedures.