

## BACKGROUNDER

### Pro Image Roofing and Gutters Ltd.

Pro Image Roofing and Gutters Ltd. pleaded guilty to 16 charges under *The Occupational Health and Safety Regulations, 1996*.

Pro Image pleaded guilty to four charges resulting from an April 2008 routine OHS inspection:

- One count of contravening section 116(2)(a) of the regulations (failure to use a fall protection system where a worker may fall three metres or more);
- One count of contravening section 254(1)(c) of the regulations (failure to ensure a worker maintain a three-point stance on a ladder);
- One count of contravening section 253(2)(b) of the regulations (failure to ensure that a ladder in use by workers was secured);
- One count of contravening section 17(1)(a) of the regulations (failure to ensure all work was sufficiently and competently supervised);

Pro Image pleaded guilty to seven charges resulting from an April 2009 routine OHS inspection:

- One count of contravening section 91(1) of the regulations (failure to provide and require workers to use protective headwear)
- One count of contravening section 96(1) of the regulations (failure to provide and require workers to use appropriate footwear)
- One count of contravening section 253(2)(b) of the regulations (failure to ensure that a ladder in use by workers was secured)
- One count of contravening section 253(2)(d) of the regulations (failure to ensure that a ladder extended at least one metre above the roof)
- One count of contravening section 116(2)(a) of the regulations (failure to use a fall protection system where a worker may fall three metres or more)
- One count of contravening section 19(1) of the regulations (failure to ensure a worker receive training with respect to fall protection and ladder use)
- One count of contravening section 17(1)(a) of the regulations (failure to ensure all work was sufficiently and competently supervised)

Pro Image pleaded guilty to five charges resulting from a June 2009 routine OHS inspection:

- One count of contravening section 91(1) of the regulations (failure to provide and require workers to use protective headwear)
- One count of contravening section 253(2)(b) of the regulations (failure to ensure that a ladder in use by workers was secured)
- One count of contravening section 116(2)(a) of the regulations (failure to use a fall protection system where a worker may fall three metres or more)
- One count of contravening section 116.1 of the regulations (failure to develop and implement a written fall protection plan)
- One count of contravening section 17(1)(a) of the regulations (failure to ensure all work was sufficiently and competently supervised)