What does a safety and health representative do?

**REPRESENTS**
fellow workers in matters relating to safety and health in the workplace

**IS CONSULTED**
by the mine manager about intended changes to the mine, plant or substances where changes may reasonably be expected to affect employees’ safety or health

**CAN BE PRESENT**
at an employer’s or manager’s interview with an employee concerning the occupational safety and health of mineworkers

**REPORTS**
immediately to the mine manager and employer any hazard or potential hazard

**CAN CARRY OUT APPROPRIATE INVESTIGATION**
in the event of accident, dangerous occurrence or where there is risk of imminent and serious injury

**CAN INSPECT**
any part of a mine as agreed with mine manager or as otherwise provided for in the Act

**CONSULTS**
and cooperates with the mine manager and employers about all safety and health matters at the mine

**REFERS**
appropriate matters to the safety and health committee

**CAN ISSUE**
Provisional Improvement Notices (PiNs) after completion of the relevant training

**LIAISES WITH**
employees, employers and inspectors about safety and health matters

Mines Safety and Inspection Act resources are available at www.dmirs.wa.gov.au