

## Human Resources Legislative Update

### Occupational Health and Safety Legislation Passes

**Date:** May 18, 2011

On May 18, 2011, [Bill 160, the Occupational Health and Safety Statute Law Amendment Act, 2011](#), passed at Third Reading, as amended by the Standing Committee on Social Policy. It is expected to receive Royal Assent shortly.

[As previously reported](#), the proposed Bill 160 amendments are intended to respond to the recommendations provided by the Expert Panel on Occupational Health and Safety and would significantly amend the *Occupational Health and Safety Act*.

The Bill should be consulted for specific coming into force information.