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AGENCY INSTRUCTION

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MIOSHA-STD-23-1R1	July 13, 2026

SUBJECT: Commercial Diving Operations

I. Purpose. This instruction adopts the Occupational Safety and Health Administration (OSHA) directive on commercial diving operations.

II. Scope. This instruction applies to the Construction Safety and Health Division (CSHD), General Industry Safety and Health Division (GISHD), and the Consultation Education and Training (CET) Division.

III. References.

A. General Industry and Construction Standard Part 504, Diving Operations.

B. OSHA CPL 02-00-151, June 13, 2011, 29 CFR Part 1910, Subpart T – Commercial Diving Operations.

IV. Distribution. MIOSHA Staff; Federal OSHA; S-drive Accessible; MIOSHA Messenger; and Internet Accessible.

V. Cancellations. This instruction cancels all previous versions of this agency instruction.

VI. Next Review Date. This instruction will be reviewed in three years from date of issuance.

VII. History. History of previous versions includes:

MIOSHA-STD-23-1, February 6, 2023
MIOSHA-ADM-16-5R1, January 17, 2020
MIOSHA-ADM-16-5, October 17, 2016
MIOSHA-MEMO-ADM-11-8R1, May 20, 2013
MIOSHA-MEMO-ADM-11-8, August 26, 2011

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X. Background. In April 2013, the MIOSHA rules on diving operations in General Industry Safety Standard Part 79, Diving Operations; Construction Safety Standard Part 31, Diving Operations; and Occupational Health Standard Part 504, Diving Operations were rescinded and replaced with an adoption by reference of the federal OSHA regulations on commercial diving operations in Occupational Health Standard Part 504, Diving Operations. With this agency instruction, MIOSHA adopts the federal directive on commercial diving operations, which is CPL 02-00-151.

XI. Significant Changes. There are no significant changes.