

Tandem Lifting of Containers (Piggybacking)

Information

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INFORMATION

OSHA is reopening its recently revised longshoring standard in an attempt to better regulate the practice of "piggybacking" two intermodal containers.

The agency will hold a hearing on January 27, 1998 in Washington, D.C. Written comments on the reopening of the rule should be submitted to OSHA by December 8, 1997.

Click here to view the notice from OSHA.

ACTION

Members are requested to review the attached notice and prepare a response addressing the 17 issues of interest to OSHA. PMA Area Accident Prevention Supervisors will be collecting member responses and coordinating Accident Prevention and Sub-steering positions. A PMA position will be developed and sent to OSHA.