

U.S. Department of LaborOccupational Safety and Health Administration
Washington, D.C. 20210

Reply to the Attention of:

SEP 24 1987

Mr. John Moran
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NIOSH
944 Chestnut Ridge Road
Morgantown, West Virginia 26505

Dear John:

We are forwarding copies of the National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health; Revision of Tests and Requirements for Certification of Permissibility of Respiratory Protective Devices Used in Mines and Mining; Notice of Proposed Rulemaking to our field offices.

We are hereby requesting an extension of the comment period until November 30, to allow time for our field offices to comment on the proposal and for us to review and consolidate their comments.

Sincerely,

Edward J. Baier
Director
Directorate of Technical Support

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