

Model Work Health and Safety Regulations for Mining - Public Comment Response Form

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ction 1.3 page 9 also Appendix A page 50	<p>These pages refer to a document Potvin and Nedin (2003) which unfortunately is out of print.</p> <p>This is an important and valuable document. I use it as a textbook and practical reference for all the geotechs I work with as it is so helpful. I am not aware of any other similar current document related to Australian hard rock mining conditions. Probably in itself it fulfils much of the material in this Code.</p> <p>I attempted to purchase this document recently. However the Minerals Council of Australia advised they were considering whether to release it as a PDF.</p> <p>For maximum benefit from this Safe Work Australia Code, I consider this reference must be available. Can it be reprinted or otherwise made available to practitioners?</p> <p>Thank you for the effort in assembling the Code which I find helpful and bringing valuable focus on important issues. Kind regards Peter Mikula</p>
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