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MISSION STATEMENT

*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.*

**August 13, 2021 at**  
**10:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. or the conclusion of business**  
**TELECONFERENCE AGENDA**

OCCUPATIONAL SAFETY AND HEALTH STANDARDS BOARD  
**COVID-19 Prevention Subcommittee Meeting**

**PLEASE NOTE:** In accordance with [Executive Order N-29-20](#), and [Executive Order N-33-20](#), the Subcommittee Meeting will be conducted via teleconference.

**Attend the meeting via Video-conference:**

1. Go to [www.webex.com](http://www.webex.com)
2. Select "Join"
3. Enter the meeting information: **268 984 996**
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**Live video stream and audio stream (English and Spanish):**

1. Go to <https://videobookcase.com/california/oshsb/>
2. Video stream and audio stream will launch as the meeting starts at 10:00 a.m.

**Public Comment Queue:**

Public Comment is limited to items within the purview of the subcommittee. Stakeholders who wish to comment on agenda items may submit a request to be added to the public comment queue. Please provide the following information\*: 1) name; 2) affiliation; 3) comment topic; and 4) phone number (if not attending via Webex).

*\*Information requested is voluntary and not required to address the Subcommittee.*

**In advance of the meeting:** Email the requested information to [OSHSB@dir.ca.gov](mailto:OSHSB@dir.ca.gov).

**During the meeting:** Email the requested information to [OSHSB@dir.ca.gov](mailto:OSHSB@dir.ca.gov) or dial 916-274-5721 to be placed in the queue.

**NOTE: In accordance with [Executive Order N-29-20](#), Subcommittee Members will participate via video-conference and/or teleconference.**

I. **CALL TO ORDER AND INTRODUCTIONS**

II. **BUSINESS**

A. Subcommittee Liaison Briefing (Nola Kennedy)

B. Division Briefing (Division Staff)

- i. COVID-19 Complaints, Fatalities, and Illnesses: February 2020 – June 2021
- ii. Metrics and Implications

C. CDPH Briefing (Dr. Amy Heinzerling)

i. Overview of CDPH Outbreak Data (Including June, 2021)

- 1. How CDPH Collects COVID-19 Outbreak Data
- 2. Highlights from 2021 Outbreak Data: Time Trends, Most Common Industries
- 3. Important Data Limitations

D. Emergency Temporary Standard: History and Process (Board Staff)

- i. OSHSB's History with Emergency Temporary Standards
- ii. Process:

- 1. Adoption
- 2. 1<sup>st</sup> Re-adoption
- 3. 2<sup>nd</sup> Re-adoption
- 4. Certificate of Compliance

iii. COVID-19 Prevention ETS: Where we are in the Process

E. Public Comment (30 minutes)

III. **SUBCOMMITTEE CONSIDERATION**

*This portion of the agenda is for subcommittee consideration of items presented during the meeting, as well as an opportunity for its members to engage in robust discussion and to request additional information from staff, the Division, or stakeholders. Items listed under this heading have been identified as being of particular interest for discussion.*

- i. COVID-19 Prevention Metrics – Examples of Use

IV. **FUTURE SUBCOMMITTEE AGENDA ITEMS**

V. **MEETING ADJOURNMENT**

**Next Meeting:** August 27, 2021  
Teleconference and Video-conference  
**(In accordance with Executive Orders [N-29-20](#) and [N-33-20](#))**  
10:00 a.m.

**PUBLIC COMMENT**

Efforts will be made to accommodate each individual who has signed up to speak. However, given time constraints, there is no guarantee that all who have signed up will be able to address the State body.

Each speaker is invited to speak for up to two minutes, depending on the number of speakers.

In addition to public comment during Public Hearings, the Occupational Safety and Health Standards Board Subcommittee affords an opportunity to members of the public to address the Subcommittee on items of interest that are either on the Meeting agenda, or within the Subcommittee's purview but are not on the noticed agenda, during the Public Comment portion of the meeting. The Subcommittee fills an advisory role only and is not permitted to take action on items outside of the noticed agenda. The Subcommittee reserves the right to limit the time for speakers.

**DISABILITY ACCOMMODATION NOTICE**

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**TRANSLATION**

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NOTE: Written comments may be emailed directly to [oshsb@dir.ca.gov](mailto:oshsb@dir.ca.gov) no later than 5:00 p.m. on the Tuesday prior to a scheduled Subcommittee Meeting.

Under Government Code section 11123, subdivision (a), all meetings of a state body are open and public, and all persons are permitted to attend any meeting of a state body, except as otherwise provided in that article. The Subcommittee Chair may adopt reasonable time limits for public comments in order to ensure that the purpose of public discussion is carried out. (Gov. Code, §11125.7, subd. (b).)

Pursuant to Executive Orders N-29-20 and N-35-20, certain provisions of the Bagley-Keene Open Meeting Act are suspended due to a State of Emergency in response to the COVID-19 pandemic. Consistent with the Executive Orders, this meeting of the Occupational Safety and Health Standards Board Subcommittee will be conducted remotely via video/teleconference only. None of the locations from which the Subcommittee Members will participate will be open to the public. Members of the public who wish to participate in the meeting may do so via livestream on our website at <https://videobookcase.com/california/oshsb/>. The video recording and transcript of this meeting will be posted on our website as soon as practicable.

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