



ACLCA PRESENTATION

TOPIC: Site Contamination Assessment Reform

Presented by:

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Time: 12:00 pm for 12:30pm start – until 1:30pm approx.

Date: Tuesday 11 February 2020

Where: Pilgrim Hall (Pilgrim Uniting Church) – 12 Flinders Street Adelaide

Synopsis:

The development industry continue to highlight unnecessary costs, delays and disputes that arise from the inconsistent use of optional planning mechanisms to address site contamination.

To address this, the EPA and the State Planning Commission have partnered with the local government sector and industry groups to reform site contamination assessment in the planning system.

Alongside state-wide planning reform, a draft Practice Direction to guide practitioners in the risk-based assessment of site contamination matters in the development assessment process has been released on public consultation.

An update will be provided on:

- the consultation draft *State Planning Commission Practice Direction (Site Contamination Assessment)* together with a number of road map development scenarios.

An open Q&A will also be held.

Presenters' Bios:

James Cother is the **Principal Adviser, Planning Policy & Projects** at the EPA with responsibility for strategic land use planning and development policy. He also leads complex environmental impact assessments and bridges the gulf between science and planning providing practical solutions to complex problems. James has over 16 years' experience in environmental impact assessment, urban and regional planning, maritime property development, environmental law and policy in South Australia and New South Wales.

Alex Mackenzie is the **Unit Manager, Planning Reform Implementation** at DPTI.

REGISTRATION

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Join us for a light lunch from 12:00 to 12.30 pm – session will commence at 12.30pm sharp!

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