

What we can do for you, your business and your industry

Ai GROUP ENVIRONMENT AND ENERGY CAPABILITY STATEMENT

Australian Industry Group

The Australian Industry Group (Ai Group) is a peak industry association in Australia which along with its affiliates represents the interests of more than 60,000 businesses in an expanding range of sectors including: manufacturing; engineering; construction; automotive; food; transport; information technology; telecommunications; call centres; labour hire; printing; defence; mining equipment and supplies; airlines; and other industries. The businesses which we represent employ more than 1 million employees.

To find out more about the benefits of Ai Group membership visit www.aigroup.com.au.

Acting for you

Ai Group is one of the most influential industry advocacy groups in Australia. We ensure your views are represented to all levels of government to deliver real outcomes that improve the competitiveness, profitability and growth of your business and the broader economy.

Ai Group acts as industry's voice to government on environment and energy issues including (but not limited to):

- Representation and advocacy of member interests to governments
- Developing written submissions relating to environment and energy policy
- Managing focus groups to gather industry perspectives on a range of topical issues such as energy, water, waste, sustainability and regulation
- Directly influencing Government environmental policies through our environment working groups
- Keeping you informed of important developments in environment and energy issues
- Facilitating forums which provide you with direct access to high profile speakers

Assisting your business

Practical information, advice and assistance on environment and energy related issues are delivered through our Energy and Sustainable Business Help Desk. Members are kept informed on the latest news in environment and energy through our monthly electronic newsletter Sustainable Business News. Ai Group also provides members with updates on key environment and energy issues impacting on businesses through the [BIZassist@aigroup](mailto:BIZassist@aigroup.com.au)® suite of products and services including:

- BIZassistManual
- BIZassistBriefings

Advancing Australian industry

Ai Group is there when you need us most. Our professional Environment and Energy team offers a range of consulting services to assist members with their environmental challenges. Our advisers are not only technically qualified but have an excellent working knowledge of your industry enabling them to identify and tailor solutions to the specific needs of your business and industry sector. Ai Group provides the following consulting and training services:

- Energy auditing and management reviews
- Resource efficiency assessments (energy, water and waste)
- Lean thinking
- Feasibility and investigative studies
- Carbon accounting
- National Australian Built Environment Rating System (NABERS)
- Energy contract negotiations
- Environmental Management System (EMS) (ISO 14001:2004)
- Environment compliance audits and strategic advice on environment legal obligations
- Australian Packaging Covenant (APC)
- National Pollutant Inventory (NPI)
- Group and on-site training – compliance, EMS and operational.

Contact us

Contact Ai Group's Energy and Sustainable Business Help Desk to discuss how Ai Group can help you improve your environmental performance and reduce operating costs.