# BJS Insurance Group Workers' Compensation Breakfast Seminar





Do you understand how changes to safety legislation effect your business?

# How Changes to Safety Legislation Have Increased Your Liability

### Seminar Agenda - 8:00 am - 9:00 am

Introduction - Simon Booth

#### **Safety Legislation Changes**

Simon Booth Andrew Douglas Katrina Palmer Jav McGrath

Simon will lead a discussion with industry experts relating to the changes to the Safety Legislations in NSW, Victoria & WA.

The panel will discuss how these changes impact employers from a legal, insurance and safety perspective and provide direction on how employers should proceed.

The discussion will cover topics such as:

- What are the legislative changes, when did/do they take effect?
- What are the penalties for breaching the amendments?
- How do these changes effect existing policies?
- How are insurers responding to these changes?
- Why you should continue your Management Liability policy
- What are the implications for current company safety programs?
- How should companies address the additional liability created by these changes?

# Panel Discussion - 9:00 am - 9:30 am

#### **Panel Discussion and Wrap Up**

**Belinda Scott** – Managing Director | BJS Insurance Brokers

## When and where:

Date: Wednesday, 13<sup>th</sup> April 2022
Time: 7:30 am for an 8:00 am Start

Venue: MCG (AFL Dining Room) - entry via Gate 6A

Parking: Eastern Car Park (National Tennis Centre)

RSVP: By Wednesday, 6<sup>th</sup> April 2022 via Eventbrite

# **The Speakers**

# Simon Booth AEGIS Risk Management Services Manager

Simon is a former Psychologist who started his career in Workers' Compensation in 1998. Since then he has worked across underwriting, risk management, loss control, injury management and claims management. Simon is an Insurance Broker specialising in Workers' Compensation, he works with employers nationally to reduce their risks, liabilities and premium spend.



#### **Andrew Douglas FCW Lawyers**

Managing Principal

Andrew is a Managing Principal at FCW Lawyers. He works across safety, Workers' Compensation and complex workers behaving badly to assist business in self-management, exits and risk control.



#### Katrina Palmer DUAL

Sothern Broker Strategy Manager / Senior Underwriter

Katrina joined DUAL's Melbourne office in 2017 as Senior Underwriter focusing on Financial Lines Products, she is also a member of Dual's Statutory Liability Practice Group. Since starting her career in insurance 2004, Katrina has had various roles, including working at International firms such as Marsh, Aon and AGCS.



## Jay McGrath AEGIS Risk Management Services

Senior Account Manager

Jay has over 30 years' experience in Workers' Compensation and Occupational Health & Safety, improving the performance of many employers through focused strategies to avoid and reduce injury rates, as well as improved outcomes through focused injury management. Jay has worked extensively in the transport, health and meat industries and has had significant involvement in manual handling and occupational violence and mental health claims. Jay has improved the performance of many employers through the utilisation of focussed strategies to avoid and reduce injury rates, and then minimise the impact of any incidents that do result in injury.



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