Occupational Noise Surveys and Noise-Induced Hearing Loss Compliance

Prolonged exposure at or above 85 dBA permanently damages the nerve endings in the inner ear. Hearing lost this way cannot be restored by surgery or medicine. Noise also interferes with communication and reduces productivity. Strat Environment has been helping South African workplaces stay safe and compliant since 2017. You receive your full report within 14 days of the site visit.

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Who needs it

Under the Noise-Induced Hearing Loss Regulations of the OHS Act (85 of 1993), employers must:

- Assess potential noise exposure
- Demarcate noise zones at or above 85 dBA
- Implement hearing conservation measures
- Provide medical surveillance for exposed employees

Mines are covered by the Occupational Hygiene Regulations under the MHSA (29 of 1996).

What Strat Environment does

- Assessment of potential noise exposure
- Noise rating of work areas for hearing conservation
- Personal noise dosimetry
- Environmental noise surveys for health, land use, annoyance and speech communication

What you receive

- A noise survey report with a noise map and zone demarcation recommendations
- Exposure results for each employee group
- Hearing protection and engineering control recommendations
- A report you can hand to your occupational health practitioner