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NOTICE OF VERBATIM ADOPTION OF FEDERAL STANDARDS

In consideration of G.S. 150B-21.5(c) the Occupational Safety and Health Division of the Department of Labor hereby gives notice that:

- Rule changes have been submitted to update the *North Carolina Administrative Code* at 13 NCAC 07F .0201 to incorporate by reference the occupational safety and health related provisions of Title 29 of the *Code of Federal Regulations* Parts 1926 promulgated as of June 29, 2022, and
- Rule changes have been submitted to update the *North Carolina Administrative Code* at 13 NCAC 07F .0201 to incorporate by reference the occupational safety and health related provisions of Title 29 of the *Code of Federal Regulations* Parts 1926 promulgated as of June 30, 2022, and
- The *North Carolina Administrative Code* at 13 NCAC 07A .0301 automatically adopts subsequent amendments to certain parts of the *Code of Federal Regulation*.

This update encompasses the following recent verbatim adoptions:

- Safety and Health Regulations for Construction, 29 CFR § 1926 (87 FR 38657, June 29, 2022) to 29 CFR 1926.62(d)(4)(ii)

This final rule is a CFR correction to an error that was only editorial or technical in nature. The correction was made to the OSHA standard on lead in construction, 29 CFR 1926.62(d)(4)(ii). OSHA's final rule was effective June 29, 2022.

- Safety and Health Regulations for Construction – Lead, 29 CFR § 1926 (87 FR 38985, June 30, 2022) to 29 CFR 1926.62(d)(2)(iv)

This final rule is a correcting amendment to the OSHA standard for lead in construction. It corrects the inadvertent removal of regulatory text resulting from a notice of correcting amendments issued February 18, 2020. It revises 29 CFR 1926.62(d)(2)(iv). OSHA's final rule was effective June 30, 2022.

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Summary of Verbatim Adoptions
Effective September 1, 2022

Occupational Safety and Health Standards

This certification is made in accordance with N.C.G.S. 150B-19.1(g)(1).

- (1) This final rule is a CFR correction to an error that was only editorial or technical in nature. The correction was made to the OSHA standard on lead in construction, 29 CFR 1926.62(d)(4)(ii). OSHA's final rule was effective June 29, 2022.
- (2) This final rule is a correcting amendment to the OSHA standard for lead in construction. It corrects the inadvertent removal of regulatory text resulting from a notice of correcting amendments issued February 18, 2020. It revises 29 CFR 1926.62(d)(2)(iv). OSHA's final rule was effective June 30, 2022.

The attached amendment of 13 NCAC 07F .0201 is required by 29 CFR 1902.4(a)(1) and G.S. 95-131(a) in order for North Carolina's Occupational Safety and Health program to be as effective as the federal program and to maintain North Carolina's state plan status under the federal Occupational Safety and Health Act of 1970. This rule was adopted in accordance with 150B-21.5(c). Pursuant to the provisions of G.S. 150B-21.3(e), **the effective date of this action is September 1, 2022.**