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2016 AGA Industry Forum

Appliance Safety & Quality Control

With a focus on Portable & Mobile Appliances

The 2016 AGA Industry Forum will be held 24 November 2016 at the Oaks on Collins, 480 Collins Street Melbourne Victoria, Australia.

The Forum will focus on changes to regulatory requirements for a range of portable and mobile gas appliances. These changes will have implications for manufacturers, suppliers, retailers and consultants of these product types so it is important that you know how they will affect your business.

Registrations are limited and filling fast so make sure you don't miss out on this important event by registering early. You can download our registration form at <http://www.aga.asn.au/2016-aga-industry-forum> or contact **Mrs Kristy Stanley** by email kstanley@aga.asn.au or telephone **+61 (0)3 9580 4500**.

The Forum will unofficially commence on the evening of Wednesday the 23rd of November with a three course 'Welcome Dinner' to be held at the Oaks on Collins. This will provide local and international delegates with a networking opportunity in a relaxed setting whilst enjoying Melbourne's fine food and scenery.

The following day, Mr Paul Fearon, Victorian State Regulator and the Director of Energy Safe Victoria will officially open the Forum.

During the Forum we will hear from many local and international speakers discussing a broad range of topics related to the theme; "**Appliance Safety & Quality Control - with a focus on Portable and Mobile Appliances**". A diverse range of distinguished speakers will provide a variety of presentations from many different perspectives promising an area of interest for all attendees.

International delegates and speakers from China, Japan, Korea, North America and Taiwan will provide an insight into manufacturing, quality assurance and regulatory practices, and Australian regulatory authorities will outline new requirements being introduced for various portable and mobile gas appliances.

The Forum will cover a range of appliance types including the following:

- Portable (gas cartridge) cookers
- Portable (butane cartridge) space heaters
- Butane gas cartridges.
- Area heaters (with flue outlet below 1.8m)
- Patio, Pyramid & Column heaters (with outlet flue greater than 1.8m)
- Fire-pits
- Portable LPG water heaters
- Portable gas refrigerators
- Outdoor domestic Barbecues
- Domestic outdoor gas appliances with enclosed cylinder compartments.

Please don't hesitate to contact our Mrs Kristy Stanley and she will be happy to assist with any enquiries regarding the event. Please note that accommodation is available at the venue. You should contact Kristy to discuss availability and room rates.

Seats to this event are limited and we urge to you register promptly to avoid disappointment.

We shall look forward to seeing at the Forum.