

Pinnguaq Association Health and Safety Policy

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The employer and senior management of Pinnguaq Association are vitally interested in the health and safety of its workers. Protection of workers from injury or occupational disease is a major continuing objective.

Pinnguaq Association will make every effort to provide a safe, healthy work environment. All employers, supervisors and workers must be dedicated to the continuing objective of reducing risk of injury.

Pinnguaq Association, as employer, is ultimately responsible for worker health and safety. As Director of Pinnguaq Association, I give you my personal commitment that I will comply with my duties under the Act, such as taking every reasonable precaution for the protection of workers in the workplace.

Supervisors will be held accountable for the health and safety of workers under their supervision. Supervisors are subject to various duties in the workplace, including the duty to ensure that machinery and equipment are safe and that workers work in compliance with established safe work practices and procedures.

Every worker must protect his or her own health and safety by working in compliance with the law and with safe work practices and procedures established by the employer. Workers will receive information, training and competent supervision in their specific work tasks to protect their health and safety.

As Pinnguaq Association is largely a remote working business and does not have 5 employees working in the same space at one time, it does not require a Health and Safety Representative. However, in the interest of promoting safety in the workspace, Ted Gerry will be assigned that role and will ask employees to do self-inspections regularly throughout the year.

It is in the best interest of all parties to consider health and safety in every activity. Commitment to health and safety must form an integral part of this organization, from the president to the workers.

Signed: 
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