



RIGHT TO ENTRY PROBLEMS

In the past two weeks, we have had three (3) serious matters regarding right of entry brought to our attention. In each instance, field staff are not responding to challenges in the proper manner.

1. The right of entry does not allow right of anonymity. In all three instances the persons refused to identify themselves. Please review with your staff that this is not proper.
2. The vehicles were not marked, nor was the identification of the firm forthcoming. If your vehicle is not identified with permanent markings regarding your company, ensure that a small placard is placed in the window or that a magnetic sign is affixed to the vehicle in order that a vehicle is identified. Ensure the Party Chief has sufficient business cards of the firm.
3. Right of entry does not necessarily allow right of entry for vehicles and parking of vehicles on property. Although usually this is possible, if challenged the right of entry does not necessarily include the vehicles.
4. Obscene, vulgar and sarcastic remarks are continued to be made by the staff of land surveyors. This does neither your firm nor the profession at large any good. When asked "What are you doing here?", the flippant remark of "What do you think we're doing?" is not the way to start off a conversation.

Please take time now to review the right of entry with your staff. You may have new staff since we last dealt with this. We therefore are enclosing another copy of the right to entry handout. Please ensure that this is reviewed with all Party Chiefs and all new staff.