

**NORTH CAROLINA DEPARTMENT OF LABOR**  
**DIVISION OF OCCUPATIONAL SAFETY AND HEALTH**

Chapter 7

CFR Revision 158

Subchapter 7F

Field Information System

Standards Improvements for General Industry and Construction Standards

Telecommunications, 29 CFR 1910.268

**Final Rule, Corrections and Revisions**

DISCUSSION:

On June 18, 1998, federal OSHA promulgated a final rule that corrected or eliminated provisions from various standards (63 FR 33449-33469). These changes were made to correct out of date, duplicative, unnecessary, or inconsistent standards.

Some of the changes concern the standard on telecommunications (29 CFR 1910.268). Paragraphs (f)(2)-(f)(4) and (f)(7)-(f)(9) are deleted. In addition, paragraph (f)(1) is revised to explain that the requirements of 29 CFR 1910.137 applies to the telecommunication industry except for Table I-6.

ACTION:

The June 18, 1998, corrections and revisions (63 FR 33449-33469) were adopted verbatim with an effective date of October 8, 1998. The applicable portions of the referenced [\*Federal Register\*](#) are attached.

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