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State of Alaska Department of Labor Division of Labor Standards and Safety

Amendment to AKOSH Program Directive 97-06

Date: October, 1997

To: All AKOSH Staff

From: Alan W. Dwyer, Director

Subject: Amendment to Notification of Standard Action, Occupational Exposure to

Methylene Chloride; Final Rule dated February 20, 1997. Extension of Start-up Dates for Compliance with All Provisions Except Initial Monitoring

and Engineering Control Requirements as stated in

29 CFR 1910.1052(n)(2)(iii)(C)

This amendment to program directive PD 97-06, will implement the extension of start-up dates for large employers to be in compliance with all provisions except initial monitoring and engineering control requirements as stated in 29 CFR 1910.1052(n)(2)(iii)(C) to December 21, 1997. In addition, AKOSH will implement OSHA's extension of the start-up date of November 6, 1997 by 45 days to December 21, 1997 for compliance with initial monitoring standards for foam manufacturers with 20 to 99 employees found in 29 CFR 1910.1052(n)(2)(i)(B).

These amendments to the program directive are effective immediately. Please ensure that all members of your staff receive this directive and understand how to implement it.

The OSHA federal registers listed below are attached and become part of this amendment to the program directive.

Attachment: Federal Register 62:48175-48176 dated September 15, 1997

Federal Register 62:54382-54383 dated October 20, 1997

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