

GOVERNING BOARD POLICY
Mojave Desert Air Quality Management District

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Brad Mitzelfelt, Chair

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SUBJECT: OCCUPATIONAL ILLNESS AND INJURY PREVENTION PROGRAM

POLICY:

It is the policy of the Governing Board of the Mojave Desert Air Quality Management District (District) to provide safe working conditions, a healthful work environment, and to promote continuing safety awareness at all levels of employment with the District.

The District recognizes its responsibility to provide a safe place of employment; to provide safety devices, protective equipment, employee training and mechanical safeguards; to protect the life, safety, health and welfare of employees; and to initiate, maintain and enforce a program to fulfill this responsibility.

AMPLIFICATION OF POLICY:

A. Program Objectives

1. The object of the Occupational Illness and Injury Prevention Program is to promote occupational safety awareness among all employees of the District; provide procedures, guidelines and training necessary to ensure the occupational safety; ensure that the District implements and conforms to the requirements of Title 8 California Code of Regulations §3203 and other applicable provisions of law and regulation.

B. Program Adoption

1. The Air Pollution Control Officer (APCO) shall ensure that the District has an Occupational Illness and Injury Prevention Program which complies with the applicable provisions of law and has the responsibility for implementing the District Occupational Illness and Injury Program.