



**State of Alaska
Department of Labor and Workforce Development
Division of Labor Standards and Safety**

AKOSH Program Directive 08-12

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To: Distribution List
From: Grey R. Mitchell, Director
Subject: **CSP 03-01-003 Voluntary Protection Programs (VPP): Policies and Procedures Manual**

This Program Directive, PD 08-12, is formal notice that the Alaska Department of Labor and Workforce Development, Division of Labor Standards and Safety recognizes and will implement the Voluntary Protection Programs (VPP): Policies and Procedures manual.

This cancels and replaces OSHA Instruction CSP 03-01-002. The purpose of this manual is to provide guidance concerning implementation of the voluntary Protection Programs (VPP), including revised policies and procedures a) published as Federal Register Notice 68 FR 68475, December 8, 2003; b) affecting VPP participants covered under the Process Safety Management (PSM) standard; and c) enabling AKOSH to employ an alternative reapproval process, the compressed Reapproval Process to Recognize sustained Excellence (CRP), for qualifying VPP Star participants.

Please ensure that all members of your staff receive a copy of this program directive.

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Attachment: [CSP 03-01-003](#)

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