

Memorandum of Understanding

Between

Surveyors Board of Queensland (SBQ),
QLD, Board of Surveying and Spatial
Information (BOSSI), NSW and the Mine
Survey Board (MSB), WA

For

Cooperative arrangements between the
Boards for Mine Surveyors



Government of Western Australia
Department of Mines and Petroleum
Resources Safety

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1. Objective

This Memorandum of Understanding will formalise arrangements concerning Mining Surveyors between the Surveyors Board of Queensland, the Board of Surveying and Spatial Information, NSW and the Mine Survey Board, WA and assist the development of further cooperative initiatives.

2. Definitions and Abbreviations

SBQ Surveyors Board of Queensland.

BOSSI Board of Surveying and Spatial Information, NSW.

MSB Mine Survey Board, WA

MOU Memorandum of Understanding.

CPD Continuing Professional Development.

3. Scope

This MOU sets out the agreements and protocols for cooperation concerning Mining Surveyors between SBQ, BOSSI and MSB.

4. Currency of MOU

The MOU will commence on the date of signature and will continue unless replaced by a new MOU or terminated by any of the Boards upon twelve months' notice.

5. Roles and Responsibilities

Each Board will continue to operate as an independent body under its own legislation. Wherever possible, and specifically as set out in Section 6 below, the three Boards will cooperate on mutually beneficial initiatives concerning Mining Surveyors.

6. Initiatives Covered by this MOU

6.1 Mining Surveyors Recognition

A surveyor wanting to gain a registration, authorisation or an endorsement must do so in the state in which they currently work.

Where a person is Registered, Authorised or Endorsed as a Mining Surveyor in one of the identified States that person will be accepted by any of the other 2 States for that level of Qualification and vice versa under the provisions of the *Mutual Recognition Act 1992*. If there are any restrictions placed on that persons registration in either jurisdiction such as "Open Cut only" that restriction will also apply to registration in the other jurisdiction.

It will be required that the original authorising State Board provides a letter of accreditation (application required) detailing the specific details pertaining to the level of qualification obtained by the individual and any restrictions on that qualification.

6.2 Continuing Professional Development or Similar

The Boards agree that continuing professional development events run in the other jurisdictions will be accepted by the other State Boards.

The Boards will continue to consider and discuss their individual annual renewal and professional development obligation for Mining Surveyors to ensure the requirements remain comparable.

6.3 Disciplinary Procedures

Disciplinary procedures concerning Mining Surveyors will, within the constraints of individual legislation, be aligned as much as possible and disciplinary action in one jurisdiction will be notified to the other jurisdiction.

6.4 Further Initiatives

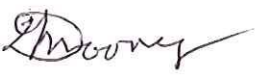





All parties will pursue further initiatives to promote cooperation concerning Mining Surveyors.

7. FINANCIAL ARRANGEMENTS

All parties will maintain their own requirements for the setting, collection and expenditure of fees collected from Mining Surveyors.

Financial arrangements for cooperative initiatives will be reviewed by both parties from time to time.

8. SIGNATORIES

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