



NEPSI SDA 2014 – prepare yourself for the Reporting

REPORTING 2012: YOUR SUCCESS, OUR SUCCESS

The Reporting 2012 on the application of the European Social Dialogue Agreement (SDA) on Silica has been a success.

Despite the difficult economic context, this positive outcome has been made possible thanks to your participation and the involvement of all the companies, national and European associations of the concerned sectors. The NEPSI Signatories officially very positively acknowledge a steady increase in the involvement and commitment in the “Reporting” and a fulfilment of all identified targets.

6.400 sites reporting their data:
+ 34% compared to 2008

500.000 workers covered:
+ 17% compared to 2008

See the publicly available Report Summary 2012 [here](#)

WE COUNT ON YOU FOR A RENEWED SUCCESS IN 2014!

Since 2006, thanks to the Reporting the NEPSI signatories demonstrate that they behave as responsible industries assessing the exposure risk of their workers to Respirable crystalline silica and taking appropriate control measures. The SDA on Silica is commonly acknowledged by employers, unions and authorities as providing the required level of protection and training of the workers handling the substance to ensure by implementing good practices their exposure is minimised. For the participants in NEPSI, it is a real success.

Between 15 January and 14 March 2014, our industry will again collect data on the Key Performance Indicators of the Agreement. This data are needed to demonstrate that the implementation of the Agreement's principles provides an optimal protection to our workers' health and that no new regulatory constraints should be further imposed on all industries exposed to Respirable Crystalline Silica including your business.

Industry has committed to report on the implementation of the agreement, and now we must fulfill this commitment again and we need your help!

Reporting is simple, you just need to confirm that you assess the risk to which your workers are exposed and apply health surveillance protocols and training. You also will be asked to confirm that you take measures to reduce exposure to Respirable crystalline silica when it happens and that you protect your own workers. It is just about showing that your organisation is responsible. Please do not miss this opportunity!

**Show your commitment to NEPSI SDA and participate in the
Reporting 2014
15 January - 14 March 2014**

PREPARE YOURSELF – STARTING NOW!

Step 1- Make sure you are correctly enrolled in the system

First time reporting? Please contact your national or European trade association to make sure that they have your relevant contact details and can invite you to participate in the process.

You have already participated in the previous Reporting exercises? Make sure you have your former hyperlink and login (use the same ones as in 2010) - if not, ask your enroller (company, national or European association) to re-send you your codes.

As of December 2014, you can access the online system only to update your contact details or the details of the members you have enrolled.

Step 2- Make sure you have all your data ready by 15 January 2014!

More information on data to be reported and detailed instructions on <http://www.nepsi.eu/reporting/guidances.aspx>

FILL IN YOUR DATA AS OF 15 JANUARY

You will be receiving either from your company, or directly through national or international associations, an invitation with a hyperlink and password through which you can access the site reporting form. As from 15 January, all sites can already access their Reporting form by using their access codes, without waiting for the email.

The Reporting period for sites will close on 14 March 2014.

Detailed instructions on the data to be reported on are available in 22 languages at <http://www.nepsi.eu/downloads--links.aspx>.

For assistance consult www.nepsi.eu or contact Claire Lanne c.lanne@ima-europe.eu