

**OCCUPATIONAL SAFETY
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NOTICE OF ADDITIONAL AGENDA ITEM

MARCH 16, 2017, BUSINESS MEETING OF THE
OCCUPATIONAL SAFETY AND HEALTH STANDARDS BOARD

Pursuant to Government Code Section 11125.3(a)(2), the following item not appearing on the previously posted meeting agenda, is being added to the agenda of the March 16, 2017, Business Meeting of the Occupational Safety and Health Standards Board:

VARIANCE DECISION—PETITION FOR REHEARING

1. OSHSB File No. 16-V-110, In the Matter of Application for Permanent Variance by Riverside County Sheriff's Department.

The above added agenda item came to the attention of the Board subsequent to the meeting agenda being in posted per Government Code Section 11125, and it is necessary to bring before the Board the question of immediate action on the item.

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The mission of the Occupational Safety and Health Standards Board is to promote, adopt, and maintain reasonable and enforceable standards that will ensure a safe and healthful workplace for California workers.

AGENDA**PUBLIC MEETING/PUBLIC HEARING/BUSINESS MEETING
OF THE OCCUPATIONAL SAFETY AND HEALTH STANDARDS BOARD**

**March 16, 2017
State Resources Building
Auditorium
1416 9th Street
Sacramento, CA 95814
10:00 a.m.**

- I. **CALL TO ORDER AND INTRODUCTIONS**
- II. **PUBLIC MEETING (Open for Public Comment)**

- A. This portion of the Public Meeting is open to any interested person to propose new or revised standards to the Board or to make any comment concerning occupational safety and health (Labor Code Section 142.2).

This portion of the meeting is also open to any person who wishes to address the Board on any item on today's Business Meeting Agenda (Government Code Section 11125.7).

Any individual or group planning to make a presentation during the Public Meeting is requested to contact Sarah Money, Executive Assistant, or Marley Hart, Executive Officer, at (916) 274-5721 in advance of the meeting so that any logistical concerns can be addressed.

- B. **ADJOURNMENT OF THE PUBLIC MEETING**

DISABILITY ACCOMMODATION NOTICE: Disability accommodation is available upon request. Any person with a disability requiring an accommodation, auxiliary aid or service, or a modification of policies or procedures to ensure effective communication and access to the public hearings/meetings of the Occupational Safety and Health Standards Board should contact the Disability Accommodation Coordinator at (916) 274-5721 or the state-wide Disability Accommodation Coordinator at 1-866-326-1616 (toll free). The state-wide Coordinator can also be reached through the California Relay Service, by dialing 711 or 1-800-735-2929 (TTY) or 1-800-855-3000 (TTY-Spanish).

Accommodations can include modifications of policies or procedures or provision of auxiliary aids or services. Accommodations include, but are not limited to, an Assistive Listening System (ALS), a Computer-Aided Transcription System or Communication Access Realtime Translation (CART), a sign-language interpreter, documents in Braille, large print or on computer disk, and audio cassette recording. Accommodation requests should be made as soon as possible. Requests for an ALS or CART should be made no later than five (5) days before the hearing.

III. **PUBLIC HEARING**

A. EXPLANATION OF PROCEDURES

B. PROPOSED SAFETY ORDERS (Revisions, Additions, Deletions)

1. **TITLE 8: LOW VOLTAGE ELECTRICAL SAFETY ORDERS**

Article 1. Definitions, Section 2300

Article 3. Work Procedures, Sections 2320.2, 2320.7, and 2320.8; and New Section 2320.11

Article 4. Requirements for Electrical Installations, Section 2340.17

HIGH VOLTAGE ELECTRICAL SAFETY ORDERS

Article 1. Definitions, Section 2700

Article 23. Transformers, Section 2874

Article 29. Capacitors, Sections 2887 and 2893

Article 36. Work Procedures and Operating Procedures, Sections 2940, 2940.1, 2940.2, 2940.5, 2940.6, 2940.7, and 2940.8;

New Sections 2940.11, 2940.12, 2940.13, 2940.14, 2940.15, and 2940.16;

Sections 2941, 2941.1, and 2943;

New Section 2943.1; Section 2944; and New Section 2944.1,

New Appendix A, Appendix C, New Appendix D, and New Appendix E

Article 37. Provisions for Preventing Accidents Due to

Proximity to Overhead Lines, Section 2946

Article 38. Line Clearance Tree Trimming Operations, Section 2951

GENERAL INDUSTRY SAFETY ORDERS

Article 7. Miscellaneous Safe Practices, Sections 3314

Article 10. Personal Safety Devices and Safeguards, Section 3389

Article 12. Tree Work, Maintenance or Removal, Sections 3422 and 3425; and New Section 3428

Article 108. Confined Spaces, Section 5156

TELECOMMUNICATIONS SAFETY ORDERS

Article 1. Telecommunications, Section 8617

[Electric Power Generation, Transmission, and Distribution;](#)

[Electrical Protective Equipment: Final Rule](#)

IV. **BUSINESS MEETING – All matters on this Business Meeting agenda are subject to such discussion and action as the Board determines to be appropriate.**

The purpose of the Business Meeting is for the Board to conduct its monthly business.

A. PROPOSED VARIANCE DECISIONS FOR ADOPTION

1. **[Consent Calendar](#)**

B. VARIANCE DECISION – PETITION FOR REHEARING

1. OSHSB File No. 16-V-110, In The Matter of Application For Permanent Variance by Riverside County Sheriff’s Department (added per Government Code Sec. 11125.3(a)(2))

C. OTHER

1. [Legislative Update](#)
2. Executive Officer's Report
 - a. Update on Hotel Housekeeping
 - b. [Silica in Construction Discussion](#)
 - c. [Field Survey Operations, Working Alone, Discussion](#)
3. Future Agenda Items

D. ADJOURNMENT OF THE BUSINESS MEETING

Next Meeting: April 20, 2017
Costa Mesa City Hall
Council Chambers
77 Fair Drive
Costa Mesa, CA 92626
10:00 a.m.