

New changes and updates to provincial air approval processes for local organisations prompts September Environmental Legislation training session in London

August 20, 2008 – London, Ontario - Recent updates and interpretations to Ontario Regulation 419/05 (O.Reg. 419/05) covering Air Pollution–Local Air Quality has prompted London-based Tavares Group Consulting Inc. (TGC) to offer a one day training course to southwestern Ontario representatives involved in managing environmental issues within their company.

Adam Quipp, O2E Inc., will present O.Reg. 419/05 information at TGC's 2nd annual session on Environmental Legislation. Quipp will address these and other issues such as time sensitive responsibilities, what to do when you model a Point of Impingement exceedance, in addition to presenting current case studies.

"This session is targeted at the proactive managers who recognize that compliance with the law is a fundamental part of any organisation's social responsibility and are interested in undertaking activities that go beyond legal compliance," said Sandra Tavares, Principal, Tavares Group Consulting Inc.

Additional environmental legislation topics covered at this full-day learning session include:

- Tips to gain faster turn around time for Certificate of Approval electronic submissions;
- Recent changes to odour and noise emissions;
- What to do to comply with environmental legislation;
- Mistakes often made when implementing and interpreting legislation;
- Soil and groundwater contamination issues;
- Dealing with Ministry visits; and
- Going beyond compliance, the social responsibility continuum.

Speakers included in the day are Tom Corbett, Environmental Litigator and Partner at Advocates LLP, Wayne MacLeod, Hazard Control Systems, Frank Colozza, Senior Hydrogeologist and Principal, JFM Environmental, Ron Quipp of O2E Inc. and Sandra Tavares, Tavares Group Consulting.

For complete course offerings, speaker biographies and to register for this session visit <http://www.tavaresgroupconsulting.com/learning/sessions.php> . The September 17, 2008 session will be held at Sunningdale Golf and Country Club in London.

Founded in 2005, Tavares Group Consulting Inc. assists businesses with their pursuit of sustainable development, from dealing with specific key issues to implementing formal programs in the areas of environmental, health and safety management systems, corporate social responsibility, communications and training.

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