Executives' Liability: Managing Legal Responsibilities

Training





The purpose of Executives' Liability Training is to help executives understand the consequences of their actions and mitigate negative outcomes.



Areas of focus

Overview - Acting on behalf of an entity

Who is a "company officer"?

 Signing rights (including electronic signatures) and consequences of breach

Employment related matters:

- Company officer as an "employer"
- Delegating employer's rights and responsibilities (including representation in EMAS)

Legal consequences of your actions

Criminal Liability:

- What is a crime?
- Sanctions applicable to entities and company officers:
- Release from criminal liability (statute of limitations, grounds for rejection of a case, etc.)

Administrative Liability:

- What is an administrative offence?
- Administrative offences related to daily activities of an entity
- Administrative sanctions (who is liable, types of sanctions, release from liability, exemption mechanisms, etc.)

Civil Liability

General aspects of civil liability:

- Fiduciary duties of a person acting on behalf of an entity
- "Acting within powers"
 - Exercising reasonable skill, care and diligence
- Delegation of authority and its consequences

Instruments for Protection:

- Professional liability insurance
- Indemnification clauses in internal documents
- "Business judgement" rule

On completion,

you will:

Understand your responsibilities as a company officer, and be in a better position to make decisions, while safeguarding your reputation and that of the company.

Who is this training for?

- Board members
- C-level executives
- Heads of HR, Reporting, Finance, Legal, etc.
- Heads of other departments
- Deputies

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