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<u>PURPOSE</u>: To transmit to the Office of Apprenticeship Training, Employer and Labor Services (OATELS), Bureau of Apprenticeship and Training (BAT) staff revised National Guideline Standards for the National Elevator Industry Education Program (NEIEP)

BACKGROUND: The OATELS Administrator certified these Revised National Guideline Standards for the NEIEP on July 15, 2005. The NEIEP is a joint labor-management education trust fund serving the International Union of Elevator Constructors (IUEC) and the employers who signed the individual agreements with IUEC. Those employers are: Thyssenkrupp, KONE, Schindler, Otis, Fujitec, the Elevator Contractors of America-Multi-employer Bargain Group, Mitsubishi Elevator Division and AMTECH Elevator Services.

The attached revised National Guideline Standards are in compliance with the requirements of Title 29, CFR Parts 29 and 30. Because of the existing Master Company Agreement, which expires on July 8, 2007, all affiliates of IUEC are in complete agreement with the local apprenticeship standards contained within these revised National Guideline Standards. Therefore, IUEC has recommended that these local apprenticeship standards be used to accommodate IUEC Locals and signatory employers. However, the NEIEP, IUEC, and participating employers are cognizant that SACs may need to impose additional requirements that must be addressed by the local standards.

A copy of the standards is attached for your information.

If you have any questions please contact Franchella Kendall at 202-693-3813.

<u>ACTION</u>: OATELS/BAT staff should familiarize themselves with this bulletin and the attached National Guideline Standards, as a source for developing apprenticeship standards and/or providing technical assistance.

NOTE: This Bulletin is being sent via electronic mail.

Attachment(s)