

**ACT 514**  
**OCCUPATIONAL SAFETY AND HEALTH ACT 1994**

**PART I - PRELIMINARY**

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**Section 4. Objects of the Act.**

The objects of this Act are-

- (a)* to secure the safety, health and welfare of persons at work against risks to safety or health arising out of the activities of persons at work;
- (b)* to protect persons at a place of work other than persons at work against risks to safety or health arising out of the activities of persons at work;
- (c)* to promote an occupational environment for persons at work which is adapted to their physiological and psychological needs;
- (d)* to provide the means whereby the associated occupational safety and health legislations may be progressively replaced by a system of regulations and approved industry codes of practice operating in combination with the provisions of this Act designed to maintain or improve the standards of safety and health.