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**MIOSHA CONSTRUCTION SAFETY STANDARD PART 10
LIFTING AND DIGGING EQUIPMENT ADVISORY COMMITTEE MEETING**

MEETING AGENDA

for

October 20, 2009—8 a.m.

**Operating Engineers Local 324
275 East Highland Road, Howell**

1. **Call to Order by Co-Chair John Hartwell**
2. **Approval of Minutes from October 7 Meeting**
3. **Review Different Sources for Examples of Possible Language**
4. **Next Meeting: November 2 at Michigan Infrastructure & Transportation Association (MITA), 2937 Atrium Drive, Okemos**
5. **Adjournment**

MEETING MINUTES

for

October 7, 2009

ADVISORY COMMITTEE MEMBERS PRESENT:

Robert Coppersmith, MITA
John Hartwell, Operating Engineers 324
Lawrence Kruth, Douglas Steel Fabricating
Timothy LaLonde, Operating Engineers 324
Connie Munsch

Brian Newsom
Jack O'Donnell, Ironworkers Local 25
Michael Relyin, Ironworkers Local 25
Steven Smalla, Operating Engineers 324
Keith Smith, Operating Engineers 324

MIOSHA STAFF PRESENT:

Christine Hundt, Standards Section
Paul Wrzesinski, Construction Safety & Health Div.

ADVISORY COMMITTEE MEMBERS ABSENT:

Greg Curtis, Rooney Crane Service
Joseph Czerak, Kenny/Obayashi
John DiPonio
Gary Jordan, Barton Malow

Mark LaClair, Walbridge
John O'Donnell, Detroit Edison
Michael Sherwood

VISITORS:

None

Agenda Item #1—Call to Order

The October 7, 2009 MIOSHA CS Part 10 Lifting and Digging Equipment Advisory Committee meeting was called to order by Co-Chair John Hartwell.

It was noted that the committee's recommendations for "crane operator qualification and certification" were approved by the Construction Safety Standards Commission at their September 23 meeting. The

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next step will include preparation and approval of a Regulatory Impact Statement (which outlines how employers--especially small employers--will be affected by these rules) and then a public hearing.

Agenda Item #2—Welcome to New Committee Members and Introductions

Jack O'Donnell and Michael Relyin (both labor representatives from Iron Workers Local 25) were appointed to the committee on September 23 by the Construction Safety Standards Commission. Everyone introduced themselves and welcomed the new committee members.

Agenda Item #3—New Charge Regarding Rigger and Signalperson Qualifications

At the September 23 Commission meeting, the Commission approved the extension of the scope of the CS Part 10 Lifting and Digging Equipment advisory committee "to continue to review and suggest amendments on riggers and signal persons".

The first decision that the committee made regarding their new charge was to review riggers first and signal persons second as it was thought that there are more accidents related to riggers. Accidents and injuries associated with riggers and signal persons will be researched.

Some of the committee's suggestions for areas of review included:

- Different levels of qualifications for different types of work.
- Portability.
- Appropriate training.
- Apprentice programs.

Committee members will bring different sources to the next meeting for examples of possible language that we can begin reviewing.

Agenda Item #4—Next Meeting

The next meeting is scheduled for **Tuesday, October 20, 2009 beginning at 8 a.m.** and will be held at the **Operating Engineers Local 324, 275 East Highland Road, Howell.**

Agenda Item #5—Adjournment

With no further business before the advisory committee, the meeting was adjourned.