



Continuing Professional Development (CPD) BORDER COMPLIANCE PROGRAM

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COMPETITION STATEMENT

The Australian Competition and Consumer Act strictly prohibits anti-competitive behaviour.

This is behaviour that limits or prevents competition.

Examples of anti-competitive behaviour prohibited under the Act includes:

- contracts, arrangements or understandings that are likely to substantially lessen competition in a market;
- agreements by businesses with their competitors to fix prices, rig bids, share markets or restrict outputs;
- acting collectively with competitors when making decisions about pricing, which firms they do business with, and the terms and conditions of doing business.

Participants at Freight & Trade Alliance (FTA) **Border Compliance Program** events are prohibited from discussing with competitors pricing, tenders, terms of supply and any other commercially sensitive information that may be connected with anti-competitive behaviour.

If you hear such conversations, please report them to the FTA host. People involved in any such conversation will be required to leave the session and in serious cases, we will have to terminate the event.

2025 CPD REQUIREMENTS

Congratulations, your attendance at our Border Compliance Program provides you with 23 CPD points (14 points in Stream A and 9 points in Stream B).

Please note:

- you require a **MINIMUM of 30 CPD points** this period (1 April 2025 to 31 March 2026) with a **MAXIMUM of 12 points in Stream B counting** towards your total;
- you will again have to complete a **MANDATORY** course as set by the Australian Border Force and for those that have Approved Arrangement class 19.1 Non-commodity for Containerised Cargo Clearance (NCCC) and/or class 19.2 Automatic Entry Processing for Commodities – AEPCOMM), you may need to complete **Continued Biosecurity Competency (CBC)**.
- We anticipate the ABF Mandatory CPD session will again be 3 CPD points in Stream B with the CBC again likely to attract 2 CPD points in Stream A. We are awaiting further detail as to quantum of point / stream allocation and when these courses will be available; and
- by attending the Border Compliance Program, FTA offers you **complimentary access** to MYFTACPD to complete any additional CPD courses and the CBC assessment (once available).

CPD ATTAINMENT STATEMENT

Your **attainment statement** is available online (including all CPD content completed via FTA online and in-person)

1. Login via MYFTACPD [HERE](#) (your username starts with "FT")
2. Click on your name at the top right-hand side of the page
3. Click on 'Manage Account'
4. Click on 'FTA Attainment Statement'
5. Select the CPD period
6. Click download

Please note, allow **one week** after completing the Border Compliance Program event for records to be uploaded.

If you have misplaced, wish to change/re-set or need to setup your password or retrieve your username, please use the "reset and recovery option" under "Trouble Logging In" - [HERE](#)

Check junk email folder for recovery/reset emails then follow the prompts.

FOR FURTHER DETAIL, PLEASE REFER TO OUR DEMONSTRATION VIDEO AVAILABLE [HERE](#)

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Salta Properties

The Nexus Industrial Precincts in Dandenong South and Altona will feature intermodal hubs, enabling Salta to develop pre-lease distribution centres and warehousing facilities of any scale. Rail links to the Port of Melbourne will help companies reduce container freight costs, improve time efficiencies, and achieve notable ESG benefits. Additionally, both intermodal hubs also provide direct access to the Port via VicRoads-endorsed Road corridors for High Productivity Freight Vehicles (HPFVs) or traditional road freight, as well as access to regular port freight rail services.



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Fremantle Ports

Fremantle Ports is the strategic manager of the Port of Fremantle and a Government Trading Enterprise owned by the Government of Western Australia. It operates across three precincts: North Quay in Fremantle where container, break-bulk and motor vehicle imports are the major trades, but also the Kwinana Harbour, where there are five separate facilities handling dry and liquid bulk. The Kwinana Bulk Terminal and Kwinana Bulk Jetty are both directly operated by Fremantle Ports, while the others are Bp, Alcoa and Cooperative Bulk Handling's facilities. Fremantle Ports' third precinct is Victoria Quay in Fremantle, which continues to facilitate break-bulk and motor vehicles, as well as the emerging waterfront precinct at the quay's west end. The Port of Fremantle is Western Australia's only dedicated container port



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PRESENTATION RESOURCES

FTA thank our 2025 Border Compliance Program event panel of expert presenters – please find below copies of presentations and recordings delivered in Sydney (4 April 2025) – also included are updated PDF presentations delivered in Melbourne (9 & 10 May 2025), Perth (24 May 2025) and Brisbane (4 June 2025)

FTA CPD Biosecurity Update – 2025 (4.5 CPD Points - Stream A – FTA191)

The Department of Agriculture, Fisheries and Forestry (DAFF) explain operations, emerging reforms, systems changes and compliance measures.

Resources: PDF [HERE](#) / Recording [HERE](#)
PDF [HERE](#) (Perth) PDF [HERE](#) (Brisbane)

Compliance with international trade conventions (1.5 CPD Points - Stream A – FTA192)

Department of Climate Change, Energy, the Environment and Water explain operations, international conventions and compliance measures.

Resources: PDF [HERE](#) / Recording [HERE](#) / PDF [HERE](#) (Perth / Brisbane)

FTA CPD ABF Update – 2025 (3 CPD Points - Stream A – ABF0217)

The Australian Border Force explain legislative changes, operations, emerging reforms and compliance measures.

Resources: PDF [HERE](#) / Recording [HERE](#)

FTA CPD Rules of Origin (3 CPD Points - Stream A – ABF0218)

The Australian Border Force provide an overview and outline the compliance implications associated with Rules of Origin.

Resources: PDF [HERE](#) (Melbourne) PDF [HERE](#) (Brisbane)

Increasing Global Tariffs (2 CPD Points - Stream A – FTA194)

Russell Wiese of CGT Law examines the impact of increasing global tariffs and what it means for Australian customs brokers.

Resources: PDF [HERE](#) / Recording [HERE](#)
PDF [HERE](#) (Melbourne) / PDF [HERE](#) (Perth) / PDF [HERE](#) (Brisbane)

Managing the risk of dishonesty in the supply chain (5 CPD Points - Stream B – FTA193)

Russell Wiese of CGT Law explains best practice measures to mitigate and manage the risks in dealing with dishonesty across supply chain participants.

Resources: PDF [HERE](#) / Recording [HERE](#)
PDF [HERE](#) (Melbourne / Perth / Brisbane)

Simplifying Trade Compliance (3 CPD Points - Stream A – FTA195)

Customs and Trade Consultants from DBA Global examine practical operational considerations to simply trade and ensure statutory compliance.

Resources: PDF [HERE](#) / Recording [HERE](#)

Obligations for licensed entities (4 CPD Points - Stream B – FTA196)

Andrew Christie of ACC and Paul Zalai of FTA explain obligations with key aspects of licensing conditions for depots and customs brokers.

Resources: PDF [HERE](#) / Recording [HERE](#) / Mills Oakley: Employing overseas staff – refer [HERE](#)