OCCUPATIONAL SAFETY STANDARDS COMMISSION Adoption by Reference Bulletin #16-01

Indiana Code 22-8-1.1-16.2 provides that a United States Occupational Safety and Health Administration (OSHA) standard lawfully adopted by OSHA under federal law may be enforced by the Indiana Department of Labor not earlier than sixty (60) days after the final standard by federal OSHA becomes effective. The Indiana Department of Labor shall publish a statement describing a standard enforceable under this section and making reference to the federal regulation. The statement must be published under Indiana Code 4-22-7-7(b).

The Indiana Department of Labor incorporates by reference the U.S. Department of Labor, Occupational Safety and Health Administration provisions that amend 29 CFR Parts 1910, 1915, and 1926, the final rule on Occupational Exposure to Respirable Crystalline Silica. The Indiana Department of Labor incorporates by reference the standard 29 CFR Parts 1910, 1915, and 1926, as published in the Federal Register, March 25, 2016, Volume 81, pages 16285 through 16890.

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