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# VANUATU

## Health & Safety Snapshot and Case Studies

# Vanuatu – Health and Safety Legal Framework

- » Legislation:
  - » Employment Act No.10 of 2010
    - » Employer responsibilities
    - » Employee responsibilities
  - » Health and Safety Act of 1995
- » Department of Labour – [www.dol.gov.vu](http://www.dol.gov.vu)
  - » Health and Safety Unit - inspectors
- » Other Ministries / Department's H&S

# Vanuatu – Public Works Department H&S



Pablik Woks Dipatmen

## Sosol mo Envaeromen Sefgad Trening Kaed blong ol kontrakta



### Helt mo sefti long ples blong wok

#### Wanem we itap long pat 1

##### Helt mo sefti long wok mo ples blong wok

- Ol impotent helt aksen
- Ol impotent sefti aksen
- Ol impotent sefti ikwipmen

##### Ol sefti saen long taem bong wok mo sef trafik kontrol

- Putum aot ol saen blong Trafik
- Kontrol blong trafik mo sefti

#### Ol samting blong lanem

- Bae yu lanem ol impotent samting blong sefti long wok.
- Bae yu lanem wanem blong mekem long ples blong wok blong yu i sef.
- Bae yu lanem wanem samting i sef blong mekem long ples blong wok.
- Bae yu lanem ol gudfala faen blong yusum ol saen blong rod long taem blong wok.
- Bae yu lanem ol faen blong kontrolem trak long taem blong wok long rod.

#### Introdaksen

Sefti long ples blong wok hemi impotent long yumi everiwan. Hemi wok blong yumi everiwan blong:

- I lukaot gud yumi evri taem
- taem aot ol faen we i no stet long man mo woman we i lukaot yumi long taem blong wok
- tolem ol gudfala faen blong sefti evri taem.

Pablik Woks Dipatmen (PWD) itap raatem wan buk long saed blong Helt mo Sefti long ples blong wok.



#### Helt mo Sefti long wok ples

##### Ol impotent aksen long saed blong helt

- Mas kat inaf kin wota blong drink blong ol man mo woman long ples blong wok.
- I mas gat seperet toilet blong ol man mo woman kolosap long wok ples.

- Mas kat gudfala ples blong spel mo haet long ren mo san.
- No mas fosem ol man mo woman blong wok long rabo taem olsem long bigfala ren mo taem we win i strong tumas.



Temporan kamp we ol community i bekim to wes blong wok to East-erobe



Bush toilet blong ol wok man kolosap long ples blong wok, Ambae

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#### Helt mo sefti long wok ples

##### Ol impotent aksen long saed blong sefti

- Ol supavaesa we i lukaot ol wokman mo woman long ples blong wok i mas kat save blong gurim "Fie Aid Kiaa" taem wan i kasem kil.
- Ol Supavaesa i mas save hospital o klinik we itap kolosap mo hao bio kasem wan ambulance o transport.
- No mas drong, drink kava o smokem maruana long taem blong wok o bifo yu statem wok.
- Mas karem gudfala trening blong yusum ol mesin blong wok.



#### Jekem ol wok.



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# Case Study – Vanuatu

- » Project – Vanuatu Energy Access Project
  - Construction of a hydro power plant on Malekula island and the transmission line to the existing power station (22 km)
  - Extension of electricity grid on Santo island (45km)
- » Issue
  - Earthquake caused a landslide which buried the headrace pipes under construction



# Country specific H&S Challenges – Vanuatu

- » Geographical led Challenges
  - Remote area
  - Steep geography
- » Sectorial led Challenges
  - Delayed responses
  - Quality of health services available
- » Country specific Challenges
  - Transportation
  - Health
  - Culture

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