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California Labor Code section 6330 requires that the Director of the Department of Industrial Relations (DIR) report annually to the Speaker of the Assembly and the Chair of the Senate Rules Committee on the activities of the Division of Occupational Safety and Health (the Division). The information below is submitted pursuant to this requirement for calendar year 2021.

- (a) The total funds allocated and spent on enforcement and statistics, education and research, and administration by the Division:

| | Allocated | Spent |
|---|---------------|---------------|
| Enforcement and Statistics ¹ | \$135,288,353 | \$95,901,574 |
| Education and Research ² | \$13,912,682 | \$11,703,441 |
| Administration ³ | \$23,570,965 | \$32,510,987 |
| Total | \$172,772,000 | \$140,116,002 |

¹ "Enforcement and Statistics" consists of State Fiscal Year (SFY) 2020-21 data for the Division's Enforcement Branch (including Process Safety Management), Crane Unit, Asbestos and Carcinogen Unit, Calibration and Inventory Control Laboratory, Outreach Coordination Program, Legal Unit, Bureau of Investigations, Research and Standards Units, Medical Unit, Elevator Unit, Amusement Ride and Tramway Unit, and Pressure Vessel Units. This category also includes the Department's Census of Fatal Occupational Injuries Unit, Occupational Injury and Illness Statistics Unit, Occupational Safety and Health Appeals Board, and Occupational Safety and Health Standards Board.

² "Education and Research" consists of SFY 2020-21 data for the Division's Consultation Services Branch.

³ "Administration" consists of SFY 2020-21 data for the Division's Professional Development and Training Unit, Publications Unit, and Administration Unit and DIR's Division of Administration.

(b) Total inspections conducted and citations issued by the Division:⁴

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| Total inspections conducted | 5,496 |
| Total citations issued | 6,947 |

(c) The number of civil penalties assessed, the number of appeals heard, and the total penalties collected. The number of civil penalties indicated below is the number initially assessed in 2021 prior to appeal or settlement.⁵

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| Number of civil penalties assessed in 2021 | 11,554 |
| Number of appeals resolved by order or decision in 2021 regardless of the year when they were docketed | 1,662 |
| Total penalties collected in calendar year 2021 regardless of the year in which the penalties were initially assessed | \$18,663,110 |

(d) The number of contractors referred to the Contractors State License Board (CSLB) for hearing, pursuant to section 7109.5 of the Business and Professions Code, and the number of these cases that resulted in suspension or revocation of a license.

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| Number of contractors referred to the CSLB in 2021 | 4 |
| Cases that resulted in license suspension or revocation | 0 |

(e) For the report from the Division prepared by the Bureau of Investigation (BOI) for submission to the Director, pursuant to Labor Code section 6315.3, see the previously submitted BOI Report for 2021.

(f) Recommendations for legislation that improves the ability of the Division to provide safety at places of employment.

None.

If you have any questions about this Annual Report, please contact Jeff Killip, Chief, Division of Occupational Safety and Health, at (510) 286-7000. Thank you.

Sincerely,

Katrina S. Hagen
Director, Department of Industrial Relations

⁴ Data on inspections and citations are current as of 3/1/2022

⁵ Data on civil penalties are current as of 3/1/2022