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000. LEGAL AUTHORITY.

Pursuant to the provisions of Section 72-508, Idaho Code, the Industrial Commission has the authority to promulgate and adopt reasonable rules for effecting the purposes of the Workers' Compensation Act. (7-1-97)

001. TITLE AND SCOPE.

These rules shall be cited as IDAPA 17, Title 08, Chapter 04, Idaho Minimum Safety Standards and Practices for Logging -- Garages, Machine Shops, and Related Work Areas, and shall be applicable to the logging industry in the state of Idaho. (7-1-97)

002. WRITTEN INTERPRETATIONS.

There are no written statements which pertain to the interpretation of these rules. (7-1-97)

003. ADMINISTRATIVE APPEALS.

There are no provisions for administrative appeal of these rules. The procedure for appeals in safety matters is prescribed by Sections 72-714 and 72-718 through 72-722, Idaho Code. (7-1-97)

004. -- 008. (RESERVED).

009. DEFINITIONS.

For definitions refer to IDAPA 17, Title 08, Chapter 01, Section 007. (7-1-97)

010. GARAGES AND MACHINE SHOPS AND RELATED AREAS.

01. General Requirements. (7-1-97)

a. Machine shops and other structures where workers are employed shall be constructed, ventilated, lighted and maintained in a safe working condition. (7-1-97)

b. Engines, pulleys, belts, gears, sprockets, collars and other moving parts of machinery shall be properly guarded. (7-1-97)

c. Grinding wheels shall have proper and adequate eye guards or hoods. Face shields shall be worn by employees while grinding. (7-1-97)

d. Machines shall be in good repair and good housekeeping shall be maintained. (7-1-97)

e. Proper goggles or hoods shall be made available and used in grinding and cutting, acetylene welding, electric arc and other types of welding. (7-1-97)

f. Tools shall be kept in good condition and care shall be taken in handling, storing of all tools and materials so as to minimize chances for injury. (7-1-97)

g. An approved screen shall be provided, and used, to protect other workers from welding flashes. (7-1-97)

011. -- 999. (RESERVED).