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"The Employer"

The Chief Compliance Officer thanks the employer for the letter of January 12, 2006 advising the Commission that the employer believes that the employer is in compliance of the Regulation with the exception of complying with the CSA Standard Z460-05. As a result, the employer has requested a deviation from the regulatory provisions that require compliance with the Standard.

Please be aware that current Regulation 91-191 does not require compliance with this new CSA Standard. As a result a deviation is not required.

However, the Commission has developed an interpretation to assist employers and employees comply with the lockout provisions (Section 239 and Section 240 of the Regulation). In this interpretation the Commission references this CSA Standard advising users that they may use the Standard as a guide in complying with the lockout provisions. A copy of the interpretation is enclosed for the employer's reference.

By copy of this letter, the Chief Compliance Officer has advised WHSCC staff of the decision.

Regards,

Chief Compliance Officer

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