

Occupational Safety Free Seminars

Reservations are **required** to attend the seminar.

January 29, 2008

9:00 AM to 12:00 Noon

To register, please fax this form
by **January 22, 2008** to
(401) 462-8576 or mail to:

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Attention: Vivian Alves
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Occupational Safety Unit
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What employers should know about:

Boilers • Elevators
Hazardous Substances • Mercantile
Safety Compliance • SARA Title III

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Occupational Safety

ABOUT OCCUPATIONAL SAFETY...

Per Rhode Island General Law 28-20, the Occupational Safety Unit is responsible for the enforcement of all laws, codes, rules and regulations that facilitate a safe work environment. The unit focuses on the creation of advanced technology to enhance the quality of inspection procedures and improve on the superiority of the end result. Occupational Safety is responsible for the six areas of enforcement and public safety listed below.

Boilers

The Boiler Unit assures that pressure vessels operate safely in the state. These vessels are inspected annually at various sites. New installations, reconditioned vessels and boiler repairs are monitored. The unit also certifies hydrostatic testing.



Elevators

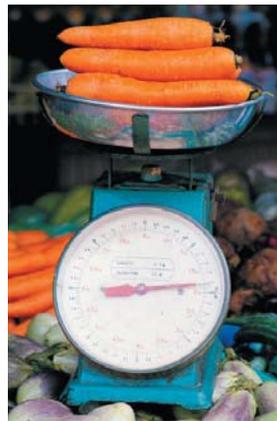
The Elevator Unit enforces the safety of all elevator devices by requiring annual inspections. Safety tests are performed annually on all existing, new and upgraded devices.

Hazardous Substances / Right-to-Know

The Hazardous Substance/Right-to-Know Unit monitors employers and educates businesses and workers who are exposed to hazardous substances that are being used and/or stored in the workplace or transported. A list of hazardous substances may be found on the web site.

Mercantile/Weights and Measures

The Weights and Measures Unit enforces Title 47 of the Rhode Island General Laws. Sealers are certified to perform inspections ensuring that measuring devices used in gasoline measuring systems, and retail/wholesale establishments are calibrated properly. Oil dealer licenses are also issued by this unit.



Safety Compliance

The Safety Compliance Unit inspects all public sector facilities to ensure conformity with general safety standards. All school buildings, public and private, are inspected annually. Inspectors verify that employers provide the necessary safety equipment and/or protective devices for their employees. Employers in the public sector are also required to maintain records of all occupational injuries and illnesses.

SARA Title III

The Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act (SARA) of 1986, Title III, provides for Emergency Planning Community Right-to-Know and maintains reporting records of extremely hazardous substances as required by the Environmental Protection Agency.

Free Seminar on Occupational Safety

Workforce Regulation and Safety
Occupational Safety seminar will be held
from **9:00 AM to 12:00 Noon**

on

Tuesday, January 29, 2008

at:

RI Department of Labor and Training
John O. Pastore Complex
1511 Pontiac Avenue, Building 73-1
Cranston, RI



An interactive question and answer session will follow the presentation.

Space is limited so please register as soon as possible. (*More dates may be added to accommodate the demand.*)

See Registration Form on the back of this page.