

GERRINGONG  
TO BOMADERRY  
PRINCES HWY  
UPGRADE

The project website for the Upgrade of the Princes Highway from Gerringong to Bomaderry has been updated with information on local road and property access to the upgraded highway.

Please find the update at [www.rta.nsw.gov.au/gerringongtobomaderry](http://www.rta.nsw.gov.au/gerringongtobomaderry).

Should you have any questions or require additional information please call on the toll-free project information line 1-800-506-976 or contact us via email at [Gerringong to Bomaderry@aecom.com](mailto:Gerringong_to_Bomaderry@aecom.com)

IBC  
INFORMATION

The IBC in conjunction with NSWBC have put together quite a few info sheets for members that you may find useful. They are particularly focused on SME's and cover the basics of the CPRS and how to prepare your business.

- **General fact sheet on CPRS**, what it is and who will be most impacted - [http://www.nswbusinesschamber.com.au/reference/influence\\_government/CPRS\\_Fact\\_Sheet.pdf](http://www.nswbusinesschamber.com.au/reference/influence_government/CPRS_Fact_Sheet.pdf)

Below are specific industry "tool kits" to help them make their businesses more sustainable - which will minimise the impact of the CPRS on their business

- **Manufacturing** - [http://www.nswbusinesschamber.com.au/reference/building\\_and\\_sustaining\\_business/RES\\_1935\\_Sustainability\\_Toolkit\\_Manufacturing6.pdf](http://www.nswbusinesschamber.com.au/reference/building_and_sustaining_business/RES_1935_Sustainability_Toolkit_Manufacturing6.pdf)
- **Retail** - [http://www.nswbusinesschamber.com.au/reference/building\\_and\\_sustaining\\_business/RES\\_1935\\_Sustainability\\_Toolkit\\_Hospitality9.pdf](http://www.nswbusinesschamber.com.au/reference/building_and_sustaining_business/RES_1935_Sustainability_Toolkit_Hospitality9.pdf)
- **General office** - [http://www.nswbusinesschamber.com.au/reference/building\\_and\\_sustaining\\_business/RES\\_1935\\_Sustainability\\_Toolkit\\_Office6.pdf](http://www.nswbusinesschamber.com.au/reference/building_and_sustaining_business/RES_1935_Sustainability_Toolkit_Office6.pdf)

FREE UNFAIR  
DISMISSAL  
WORKSHOPS

This is your last chance to register for the **FREE** Unfair dismissal workshops, held this week.

There are big changes ahead for employers in Australia, as the Rudd Government brings in sweeping changes to the national industrial relations system under the Fair Work legislation. With changes expected to come into effect on 1 July 2009, NSW Business Chamber and Illawarra Business Chamber, are hosting a series of practical briefing seminars to help you navigate through the changes with a series of practical briefing seminars.

These seminars are essential for any business who employ staff.

Click on the links below to register for these free events.

[Unfair Dismissal Workshops](#)

**Thursday 5<sup>th</sup> November**  
8.00am – 10.00am

**Wollongong**  
Villa D'Oro Function Centre, Flinders Street, Wollongong

**Thursday 5<sup>th</sup> November**  
2:00pm – 4:00pm

**Shoalhaven**  
Bomaderry Bowling Club, Meroo Road, Bomaderry

[Collective Bargaining Workshop](#)

**Friday 20<sup>th</sup> November**  
9.00am – 11.00am

**Wollongong**  
Villa D'Oro Function Centre, Flinders Street, Wollongong

SHOALHAVEN  
REWARDS  
PROGRAM

Shoalhaven City Council has announced a program to encourage Shoalhaven people to “shop local”.

This program will be a web based marketing exercise aimed at locals and giving them information on any special deals that may be available.

It will be open to all Shoalhaven Businesses to submit their deals and specials at no cost. These specials can be for a fixed period or can be set for any day of the week. It is a very flexible program and one where the business can vary the offers as often as they like.

The web site that will be promoted is [www.shoalhavenrewards.com.au](http://www.shoalhavenrewards.com.au)

This site is already live as a test site. Please feel free to visit the site.

If you, as a Shoalhaven Business would like to offer a special deal please complete the attached form and return via e-mail to Ben Harnwell, Economic Development Officer, Shoalhaven City Council at [harnwellb@shoalhaven.nsw.gov.au](mailto:harnwellb@shoalhaven.nsw.gov.au)

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NOWRA CBD

The summer edition of the Nowra CBD magazine is out now and it has had great reviews.

This is the summer/holiday edition, it has a three month life span and will be distributed throughout the Shoalhaven .

If you are interested in advertising your business in our next edition please contact the Shoalhaven Business Chamber office 4423 3582 or 0412 357 423 and we will organise a representative to visit you.

