

HOME BUILDERS FEDERATION – HEALTH AND SAFETY COMMITTEE

HBF H&S Committee Terms of Reference



- 1. The Health and Safety Committee acts as the principal policy making body representing HBF members considering all aspects of Health and Safety relating to home building.
- 2. The Health and Safety Committee will review proposed legislation, approved codes of practice, guidance and generally accepted best practice with a view to providing comments on behalf of the homebuilding sector within the construction industry.
- 3. The Health and Safety Committee reports to the HBF Board Sponsor. The Sponsor subsequently reports to the HBF Board.
- 4. The Health and Safety Committee will maintain close links with the relevant regulatory authorities e.g. HSE/EA and aims to have direct contact and dialogue on all homebuilding related Health and Safety matters.
- The Health and Safety Committee is responsible for formulation and maintenance of the Health and Safety Charter and for reviewing the agreed action plan annually as a minimum.
- 6. Members of the Health and Safety Committee may be asked to attend external meetings pertaining to Health and Safety matters on behalf of HBF and report back to the committee.
- 7. Health and Safety matters raised by HBF members, or others and brought to the forum will be discussed and addressed in the appropriate manner to ensure lessons are established / learnt and communicated to HBF members.
- 8. The Health and Safety Committee will invite appropriate trade association representatives to share relevant information that promotes Health and Safety best practice and improvements across the home building sector.