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

**AKOSH Program Directive 12-06**

Date: August 3, 2012

To: Distribution List

From: Grey R. Mitchell, Director

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Subject: **PSM Covered Chemical Facilities National Emphasis Program**

This Program Directive, PD 12-06, is formal notice that the Alaska Department of Labor & Workforce Development, Division of Labor Standards & Safety recognizes and will implement the PSM Covered Chemical Facilities National Emphasis Program (NEP), OSHA Directive number CPL 03-00-014.

PD 12-06 expands NEP – Process Safety Management (PSM) Covered Chemical Plants to all OSHA Regions and State Plans in order to reduce or eliminate the workplace hazards associated with the catastrophic release of highly hazardous chemicals.

The effective date is immediate and cancels PD 10-14 “PSM Covered Chemical Facilities National Emphasis Program” from September 10, 2010 (OSHA Directive number 10-05 (CPL 02)).

Please ensure that all members of your staff receive a copy of this Program Directive.

**Clarifications:** For the purpose of all OSHA Program Directive(s) adopted by AKOSH, the following terms are defined:

Where U.S. Department of Labor, Occupational Safety and Health Administration (OSHA) refers to the following positions or locations; in Alaska their equivalent will be:

**Area Director** = Chief of Alaska Occupational Safety and Health (AKOSH) Enforcement section

**Area Office** = Labor Standards and Safety Division, AKOSH office located at 3301 Eagle Street, Suite 305, Anchorage, Alaska

**Assistant Area Director** = Chief of Alaska Occupational Safety and Health (AKOSH) Enforcement section

**Assistant Secretary** = Commissioner, Alaska Department of Labor and Workforce Development

**Deputy Assistant Secretary** = Deputy Commissioner, Alaska Department of Labor and Workforce Development

**National Office** = Commissioner's Office, Alaska Department of Labor and Workforce Development