3 Day Port / Port Facility Security Officer Training Course

ISPS Code & Australian MTOFS Act & Regulations 2003. To the requirements of IMO Model Course 3.21 (2015).

This interactive classroom course is delivered by Scott McEwan AFNI, a former shipping industry executive with 50 years' of maritime industry involvement. His specialising in implementation of the ISPS Code and its associated codes, legislation and regulations commenced late in 2003, when the Code was conceived.

Aims

To provide essential knowledge to those who may be designated to perform the duties of a Port or Port Facility Security Officer with responsibility for security assessments, developing, maintaining and supervising the implementation of a maritime security plan and liaising with ship security officers and ship operators' company security officers.

Topics covered include:

- Practical understanding of the ISPS Code & the Australia's MTOFS Act & Regulations 2003
- Roles & responsibilities of government designated authorities and maritime industry key players
- Application of general risk assessment principles to Maritime Security Assessments – ISO 31000
- Maritime Security Assessments – development and revision – ISO 20858 guidance
- Threat mitigation and responses including cyber – IAPH guidance
- Maritime Security Plans – development, maintenance, audits and records
- Maritime security levels, routine and additional responses to security threats and directions
- Recognition on a non-discriminatory basis of persons posing security threats incl trusted insiders
- Managing and effectively communicating sensitive information
- Effective liaison with ships, ship operators and other maritime industry participants
- Declaration of Security – correct usage and verification of undertakings
- Weapons and other prohibited items – recognition including methods of concealment
- Bomb threats – search and evacuation considerations
- Encouraging security awareness and vigilance – training, inductions, drills and exercises
- Incident and event reporting – legal obligations including cyber

Who should attend

This course is for persons who will be required to perform the duties of a security officer as defined in the ISPS Code Part A/17.2 and MTOFS Reg. 1.20 or 1.25. The course is also suitable for transport security inspectors (maritime) and law enforcement officers.

Entry standards

A basic understanding of maritime transport operations would be helpful. However, there are no specific pre-qualification requirements.

Locations & size

Courses are delivered at Pelagus's venues or in-house with class size limited to 8**.** Training at regional locations is our speciality.

Course schedules are on the attached Registration Form and at www.pelagus.com.au/training-schedule

Price

$3,280 + GST per person at Pelagus's venue. This includes all course material and refreshments. Group discounts are available. Travel expenses to regional locations apply.

Course duration

The course tuition time is approx 18 hours. An additional 4 hours is for exercises, discussion and exam.

Course times are 08:00-17:00 on days 1 & 2 and 08:00-15:30 on day 3.

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Registration

Family name	Mr/Mrs/Ms/Other
Given name(s)	DOB
Job title	ID: MSIC, DL or P'port (Type & nr)
Company	Purchase Order Ref
Address	
Business activity	
Tel	Mobile
E-mail	

Course Locations	Please indicate your preferred dates.		Next course venue
Brisbane	04-06 Aug	20-22 Oct	CBD TBA
Darwin	20-22 Jul	08-10 Sep	CBD TBA
Melbourne	11-13 Aug	13-15 Oct	Level 7, 570 St Kilda Rd
Perth / Fremantle	28-30 Jul	29 Sep-01Oct	Holiday Inn Perth
Sydney	14-16 Jul	15-17 Sep	Level 5, Edgecliff Centre
Other ports	On demand		

Note: Additional travel expenses may be charged for regional locations. Dates are subject to change.

Fee	Payment options (Please indicate your preference)
$A 3,280 + GST	☐ Card - Visa or MC (1.5% surch.) ☐ Direct Deposit
Registered address Unit 93 632 St Kilda Rd Melbourne VIC 3004	Tel +61 (0) 3 9996 0585 Mob +61 (0) 407 264 100 E-mail info@pelagus.com.au

Registration terms and conditions

1. Confirmation of a Pelagus venue and dates is not always possible until 7 days before course commencement.
2. Fees are payable 5 working days before course commencement, unless otherwise agreed.
3. 25% of the fee may be charged if there is a cancellation within 5 working days of course commencement.
4. 100% of the fee may be charged if there is a cancellation within 2 working days of course commencement.
5. Fee valid for registrations received by 31 Dec 2026.

I accept the above conditions. Signature ..... Date .....

Full Name .....