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To All Interested Stakeholders:

The Division of Occupational Safety and Health would like to invite you to participate in a second meeting of stakeholders to consider the possible adoption of a Director's Regulation to govern the issuance of citations to controlling employers at multi-employer construction worksites and the applicability of an affirmative defense to the issuance of these citations.

The existing regulations governing the issuance of multi-employer citations are found at Title 8, California Code of Regulations, sections 336.10 and 336.11, and were adopted as Directors Regulations by the Department of Industrial Relations in 1997. Subsequently, identical provisions were codified at Labor Code Section 6400, subsections (b) and (c), by Assembly Bill 1127 (Chapter 615, Statutes of 1999).

The meeting will be held on January 20, 2009, as follows:

Meeting Time: 10:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.

Elihu Harris State Building
Room 1304 (DOSH Oakland Training Room)
1515 Clay Street, Oakland, CA

A draft of the proposed regulation is attached. We hope to see you there.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Len Welsh".

Len Welsh
Chief

NOTICE TO PARTIES: 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 programs of the Division of Occupational Safety and Health, should contact Ms. Tracy Kwon, Statewide Disability Accommodation Coordinator at 1-866-326-1616 (toll free). The 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).

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Attachment