

Sources of Help

mines or minerals, all persons commissioned by the United States Government as director, assistant director, chief of any division of the Bureau of Mines, or as mine inspectors of any grade within the bureau of mines, all persons engaged in safety or responsible supervisory work in or around mines or in teaching safety pertaining to mines, all persons in a responsible position in the manufacture or distribution of equipment for the promotion and the preservation of safety for mines or mining employees, all persons in responsible positions with labor organizations of mining employees, and all mining safety and engineering employees of Mining and Workmen's Compensation Liability Insurers "

The institute advocates uniformity of mining legislation and better protection of the lives and health of mine employees. Annual meetings discuss such subjects as mine ventilation, electrical hazards, mine safety, and causes of accidents.

Its annual publication is the *Proceedings of the MIA*.

National Association of Manufacturers

277 Park Ave., New York, N.Y. 10017

The NAM safety activities are carried on under the aegis of its Employee Health and Safety Committee which has a dual function (a) promoting sound health and safety policies and programs in industry, and (b) working with the federal government to assure that present regulation of health and safety practices in industry and proposals for new legislation are realistic from industry's viewpoint.

Typical of the association's publications are

The Top 10 of Safety, a guide to management in small- and medium-sized plants
A Summary of Current Federal Programs in Industrial Safety and Their Potential Future Impact

National Association of Refrigerated Warehouses

1210 Tower Bldg., Washington, D.C. 20005

The association's Safety Committee conducts a program specifically aimed at reducing accidents and injuries in refrigerated warehouses. The program includes periodic industry surveys to determine types of injuries

being experienced, their causes, frequency and severity, safety bulletins, posters, awards, and information on how to establish and operate a safety program. Members are encouraged to submit problems to the Safety Committee for study and suggested solutions.

National Coal Association

1130 17th St. NW, Washington, D.C. 20036

The association has a Department of Safety, which assists its members in the promotion of safety and accident prevention through cooperative, supervisory, educational, and research endeavors. Cooperation is extended to federal and state governments and private safety organizations.

National LP-Gas Association

79 W. Monroe St., Chicago, Ill. 60603

Founded in 1931, the association is a non-profit, cooperative group of producers and distributors of liquefied petroleum gas (LP-gas), manufacturers of LP-gas equipment, and manufacturers and marketers of LP-gas appliances. LPGA promotes technical information and industry standards in its special field.

Its Safety Committee develops and maintains educational programs to train the public and industry in the safe handling and use of LP-gas and in safe practices for the installation and maintenance of equipment and appliances.

An educational committee working closely with the safety committee arranges training school and conferences for dealers and distributors.

The association distributes informational, technical and legislative bulletins and publishes a magazine, *LPGA Times*, for members. It holds an annual meeting and sectional meetings with a definite portion of each program devoted to safety.

National Petroleum Refiners Association

1725 De Sales St. NW, Washington, D.C. 20036

Primarily a service organization, the association services the petroleum refining industry and at the same time, serves as a clearinghouse for new ideas and developments in refining technology.

Among the meetings sponsored by the NPRA are those of its Fire and Accident Pre-