DEPARTMENT OF LABOR
Occupational Safety and Health Administration

[Docket No. OSHA–2019–0004]

Gestamp West Virginia LLC: Notice of Correction to Permanent Variance

AGENCY: Occupational Safety and Health Administration (OSHA), Labor.

ACTION: Notice; correction.

SUMMARY: The Occupational Safety and Health Administration (OSHA) published a notice in the Federal Register on March 2, 2021, announcing a permanent variance to Gestamp West Virginia LLC from a specific provision of the OSHA standard that regulates the control of hazardous energy (lockout/tagout). The document contained incorrect references to the relevant provision of the lockout/tagout standard. This notice corrects the provision of the standard referenced in the permanent variance.

DATES: The correction specified by this notice becomes effective on November 29, 2021 and shall remain in effect until OSHA revokes this permanent variance.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Kevin Robinson, Director, Office of Technical Programs and Coordination Activities, Directorate of Technical Support and Emergency Management, Occupational Safety and Health Administration, U.S. Department of Labor; phone: (202) 693–2110 or email: robinson.kevin@dol.gov.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Corrections

In the Federal Register of March 2, 2021 (86 FR 12209–12217), correct the standard paragraph number as described below.

1. On page 12212, in the third column, in the section titled “III. Description of Conditions Specified for the Permanent Variance”, in the paragraph beginning “As previously indicated in this notice,” change “paragraph 1910.147(d)(4)(iii)” to “paragraph 1910.147(d)(3)”.

2. On page 12212, in the third column, in the section titled “III. Description of Conditions Specified for the Permanent Variance”, in the paragraph beginning “During the period starting with the August 5, 2020,” change “paragraph 1910.147(d)(4)(iii)” to “paragraph 1910.147(d)(3)”.

3. On page 12212, in the third column, in the section titled “III. Description of Conditions Specified for the Permanent Variance”, in the paragraph beginning “This section describes the conditions that comprise”, change “‘29 CFR 1910.147(d)(4)(iii)” to “29 CFR 1910.147(d)(3)”.

4. On page 12214, in the third column, in the section titled “IV. Decision”, in the paragraph beginning “As described earlier in this notice,” change “paragraphs 1910.147(d)(4)(iii)” to “paragraph 1910.147(d)(3)”.

5. On page 12214, in the third column, in the section titled “IV. Decision”, in the paragraph beginning “Further, under section 6(d) of the OSH Act”, change “paragraph 1910.147(d)(4)(iii)” to “paragraph 1910.147(d)(3)”.

6. On page 12215, in the first column, in the section titled “V. Order”, in the paragraph beginning “OSHA issues this final order” change “paragraphs 1910.147(d)(4)(iii)” to “paragraph 1910.147(d)(3)”.

The permanent variance granted to Gestamp remains in effect. This correction is being issued to clarify that the permanent variance is granted to paragraph 1910.147(d)(3) of the lockout/tagout standard, “Machine or equipment isolation. All energy isolating devices that are needed to control the energy to the machine or equipment shall be physically located and operated in such a manner as to isolate the machine or equipment from the energy source(s).” The conditions and scope of the permanent variance remain unchanged.

Authority and Signature

James S. Frederick, Deputy Assistant Secretary of Labor for Occupational Safety and Health, 200 Constitution Avenue NW, Washington, DC 20210, authorized the preparation of this notice. Accordingly, the agency is issuing this notice pursuant to 29 U.S.C. 655(d), Secretary of Labor’s Order No. 8–2020 (85 FR 58393, Sept. 18, 2020), and 29 CFR 1910.5.

Signed at Washington, DC, on November 22, 2021.

James S. Frederick,
Deputy Assistant Secretary of Labor for Occupational Safety and Health.

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DEPARTMENT OF LABOR
Occupational Safety and Health Administration

[Notice: OSHA–2006–0040]

SGS North America, Inc.: Grant of Expansion of Recognition and Modification to the NRTL Program’s List of Appropriate Test Standards

AGENCY: Occupational Safety and Health Administration (OSHA), Labor.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: In this notice, OSHA announces the final decision to expand the scope of recognition for SGS North America, Inc., as a Nationally Recognized Testing Laboratory (NRTL). Additionally, OSHA announces the addition of one test standard to the NRTL Program’s List of Appropriate Test Standards.

DATES: The expansion of the scope of recognition becomes effective on November 29, 2021.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Information regarding this notice is available from the following sources: Press inquiries: Contact Mr. Frank Meilinger, Director, OSHA Office of Communications, U.S. Department of Labor; telephone: (202) 693–1999; email: meilinger.francis2@dol.gov.

General and technical information: Contact Mr. Kevin Robinson, Director, Office of Technical Programs and Coordination Activities, Directorate of Technical Support and Emergency Management, Occupational Safety and Health Administration, U.S. Department of Labor; phone: (202) 693–2110; email: robinson.kevin@dol.gov.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

I. Notice of Final Decision

OSHA hereby gives notice of the expansion of the scope of recognition of SGS of North America, Inc. (SGS), as a NRTL. SGS’s expansion covers the addition of five test standards to its scope of recognition. Additionally, OSHA announces the addition of one test standard to the NRTL Program’s List of Appropriate Test Standards.

OSHA recognition of a NRTL signifies that the organization meets the requirements specified by 29 CFR 1910.7. Recognition is an acknowledgment that the organization can perform independent safety testing and certification of the specific products covered within the scope of recognition.
and is not a delegation or grant of government authority. As a result of recognition, employers may use products properly approved by the NRTL to meet OSHA standards that require testing and certification of the products.

The agency processes applications by a NRTL for initial recognition, or for expansion or renewal of this recognition, following requirements in Appendix A to 29 CFR 1910.7. This appendix requires that the agency publish two notices in the Federal Register in processing an application. In the first notice, OSHA announces the application and provides a preliminary finding and, in the second notice, the agency provides the final decision on the application. These notices set forth the NRTL’s scope of recognition or modifications of that scope. OSHA maintains an informational web page for each NRTL that details the scope of recognition. These pages are available from the agency’s website at http://www.osha.gov/dts/otpca/nrtl/index.html.

OSHA submitted an application on February 5, 2020 (OSHA—2006–0040–0067), to expand its scope of recognition to include the addition of five test standards. OSHA staff performed a detailed analysis of the application packet and reviewed other pertinent information. OSHA did not perform any on-site reviews in relation to this application.

OSHA published the preliminary notice announcing SGS’s expansion application and proposed addition to the NRTL Program’s List of Appropriate Test Standards in the Federal Register on August 24, 2021 (86 FR 47336). The agency requested comments by September 8, 2021, but it received no comments in response to the preliminary notice. OSHA now is proceeding with this final notice to grant expansion of SGS’s scope of recognition. To obtain or review copies of all public documents pertaining to SGS’s application, go to http://www.regulations.gov or contact the Docket Office at (202) 693–2350 (TTY (877) 889–5627) for assistance in locating docket submissions. Docket No. OSHA—2006–0040 contains all materials in the record concerning SGS’s recognition.

II. Final Decision and Order

OSHA staff examined SGS’s expansion application, the capability to meet the requirements of the test standards, and other pertinent information. Based on a review of this evidence, OSHA finds that SGS meets the requirements of 29 CFR 1910.7 for expansion of the recognition, subject to the specified limitation and conditions listed. OSHA, therefore, is proceeding with this final notice to grant expansion of SGS’s scope of recognition. OSHA limits the expansion of SGS’s scope of recognition to testing and certification of products for demonstration of conformance to the test standards listed in Table 1.

Table 1—List of Appropriate Test Standards for Inclusion in SGS’s NRTL Scope of Recognition

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<td>UL 1977</td>
<td>Component Connectors for Use in Data, Signal, Control and Power Applications.</td>
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<td>UL 8753</td>
<td>Field-Replaceable Light Emitting Diode (LED) Light Engines.</td>
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In this notice, OSHA also announces the addition of one new test standard to the NRTL Program’s List of Appropriate Test Standards. Table 2, below, lists the test standard that is new to the NRTL Program. OSHA has determined that this test standard is an appropriate test standard and will include it in the NRTL Program’s List of Appropriate Test Standards.

Table 2—Test Standard OSHA is Adding to the NRTL Program’s List of Appropriate Test Standards

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OSHA’s recognition of any NRTL for a particular test standard is limited to equipment or materials for which OSHA standards require third-party testing and certification before using them in the workplace. Consequently, if a test standard also covers any products for which OSHA does not require such testing and certification, a NRTL’s scope of recognition does not include these products.

The American National Standards Institute (ANSI) may approve the test standard listed above as an American National Standard. However, for convenience, OSHA may use the designation of the standards-developing organization for the standard as opposed to the ANSI designation. Under the NRTL Program’s policy (see OSHA Instruction CPL 01–00–004, Chapter 2, Section VIII), only standards determined to be appropriate test standards may be approved for NRTL recognition. Any NRTL recognized for an appropriate test standard may use either the proprietary version of the test standard or the ANSI version of that standard. Contact ANSI to determine whether a test standard is currently ANSI-approved.

A. Conditions

In addition to those conditions already required by 29 CFR 1910.7, SGS must abide by the following conditions of the recognition:

1. SGS must inform OSHA as soon as possible, in writing, of any change of ownership, facilities, or key personnel, and of any major change in the operations as a NRTL, and provide details of the change(s);

2. SGS must meet all the terms of the recognition and comply with all OSHA policies pertaining to this recognition; and

3. SGS must continue to meet the requirements for recognition, including all previously published conditions on SGS’s scope of recognition, in all areas for which it has recognition.

Pursuant to the authority in 29 CFR 1910.7, OSHA hereby expands the scope of recognition of SGS, subject to the limitation and conditions specified above. OSHA also adds one new test standard to the NRTL Program’s List of Appropriate Test Standards.

III. Authority and Signature

James S. Frederick, Deputy Assistant Secretary of Labor for Occupational Safety and Health, authorized the preparation of this notice. Accordingly, the agency is issuing this notice pursuant to 29 U.S.C. 657(g)(2), Secretary of Labor’s Order No. 8–2020.
NATIONAL SCIENCE FOUNDATION

Notice of the Networking and Information Technology Research and Development Program 30th Anniversary Commemoration

AGENCY: Networking and Information Technology Research and Development (NITRD) Program National Coordination Office (NCO), National Science Foundation.

ACTION: Notice of meeting; correction.

SUMMARY: The notice published in the Federal Register on November 5, 2021 contained an incorrect amount of funding for 1991. This notice corrects that amount. The NITRD Subcommittee will hold a virtual public meeting to mark the 30th anniversary of the signing of the High-Performance Computing (HPC) Act of 1991 and the launching of the High-Performance Computing and Communications Program, now known as the NITRD Program. One of the key parts of this legislation was to establish an effective mechanism to coordinate HPC, networking, and information technology (IT) research and development (R&D) undertaken by the agencies of the Federal Government. The legislation also expanded Federal funding support for HPC and IT R&D to ensure continued technological leadership in these areas by the United States. The Act aimed to provide U.S. researchers and educators, as well as government and the public, with the advanced computing and information resources they needed for achievement of personal, business, and public goals. The NITRD mission has expanded over the years to include coordination of Federal agencies’ R&D broadly across critical computing- and IT-related topics in advanced wireless technologies, artificial intelligence, big data, cybersecurity, health IT, networked physical systems, privacy protection, robotics, and software productivity and sustainability. Through NITRD, Federal agencies exchange information; collaborate on research activities such as testbeds, workshops, strategic planning, and cooperative solicitations; and focus their R&D resources on common goals of making new discoveries and/or developing new technology solutions to address our Nation’s most critical priorities. As an example, NITRD-linked HPC and IT R&D underpinned U.S. leadership in fighting COVID–19, not only to speed discovery of therapeutics and vaccines but also to support Americans in conducting their education, healthcare, personal relationships, and businesses remotely wherever possible. The increased national commitment to IT R&D has been reflected in the growth in combined investment by NITRD’s Federal member agencies from less than $500 million in 1991 to nearly $6.5 billion for FY2021. For more information about the NITRD Program, please visit our website: https://www.nitrd.gov/about.

DATES: December 2, 2021.

ADDRESSES: The meeting will be held virtually through Zoom, 12 Noon (EST).

INSTRUCTIONS: Registration is required. You will be asked to provide your name, email address, and affiliation. The meeting link will be available on https://www.nitrd.gov/nitrd-30th-anniversary-commemoration/.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Diana Weber at nco@nitrd.gov or call 202–459–9684. Individuals who use a telecommunications device for the deaf (TDD) may call the Federal Information Relay Service (FIRS) at 1–800–877–8339 between 8 a.m. and 8 p.m., Eastern time, Monday through Friday.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The NITRD Program is the Nation’s primary source of federally funded IT R&D, critical to promoting and protecting American leadership in science and technology (S&T) innovation. The NITRD Program focuses its work on addressing strategic IT R&D imperatives that lead to cutting-edge computing, networking, and information technologies that support U.S. national security, economic competitiveness, and individual health and well-being. One of the key parts of the 1991 legislation was to establish a mechanism to lead the coordination and planning of multiagency and multisector HPC R&D to maximize the effectiveness of the Federal Government’s R&D investments and the transition of discoveries to societal benefit. This vital mission has expanded over the years to include coordination of Federal agencies’ R&D broadly across critical computing- and IT-related topics in advanced wireless technologies, artificial intelligence, big data, cybersecurity, health IT, networked physical systems, privacy protection, robotics, and software productivity and sustainability. Through NITRD, Federal agencies exchange information; collaborate on research activities such as testbeds, workshops, strategic planning, and cooperative solicitations; and focus their R&D resources on common goals of making new discoveries and/or developing new technology solutions to address our Nation’s most critical priorities. As an example, NITRD-linked HPC and IT R&D underpinned U.S. leadership in fighting COVID–19, not only to speed discovery of therapeutics and vaccines but also to support Americans in conducting their education, healthcare, personal relationships, and businesses remotely wherever possible. The increased national commitment to IT R&D has been reflected in the growth in combined investment by NITRD’s Federal member agencies from less than $500 million in 1991 to nearly $6.5 billion for FY2021. For more information about the NITRD Program, please visit our website: https://www.nitrd.gov/about

NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

[Docket Nos. 50–133 and 72–027; NRC–2021–0205]

Pacific Gas and Electric Company, Humboldt Bay Power Plant, Unit 3

AGENCY: Nuclear Regulatory Commission.

ACTION: License termination; issuance.

SUMMARY: The U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) is noticing the termination of the Pacific Gas and Electric Company (PG&E) Humboldt Bay Power Plant, Unit 3 Facility Operating License, No. DPR–7, located near Eureka, California.

DATES: The license termination for DPR–7 was issued on November 18, 2021.

ADDRESSES: Please refer to Docket ID NRC–2021–0205 when contacting the NRC about the availability of information regarding this document. You may obtain publicly available information related to this document using any of the following methods:

• Federal Rulemaking Website: Go to https://www.regulations.gov and search for Docket ID NRC–2021–0205. Address questions about Docket IDs in Regulations.gov to Stacy Schumann; telephone: 301–415–0624; email: Stacy.Schumann@nrc.gov. For technical questions, contact the individual listed in the FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT section of this document.

• NRC’s Agencywide Documents Access and Management System (ADAMS): You may obtain publicly available documents online in the ADAMS Public Documents collection at https://www.nrc.gov/reading-rm/ adams.html. To begin the search, select “Begin Web-based ADAMS Search.” For problems with ADAMS, please contact the NRC’s Public Document Room (PDR) reference staff at 1–800–397–4209, 301–415–4737, or by email to PDR.Resource@nrc.gov. See the request dated October 21, 2021 (ADAMS Accession No. ML21294A421) and the NRC staff’s Safety Evaluation Report (SER) (ADAMS Accession No. ML21295A251). Documents identified in the notice are available to interested technology research and Development (NITRD) National Coordination Office (NCO) on November 19, 2021.

Suzanne H. Plimpton, Reports Clearance Officer, National Science Foundation.

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