

# Safety Matters Award - Application Form

*The Workers Compensation Board's Safety Matters Award is awarded to a Prince Edward Island student who is graduating high school and has demonstrated an understanding of occupational health and safety principles, and has taken the initiative to apply them in school or in a workplace. The \$500 award is to be used for further education and/or training.*

## An eligible applicant:

- ⇒ is a PEI high school graduating student
- ⇒ has demonstrated an understanding of occupational health and safety (OHS) principles
- ⇒ has taken the initiative to apply OHS principles in the classroom or workplace
- ⇒ plans to pursue educational/training opportunities towards meaningful employment

## A complete application requires:

- ⇒ the first two pages of this application form to be completed by the applicant
- ⇒ the sponsor reference form on the third page to be completed by an adult sponsor
- ⇒ all three pages submitted (together in one package) by **May 1** to:

Safety Matters Award  
The Workers Compensation Board  
PO Box 757  
Charlottetown, PE C1A 7L7

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## Student Application Form

Name of Applicant: \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone Number \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

High School: \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Adult Sponsor: \_\_\_\_\_

Use the space provided on the next page to outline how you meet the criteria for the Safety Matters Award. Use specific examples wherever possible to describe:

- the **initiative** (competition, class assignment, volunteer project, etc.) in which you demonstrated your understanding of occupational health and safety principles, and
- the **setting** (workplace, school shop or classroom, volunteer workplace, etc.) in which you applied these principles.



**In the space below outline how you meet the criteria for the Safety Matters Award:**



# Sponsor Reference Form

Name of Sponsor Reference \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

School or Workplace: \_\_\_\_\_

In the space below briefly describe:

- the **initiative** (competition, class assignment, volunteer project, etc) which allowed the applicant to demonstrate an understanding of OHS principles; and/or
- the **setting** (workplace, school shop or classroom, volunteer workplace, etc) in which the applicant applied these principles; and
- how the applicant met the award criteria.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Sponsor

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date



*Personal information collected in order to administer the Safety Matters Award is done so under the authority of the Occupational Health and Safety Act and is in compliance with the Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act. If you have any questions about this collection of information, please contact: FOIPP Coordinator, Workers Compensation Board of PEI, 14 Weymouth Street, P.O. Box 757, Charlottetown, PE C1A 7L7, (902) 368-5680 or toll free at 1-800-237-5049.*