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RE: ASBESTOS STANDARDS - COURT MANDATED RECONSIDERATION

The attached bulletin from ORC lists some areas of the new OSHA asbestos rules which may be changed following a recent court ruling. This office will keep you informed of changes if and when they occur.

At this time, ORC is requesting member industries to submit data on the potential impact if a rule change mandated switching from negative pressure respirators to supplied air or SCBA (see p.3).

How many individuals at your facility use respiratory protection for asbestos work? *approximately 20*

How many SCBA or supplied air units would be purchased by your facility if this respiratory protection change occurred? *6 units*

If there are other proposed changes mentioned in this bulletin which would significantly affect your facility, please send your comments to this office. *(we currently use half-face fitted respirators and powered air purifying respirators)*

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