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**'FULL HOUSE' FOR MINE REHABILITATION
TRAINING IN SINGLETON**

More than 80 environmental professionals from Nauru, Papua New Guinea, Queensland and across NSW will descend on Singleton this week for a two-day land rehabilitation training program, organised by the NSW Minerals Council.

The event, called "Rehabilitation by Design", will focus on the practical skills of mine site rehabilitation, as well as problem solving strategies for mine employees and contractors working at mine sites.

NSW Minerals Council CEO, Dr Nikki Williams, said the large number of professionals enrolled in the training program was indicative of the commitment to the promotion of best practice across the industry.

"Environmental officers and practitioners working in the mining industry are committed to continuously improving and working collaboratively to drive the industry's environmental performance beyond compliance."

"We have been overwhelmed by the number of environmental professionals who have registered to experience this training program."

"The 'full house' sign is testament to the commitment of each and every person working in the field of environmental management within the industry."

The training program will be delivered by industry experts including Emeritus Professor Clive Bell, Dr Owen Nichols, Mark Burns, Rod Masters as well as NSW Government representatives. It will run on Thursday and Friday, 8-9 March.

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