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ECSSA news

Christmas 2015



Dear Member,

Welcome to the Christmas 2015 Newsletter;
a Newsletter which brings one era to a close and opens another.

From January 1st 2016 the Membership of both ECSSA and RECI will be consolidated into a single Electrical Safety Supervisory Body under the Safe Electric Brand. This will be operated on behalf of CER by RECI.

ECSSA will now refocus its attention on creating a strong and united Trade Association for Electrical Contractors, who will face many challenges in the years ahead.

Only by standing united will there be an opportunity to oppose the gradual erosion of the work open to Electrical Contractors and other serious issues.

We have seen in the past the manner in which CCTV and Intruder Alarm, traditionally part of Electrical Contractors work, was taken away by a Body to whom Electrical Contractors must now pay very substantial fees if they wish to continue with what once formed a natural section of their work.

The new ECSSA website, which will be launched at the start of 2016, will give details of the benefits available to Members and I am confident that ECSSA, free from the constraints of operating as an ESSB, will offer a wide range of valuable services, including a variety of Training Courses, Technical Advice, Business Services and special deals with Insurers and other Suppliers.

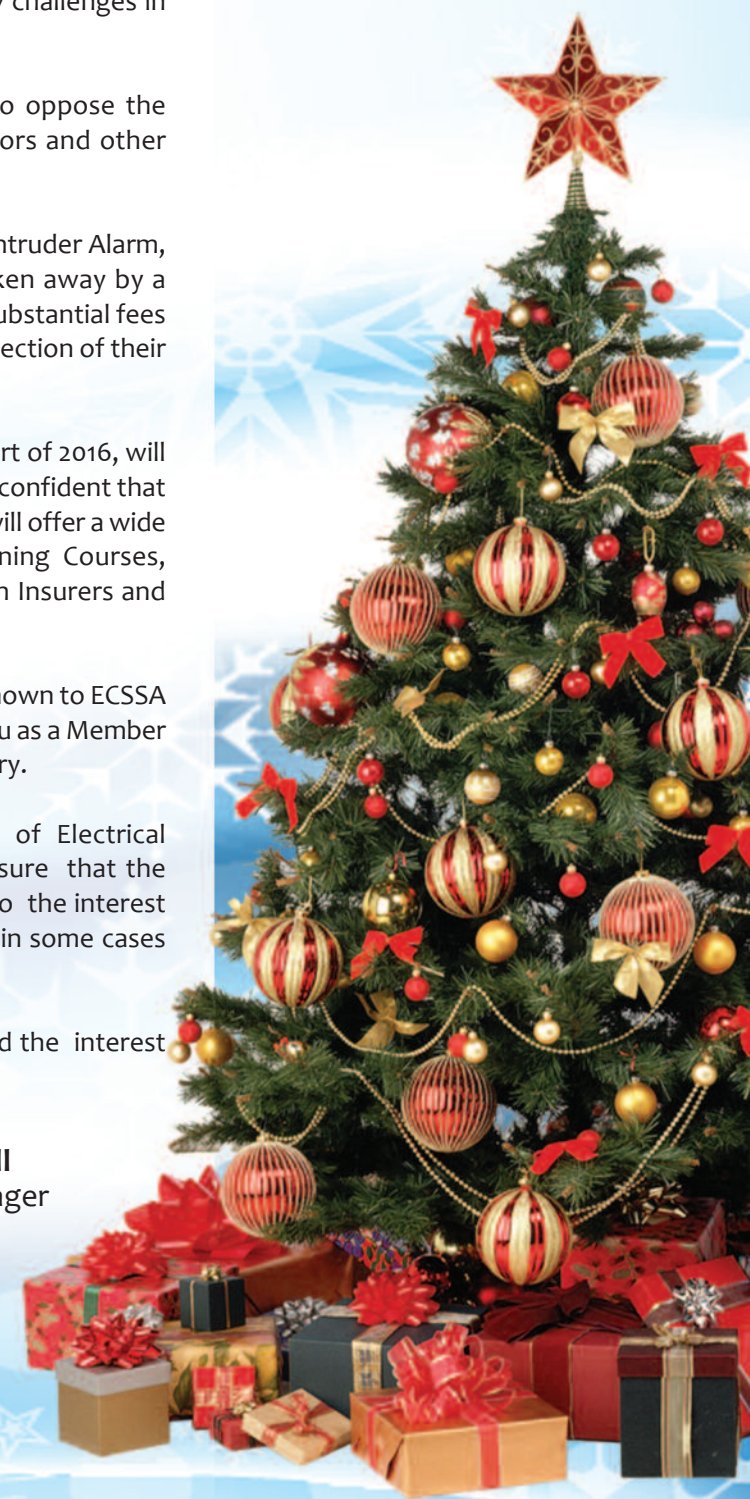
We want to thank everybody for the support and loyalty shown to ECSSA since it was founded in 1997 and look forward to serving you as a Member of what will be the biggest Trade Association in this country.

It was the support and loyalty of you, the majority of Electrical Contractors in the country, which enabled ECSSA to ensure that the provisions, which were or would have been detrimental to the interest of Electrical Contractors, were challenged, opposed and in some cases abolished.

We look forward to continuing to serve your interests and the interest of the industry in the years ahead.

Breeda Moynihan Cronin
Chairperson

Mike Marshall
General Manager



Moving Forward!

On January 1st 2016 ECSSA will commence the enrolment of Members in its Trade Association. Membership of ECSSA is open to any Electrical Contractor irrespective of whether they were registered with ECSSA or not during the time when ECSSA operated as a Regulatory Body for the industry from 1997 to 2015.

For an Annual Membership Fee of €100 Members will enjoy the support of what will be the largest Trade Association in the country, which free from the constraints placed on a Regulatory Body, will be at a liberty to support contractors in a far wider scope of areas than in the past.

Technical Advice, Business Advice, Training Courses, special deals with Suppliers and Debt collection are just some of the benefits opened to Members.

Even more important is the fact that as a Member of a strong and committed Trade Association you will be protected and given advice in opposing any future proposals which could be detrimental to your interests. Access to the Members Only Section to the new ECSSA website will enable contractors to purchase a range of technical publications, Emergency Lighting and Fire Alarm Certs, standard Contract and Sub Contract Forms and other useful business aides to assist your business.

A very competitive deal on Public, Employer, Product & Professional Indemnity Insurance has been negotiated on behalf of ECSSA Members.

A unique feature of the website will be a Stock Exchange Section where Members can advertise surplus stock, plant, tools and equipment or source among the membership a particular piece of plant or equipment or spare parts which they might need.

Contractors will also be able to advertise their availability for Sub Contract work, with special reference to any particular areas where they have competence.

They can also seek Sub Contractors themselves if faced with a substantial increase in workload, which might not be long term enough to justify taking additional permanent staff.

In addition to the Accredited DIT V & C Course which ECSSA will continue to provide at a variety of locations around the country, further Courses such as Fire Alarm, Emergency Lighting, Pat Testing, Structured Wiring and Thermal Imaging are planned for the future.

While these Courses will be open to Non Members, a special Discount will be available to Members. An Instrument Calibration Service, in conjunction with an established and reputable Calibration Provider is also in the final stages of negotiation and will guarantee a speedy turnaround of instruments at a realistic price.

ECSSA is committed to seeking further opportunities which can be beneficial to its Members and is confident that in the years ahead it can play a major part for the betterment of the industry and for those engaged in it.

Now is the time to protect Your Future
and the future of the Electrical
Contracting Industry

Stand United to become a Force

Unity = Strength

Join ECSSA
(Membership Form enclosed)

REMINDER

Ensure that your Qualified Certifier Number is valid and if not book a Verification & Certification Course without delay!

Courses are limited to 8 places and will be filled on a first come first served basis.



Christmas Holiday Arrangements

The ECSSA Office will close at 3pm on Tuesday, December 22nd and will Reopen at 9am on Monday, January 4th 2016



ECSSA V & C Courses - Spring 2016

No.	Date	Day	Location	Venue
1	11th & 12th January	Monday & Tuesday	DUBLIN	Red Cow Hotel
2	12th & 13th January	Tuesday & Wednesday	Killarney	ECSSA
3	18th & 19th January	Monday & Tuesday	Galway	Clayton Hotel
4	18th & 19th January	Monday & Tuesday	DUBLIN	Red Cow Hotel
5	19th & 20th January	Tuesday & Wednesday	Killarney	ECSSA
6	20th & 21st January	Wednesday & Thursday	Galway	Clayton Hotel
7	25th & 26th January	Monday & Tuesday	DUBLIN	Red Cow Hotel
8	26th & 27th January	Tuesday & Wednesday	Killarney	ECSSA
9	1st & 2nd February	Monday & Tuesday	Portlaoise	Madron Hotel
10	1st & 2nd February	Monday & Tuesday	DUBLIN	Red Cow Hotel
11	2nd & 3rd February	Tuesday & Wednesday	Killarney	ECSSA
12	3rd & 4th February	Wednesday & Thursday	Portlaoise	Madron Hotel
13	8th & 9th February	Monday & Tuesday	DUBLIN	Red Cow Hotel
14	9th & 10th February	Tuesday & Wednesday	Killarney	ECSSA
15	15th & 16th February	Monday & Tuesday	Sligo	Sligo Park Hotel
16	15th & 16th February	Monday & Tuesday	DUBLIN	Red Cow Hotel
17	16th & 17th February	Tuesday & Wednesday	Killarney	ECSSA
18	17th & 18th February	Wednesday & Thursday	Sligo Sligo	Park Hotel
19	22nd & 23rd February	Monday & Tuesday	DUBLIN	Red Cow Hotel
20	23rd & 24th February	Tuesday & Wednesday	Killarney	ECSSA
21	29th Feb & 1st March	Monday & Tuesday	Tullamore	Tullamore Court
22	1st & 2nd March	Tuesday & Wednesday	Killarney	ECSSA
23	2nd & 3rd March	Wednesday & Thursday	Tullamore	Tullamore Court
24	3rd & 4th March	Thursday & Friday	DUBLIN	Red Cow Hotel
25	14th & 15th March	Monday & Tuesday	DUBLIN	Red Cow Hotel
26	15th & 16th March	Tuesday & Wednesday	Killarney	ECSSA
27	21st & 22nd March	Monday & Tuesday	Galway	Clayton Hotel
28	21st & 22nd March	Monday & Tuesday	DUBLIN	Red Cow Hotel
29	22nd & 23rd March	Tuesday & Wednesday	Killarney	ECSSA
30	23rd & 24th March	Wednesday & Thursday	Galway	Clayton Hotel
31	29th & 30th March	Tuesday & Wednesday	DUBLIN	Red Cow Hotel
32	29th & 30th March	Tuesday & Wednesday	Killarney	ECSSA

This is a **TWO DAY** Course and will run from 9.30am to 6pm on DAY 1 and from 9am to 5pm on DAY 2

PLEASE BRING:

I. Current Edition of ET101 & Amendments

2. Calibrated Test Instruments (You must be familiar with your own Test Instruments as Tutors will not have time to instruct on specific meters)

Course Fees: ECSSA Members: €350 / Non Members: €380

NOTE: Notification of Non Attendance at a Course received by ECSSA less than 36 hours before the Course Date will entail the loss of 50% of the Course Fee



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