

# Chain of Responsibility Policy





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## CHAIN OF RESPONSIBILITY POLICY

**South Australian Produce Market Limited (SAPML)** is committed to ensuring its employees, market users, contractors and visitors abide by the Chain of Responsibility (CoR) legislation.

SAPML has a legal and moral obligation to ensure that each of its workplaces or 'Common Land' complies and that the business provides a safe working environment.

The CoR requirements are applied not only to the individuals and personnel directly performing roles for SAPML, but also to tenants, contractors and companies that indirectly influence behavior through interaction with other parties within the Market land. (eg: packing, loading, operating or unloading trucks)

No person shall:

- Make demands that would knowingly cause a breach of legislation;
- Coerce, induce or encourage a breach of Market Rules or road rules; or
- Provide false or misleading information that could cause a breach of CoR legislation

CoR and this Policy applies to our employees, tenants, contractors market users and visitors to the South Australian Produce Market Limited site.

Who is covered under this CoR Policy?

- **Consigning** – anyone involved in commissioning a load by road transport
- **Packing** – anyone involved in placing goods on a vehicle
- **Loading** – anyone involved in loading freight or restraining the load
- **Driving** – anyone involved in the physical act of driving a vehicle
- **Scheduling** – anyone responsible for the scheduling, rostering and vehicle allocation process
- **Receiving** – anyone involved in taking possession of product deliveries

All parties must ensure they do not breach the general duty of the Chain of Responsibility by their actions, inactions or demands.

**SAPML will:**

- Require that all parties involved in road transport operations take the necessary steps to prevent a breach of Market Rules and road safety laws;
- Ensure that those parties with responsibilities of activities that affect compliance with Market Rules and road transport laws are held accountable for any breach in their responsibilities; and
- Assist where practical with information and guidance to employees, tenants, contractors, suppliers and customers on the Chain of Responsibility legislation.

**SAPML is committed to ensuring that it complies with Chain of Responsibility legislation.**



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Date