



New Zealand Safety Council

Message from the CEO

Kia ora members,

As we move into another busy period for the health and safety profession, there are several important updates and opportunities for our members to be aware of.

Firstly, thank you for your patience while we worked through a recent technical glitch affecting some membership invoices. The issue has now been resolved, and we appreciate members reaching out so we could address any anomalies quickly.

At a policy level, the New Zealand Safety Council is preparing a submission to the Minister for Workplace Relations and Safety on the proposed amendments to the Health and Safety at Work Act. This is an important opportunity to ensure that the voice of practitioners and professionals is heard in the development of legislation that will shape workplace health and safety in New Zealand. I strongly encourage members to contribute their insights so we can represent the realities of our profession.

Professional development also remains a key focus. Later this month we are hosting a lunchtime webinar on tax and legislative changes for consultants, which will be particularly valuable for contractors and independent practitioners navigating GST and compliance obligations.

Finally, a reminder to our Registered Safety Professionals to ensure your CPD for 2025 is recorded before the end of March. Maintaining our professional standards and demonstrating ongoing learning is vital to the credibility and strength of our profession.

Thank you for your continued engagement and commitment to improving health and safety outcomes across Aotearoa New Zealand.

Ngā mihi,

Karyn Beattie

Chief Executive Officer

New Zealand Safety Council

Update: NZSC Membership Invoice Technical Glitch

Some members may have noticed **irregularities in recent membership invoices** due to a temporary technical glitch in the NZSC system.

The issue has now **been resolved**, and invoices should be functioning normally again.

If you **notice anything unusual in your invoice**, please contact Jodi Wright, who will be happy to assist in resolving the matter (jodi.wright@nzsc.nz).

We apologise for any inconvenience and appreciate your patience while this was being fixed.

NZSC Submission on the HSWA Amendment Bill

The **New Zealand Safety Council** is currently preparing a **submission on behalf of members** regarding the proposed amendments to the Health and Safety at Work Act. The submission will be provided to Workplace Relations and Safety Minister Brooke van Velden.

If you have **specific feedback, concerns, or recommendations** that you would like included, we strongly encourage members to contribute.

Please email your comments directly to our CEO, Karyn Beattie, by lunch time Thursday 12th March at karyn.beattie@nzsc.nz

Reminder for Registered Safety Professionals (RSP)

If you are an **RSP member**, please remember to **log into your member profile and record your CPD activities for 2025**.

Deadline: 31 March 2026

Keeping your CPD up to date ensures your **professional standing and certification remain current**.

If you haven't logged in yet this year, please take a few minutes to **review and complete your CPD record before the deadline**.

Upcoming Webinar: Tax & Legislative Changes for Consultants

We're hosting a **Lunch & Learn webinar** designed especially for **contractors and consultants** working in health and safety.

Topic: *Tax and Legislative Changes for Consultants – Avoid the GST Pitfalls*

12:00 – 12:45 PM

This session will cover:

- **Key tax updates affecting consultants and contractors**
- **Common GST mistakes** and how to avoid them
- Practical guidance to ensure **compliance and financial clarity**

If this applies to your work, we highly recommend attending

[Please find the webinar link here.](#)

LIVE WEBINAR:

BOOKKEEPING
— BY JACKIE & CO. —

**TAX AND LEGISLATIVE
CHANGES FOR
CONSULTANTS**

“AVOID THE GST PITFALLS”

**FRIDAY
20 MARCH 2025
12:00- 12:45PM**

JACKIE EDWARDS
EXPERIENCED
BOOKKEEPER AND COO

How to speak with the New Zealand Safety Council

The New Zealand Safety Council Trust (AK1225133) is a Registered Charitable Trust and was established in 2002 to promote Best Practice in Health & Safety Management and Environmental Protection in all aspects of New Zealand life.

To contact NZSC, please contact:

Phone: [021 142 9372](tel:0211429372)

Email: media@nzsc.nz

Website:

[Contact Us](#)

[About NZSC](#)

[Meet the NZSC Board](#)



Facebook



LinkedIn

Want to change how you receive these emails?
You can update your preferences or unsubscribe from this list.

This email was sent to anastasiya.starodub@gmail.com

why did I get this? [unsubscribe from this list](#) [update subscription preferences](#)

The New Zealand Safety Council · Capriole Crescent · 32/1 [Kingseat Road](#), Papakura · Papakura, Auckland 2580 · New Zealand

