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Communications, Energy and Paperworkers Union of Canada

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WorkSafeBC (via fax and email)

Dear WorkSafeBC:

Subject: Regulatory Changes

Our union which represents workers employed in the pulp and paper, oil and gas, and construction sector/s is writing to you in support of the B.C. Federation of Labour's submission on the current proposed changes to the **OH&S Regulations**.

We urge the Board of Directors to implement the recommendations as outlined in the Federation's submission. We are pleased that the WCB is moving in the direction of providing workers with greater protection. Implementing the Federation's recommendations as well as enforcing the regulations will ensure that more workers will return home safe and healthy at the end of the day.

Yours truly,

Don MacNeil
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