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## Native vegetation removal regulations online training

An online training course that provides an overview of the native vegetation removal regulations is available at: <http://elearning.vic.gov.au/>. This course is targeted at responsible and referral authorities who review and decide on applications to remove native vegetation under:

- Clause 52.16 or Clause 52.17
- planning scheme amendments or
- other approval mechanisms.

Figure 8: Native vegetation removal regulations online training

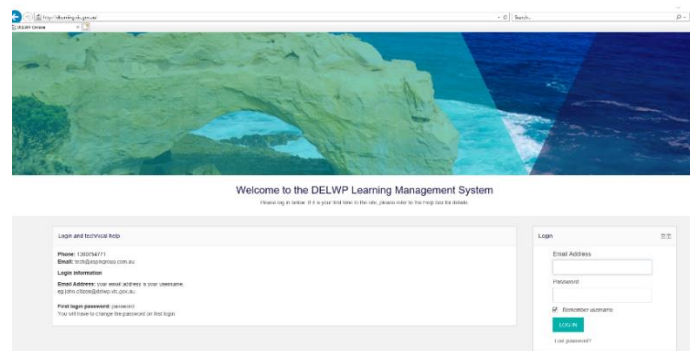


It is also useful for consultants who prepare planning permits and other applications to remove, destroy or lop native vegetation.

The course describes:

- what native vegetation is, its values and the maps used in the regulations
- the permit process including the assessment pathways and application requirements
- offset eligibility and security requirements.

Figure 9: DELWP e-learning page



To access the training, you must log in as follows:

- DELWP staff: your DELWP email address will be your username and your password will be initially be password (you will be prompted to change after the first login).
- Non DELWP staff: email [Nativevegetation.support@delwp.vic.gov.au](mailto:Nativevegetation.support@delwp.vic.gov.au) to be provided with log in details.

Once logged in, click on *site home* and select *Technical and Specialist* and then click on the *Native vegetation removal regulation* tab.

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