



**Down to Earth**  
TRAINING & SAFETY SKILLS



RTO 32328



# SUPPORT SHOT FIRING

RIIBLA201D Support shotfiring operations

RIIBLA205D Store, handle and transport explosives

**DURATION 2 day training program**

## COURSE OUTLINE

This cluster of competencies is a nationally accredited course that provides the skills and knowledge required to assist surface shotfiring operations in the Resources and Infrastructure Industries.

The support shotfiring cluster covers:

- Support shotfirer legislation
- Explosives properties
- Identification of explosives & detonators
- Planning the blast
- Transport of explosives
- Storage of explosives
- Charging explosives
- Tying & firing
- Record keeping
- Effects of secondary blasting
- Disposal of explosives

Face to face classroom delivery over a two (2) day period will be used to facilitate the underpinning knowledge requirements with practical hands on use of the equipment in a simulated environment.

Alternatively this cluster may be completed at a self-pace using DTE online learning program.

## ASSESSMENT

Both theory and practical assessments will be conducted throughout the course.

Students may be required to complete a logbook depending on previous experience and trainer assessor recommendations.

Access to a mine site will be required to complete logbook tasks.

On successful completion of all components participants receive a Nationally Recognised Statement of Attainment.

## WHO SHOULD ATTEND?

This course is designed for those who wish to gain future employment as a Shotfirers Assistant.

## LEGISLATION/COMPLIANCE

This course covers all aspects relating to;

- Explosives Act & Regulations
- Coal Mining Health & Safety Act & Regulations
- Mining and Quarrying Safety & Health Act & Regulations
- ISO 31000:2009 Risk Management Standard

## PREREQUISITES

Before any participant can be trained in the use of blasting explosives, they must be able to supply evidence of a current security clearance issued by the police which also includes Australia Security Intelligence Organisation checks. Minimum requirement of receipt of application for such security clearance.

Access to a mine site and explosives will be required to complete the practical components of this training.

## RECOGNITION OF PRIOR LEARNING

Recognition of prior learning is subject to approval once student has met with trainer assessor and sufficient evidence can be presented.

For further discussion call the DTE office.

## LOCATION OF TRAINING

Our training centre is located at 12 Little Bramston Street Gladstone, Qld.

Alternately courses can be booked for any location where appropriate facilities can be provided.

Or alternatively can be completed online.

## COURSE COSTS

Course cost options include:

Online: \$850

Face to face: \$1,250 (includes all materials)

## BOOKINGS

Visit our web site [www.downtoearthresults.com.au](http://www.downtoearthresults.com.au) or alternatively contact us on (07) 4972 0709.

## PAYMENT METHOD

Payments can be made via direct debit:

Westpac Banking Corporation  
Down To Earth Results  
Student Course Fees Trust Account  
BSB: 034 126 ACC: 307 847

or by VISA/MasterCard.

## CONTACT US

Please contact DTE administrator to discuss your needs or queries regarding training and upcoming dates for courses.

## REFUND POLICY

DTE has a fair and equitable refund policy in place containing guidelines guaranteeing the refund of fees to participants under reasonable circumstances.

The management guarantees that DTE has a sound financial position and safeguards participant fees until used for training. Please ask for a copy of the refund policy.

We stand by our training excellence 100% and guarantee our product. Should for some valid reason the training does not meet your expectations we shall provide a full refund.

## COMMITMENT

Our facilities and experienced instructors ensure that graduates of our courses leave equipped with the knowledge and skills required for safe work in their chosen field with the breadth and depth of knowledge required for the role. In addition we offer an on-going support service to all course participants including student drop in contact days on a monthly basis.



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