

AccuRate Thermal Performance Assessment Training

The Territory Government recently announced the introduction of new energy efficiency requirements for residential buildings to commence on 1 May 2010.

The provisions will require houses to meet 5 Star energy efficiency rating (previously 3.5 Star) and apartments, flats and caretaker accommodation (Class 2 and 4 buildings) to meet 3.5 Star rating (previously no requirements).

The Association of Building Sustainability Assessors (ABSA) will be offering a four day course in the use of the AccuRate software tool in Darwin. The course will cover modules in Design Theory (12 hours), Professional Practice (4 hours) and AccuRate Software (16 hours).

Completion of this course will result in proficiency in the use of the AccuRate software and eligibility towards accreditation.

Date: 19 to 22 April 2010

Time: 9:00 AM to 5:30 PM

Venue: Mantra Pandanas Darwin
43 Knuckey Street Darwin

Cost: \$2,070 (own laptop provided)
\$2,310 (includes PC hire)
(The cost covers the course fee, a training version of AccuRate, morning and afternoon tea and lunch).

This fee does not cover the full version of AccuRate (visit www.hearne.com.au) or other fees associated with gaining accreditation (visit www.absa.net.au).

Please call **8999 8961** to register your interest or for general information.