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OSHA Mandatory Training Deadline December 1st, 2013

To better protect workers from hazardous chemicals, the U.S. Department of Labor's Occupational Safety and Health Administration (OSHA) has revised its Hazard Communication Standard, aligning it with the United Nations' global chemical labeling system.

The Hazard Communication Standard, being revised to align with the United Nations' Globally Harmonized System of Classification and Labeling of Chemicals, will be fully implemented in 2016 and benefit workers by reducing confusion about chemical hazards in the workplace, facilitating safety training and improving understanding of hazards, especially for low literacy workers. OSHA's standard will classify chemicals according to their health and physical hazards, and establish consistent labels and safety data sheets for all chemicals made in the United States and imported from abroad. **Under the new standard, employers are required to train workers by December 1, 2013 on the new labels elements and safety data sheets format to facilitate recognition and understanding.**

SMI has developed a comprehensive training presentation that satisfies OSHA's requirements. The training focuses on the new labels elements and the new safety data sheet format. All participants will be required to complete a quiz to verify understanding of the new standard and its components. This documentation will be provided to each company to be kept on file to demonstrate compliance with OSHA's training requirement.



HAZCOM TRAINING

REGISTER BY NOVEMBER 13th

email: nhomebuilders@windstream.net

or nhomebuilders@neb.rr.com

November 19th, 2:00pm

Platte Valley State Bank, Lower Level
2223 2nd Ave
Kearney, NE

November 22nd, 2:00pm

The Northeast Community College,
Utility Line building (room 120)
1601 East Benjamin Ave
Norfolk, NE

(It is located east of the main campus.)

No Cost to SMI/NSHBA Partners

NSHBA-members - \$25.00

Non-Members - \$50.00

Checks payable to NSHBA

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