

## PRESS RELEASE



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It is the responsibility of the Victorian Office of the Chief Electrical Inspector to ensure that all electrical installation work required for the home – or factory, office or other premises – is carried out by competent people and up to the required standards.

Victoria has the best safety record of all Australian mainland states and last year recorded the lowest number of fatalities due to electrical accidents since records began.

The Office of the Chief Electrical Inspector has awarded ELECTRICAL INSPECTIONS VICTORIA PTY LTD the contract to carry out random audits of electrical work in your local area to ensure compliance with the required safety standards.

The community has a major role to play in helping to ensure electrical safety.

When arranging for electrical work to be carried out in homes and other premises customers should ask the Electrical Contractor two important questions.

- Can I see your licence issued by the Office of the Chief Electrical Inspector?
- Will you provide me with a Certificate of Electrical Safety when the job is completed?

The Certificate is a guarantee for the customer that the electrical installation has been carried out by a qualified and competent person in accordance with the appropriate standards.

So please make your contribution to electrical safety by always asking for a Certificate of Electrical Safety and to see the licence of the electrician.

You can find out more about Certificates of Electrical Safety by contacting **ELECTRICAL INSPECTIONS VICTORIA** on 03 9739 4216 or [www.eivvic.com.au](http://www.eivvic.com.au) or The Office of the Chief Electrical Inspector on 03 9203 9700 or [www.oci.vic.gov.au](http://www.oci.vic.gov.au).

# CONSIDERING HAVING ELECTRICAL WORK DONE?

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Will you provide me with a Certificate of Electrical Safety when the job is complete?

And remember Safety Switches save lives install one in your home now.

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