

MEMORANDUM

State of Alaska


TO: All AKOSH Staff

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FROM:  Richard Arab, Deputy Director
Labor Standards and Safety

SUBJECT: AKOSH Program
Directive 91-7

Attached for your information and appropriate action is AKOSH Program Directive (PD) 91-7, "Cooperation Between Regulatory Agencies of the Alaska Department of Labor's Labor Standards and Safety Division."

This PD only applies to compliance staff and not to consultation/training staff. It requires compliance field staff to refer apparent violations of Wage and Hour (WH) or Mechanical Inspection (MI) regulatory to their immediate supervisors. The immediate supervisor will then refer the apparent violation to the appropriate section in LS&S. We plan to provide some training on WH and MI regulatory requirements to compliance officers so that they become more knowledgeable of these regulations. This PD also encourages WH and MI field staff to become more knowledgeable about AKOSH requirements so that they can refer occupational safety and health hazards to our section. I hope this will assist all LS&S sections to more effectively target their resources to work places where violations of its regulations are occurring.

If you have any questions concerning this PD, please contact your immediate supervisor.

Attachment

cc: Robert W. Libbey, Director w/attachment
Randy Carr, Deputy Director w/attachment
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