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ADDENDUM TO THE
FINAL STATEMENT OF REASONS

CALIFORNIA CODE OF REGULATIONS

TITLE 8: Chapter 4, Subchapter 4, Article 20, Section 1635, and
Article 29, Section 1710 of the Construction Safety Orders (CSO)

Structural Steel Erection Safety Standards

No further modifications to the information contained in the Final Statement of Reasons are proposed as a result of the 15-day Notice of Modifications mailed on March 25, 2003 except for the following nonsubstantive editorial correction. Therefore, the factual basis and necessity for the regulations remain as described in the Final Statement of Reasons.

Section 1635(b)(12)

In Section 1635(b)(12) an editorial correction is made to add a comma after the word "bolting" in the first line of the subsection.

SUMMARY AND RESPONSE TO WRITTEN COMMENTS

There were no written comments received except three letters written in support of the proposed regulations from Mr. Richard Zampa, President, District Council of Iron Workers of the State of California and Vicinity dated April 14, 2003; Mr. Steven L. Rank, Director of Safety and Health, Safety Institute dated April 11, 2003; and Mr. Michael E. Newington, Executive Director, Western Steel Council dated April 11, 2003.

DETERMINATION OF MANDATE

These regulations do not impose a mandate on local agencies or school districts as indicated in the Initial Statement of Reasons.

ALTERNATIVES CONSIDERED

The Board invited interested persons to present statements or arguments with respect to alternatives to the proposed regulation. No alternative considered by the Board would be more effective in carrying out the purpose for which the action is proposed or would be as effective and less burdensome to affected private persons than the adopted action.