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### Cal/OSHA News Bytes From "GOOGLE NEWS"

#### Safway Team at Valero Benicia Refinery Celebrates Elite Cal/OSHA ...

PR Web (press release)-Aug 29, 2013  
Working on site at the Valero Benicia  
Refinery, the Safway Services Benicia  
Branch earned Cal/OSHA's Voluntary  
Protection Program (VPP)...

#### Cal/OSHA: Man electrocuted at Grimmway Farms

Bakersfield Now-Aug 28, 2013  
BAKERSFIELD, Calif. (KBAK/KBFX) —  
A man was electrocuted Tuesday evening  
while working on a junction box for a large  
cooler at...

#### Livermore man killed on construction site at King School

Berkeleyside-by Emilie Raguso-Aug 28,  
2013  
A Cal/OSHA inspector speaks with  
members of the Berkeley Police ... Update,  
4:25 p.m. Cal/OSHA spokesman Peter  
Melton said Tuesday...

#### Man electrocuted at Grimmway Farms facility

Bakersfield Californian-22 hours ago  
Cal OSHA spokesman Peter Melton said  
Hernandez was electrocuted while working  
on the junction box of a large cooler. He  
was pronounced...

#### Criminal case in fatal UCLA lab fire advances

Los Angeles Times-Aug 26, 2013  
And he denied its request for a hearing to  
challenge the credibility of a Cal-  
OSHA investigator who wrote a 95-page  
report on which the ...

#### OSHA, NIOSH issue hazard alert for 1- bromopropane

Safety.BLR.com-Aug 7, 2013  
However, Cal/OSHA has recognized the  
hazards associated with 1-BP, and, as a  
result, California has adopted a time-  
weighted-average PEL ...

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PUBLIC AGENCY SAFETY MANAGEMENT ASSOCIATION

**2013 ANNUAL CONFERENCE**

Public & Private Organizations  
Joining Forces for Future  
Safety Challenges

**SEPTEMBER 12, 2013**  
HOSTED BY PASMA SOUTH - [www.pasmaonline.org](http://www.pasmaonline.org)

**Knott's**  
Resort Hotel  
Quena Park, California

**JOINING FORCES**

**PASMA 2013 Annual Conference - Registration Form**  
**September 12, 2013 8:00 AM to 5:00 PM**  
Hosted by PASMA SOUTH - [www.pasmaonline.org](http://www.pasmaonline.org)

## WorkSafeBC Interactive

In the event that some of you are struggling with safety related resources, allow me to direct you to "a most excellent" web source for all manner of Health and Safety resources. When connected to the listed URL, the photograph allows the user to enter as many recognized hazards as the viewer can identify, then upload the data to WorkSafeBC. The winner will be recognized. **Try it you'll like it!**

<http://www2.worksafebc.com/Publications/Multimedia/Photos.asp>

[www.worksafebcphotochallenge.com/sep-oct-2013/](http://www.worksafebcphotochallenge.com/sep-oct-2013/)

### WHAT'S WRONG WITH THIS PHOTO?

HELP ?

START  
OVER

DONE



## What's wrong with this photo? (Trucking safety)

Every issue of [WorkSafe Magazine](#) includes a photo that has been staged to show a number of hazards or dangerous work habits. How many can you spot in this photo?

Until **September 26, 2013**, take our photo challenge for a chance to win. [WorkSafe Magazine](#) will publish as many responses as possible, and one lucky respondent will win a prize.

**FYI**, the following screen shot is data retrieved from the Fed/OSHA Data page regarding **IATSE Local 30**. In early 2012 Indiana OSHA **cited this Union** presumably because in this case it appeared to behave as a temp agency and hence subject to the Multi employer theory for enforcement. The argument appears logical; if H&S training specific to the job is conducted via the "apprenticeship program", reporting to a place and a time is done through the Hall, and that pay and benefits are controlled by the Local, then there is little difference between the Union and a Temp Agency. Hence, the argument has merit. The primary source may be found by following this link.

[https://www.osha.gov/pls/imis/establishment.search?p\\_logger=1&establishment=I.A.T.S.E+Local+30&State=all&officetype=all&Office=all&p\\_case=all&p\\_violations\\_exist=all&startmonth=08&startday=30&startyear=2008&endmonth=08&endday=30&endyear=2013](https://www.osha.gov/pls/imis/establishment.search?p_logger=1&establishment=I.A.T.S.E+Local+30&State=all&officetype=all&Office=all&p_case=all&p_violations_exist=all&startmonth=08&startday=30&startyear=2008&endmonth=08&endday=30&endyear=2013)

Inspection Detail

[https://www.osha.gov/pls/imis/establishment.inspection\\_detail?id=315637181](https://www.osha.gov/pls/imis/establishment.inspection_detail?id=315637181)

for Federal inspections or for 30 days following receipt by the employer for State inspections.

**Inspection: 315637181 - I.A.T.S.E. Local 30**

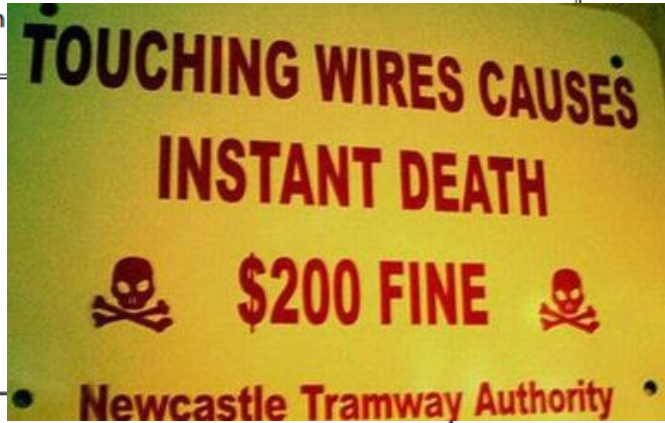
Inspection Information - Office: Indiana		
Nr: 315637181	Report ID:0551800	Open Date: 08/17/2011
I.A.T.S.E. Local 30 1407 East Riverside Drive Indianapolis, IN 46204		
		Union Status: Union
SIC: 7922/Theatrical Producers (Except Motion Picture) and Miscellaneous Theatrical Services		
NAICS: 561310/Employment Placement Agencies		
Mailing: 1407 East Riverside Drive, Indianapolis, IN 46204		
Inspection Type: Accident Scope: Partial Ownership: Private Safety/Health: Safety Planning Guide: Safety-Manufacturing		
Advanced Notice: N Close Conference: 01/26/2012 Close Case:		
Related Activity: Type	ID	Safety Health
Accident	100993740	

Violation Summary						
	Serious	Willful	Repeat	Other	Unclass	Total
Initial Violations	4					4
Current Violations	4					4
Initial Penalty	11500					11500
Current Penalty	11500					11500
FTA Amount						

Violation Items										
#	ID	Type	Standard	Issuance	Abate	Curr\$	Init\$	Fta\$	Contest	LastEvent
1.	<a href="#">01001</a>	Serious	2200080101	02/08/2012	03/06/2012	\$3500	\$3500	\$0	02/29/2012	-
2.	<a href="#">01002</a>	Serious	19100132 A	02/02/2012	03/20/2012	\$3500	\$3500	\$0	02/29/2012	-
3.	<a href="#">01003</a>	Serious	19100132 D02	02/08/2012	03/26/2012	\$3500	\$3500	\$0	02/29/2012	-
4.	<a href="#">02001</a>	Serious	19040001 A02	02/08/2012	03/26/2012	\$1000	\$1000	\$0	02/29/2012	-



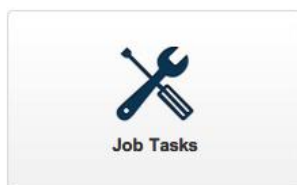
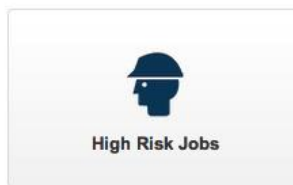
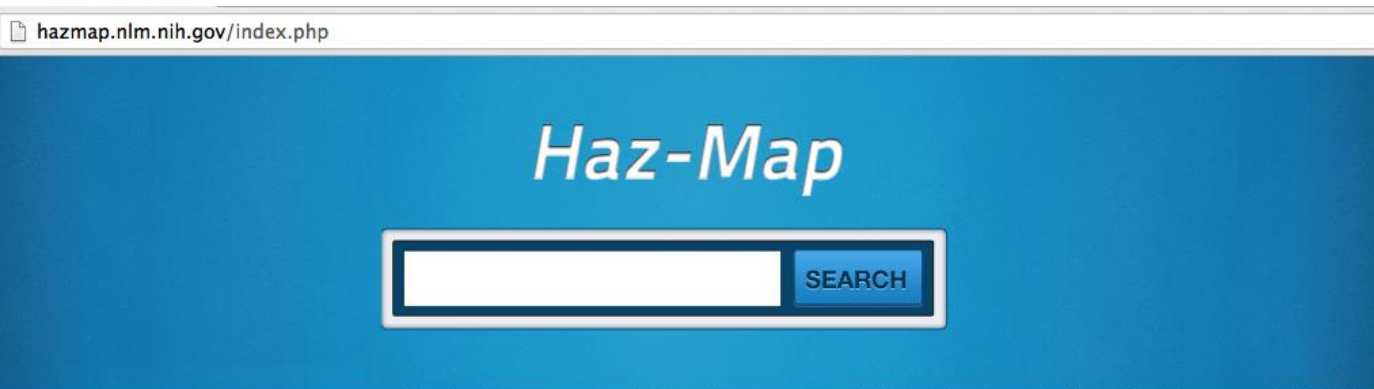
## **FYI 2**

Haz-Map® is an occupational health database designed for health and safety professionals and for consumers seeking information about the adverse effects of workplace exposures to chemical and biological agents. The main links in Haz-Map are between chemicals and occupational diseases. These links have been established using current scientific evidence.

Haz-Map shows the diseases linked to each agent and the agents linked to each disease. Agents are chemical such as formaldehyde, or biological such as grain dust. Haz-Map links jobs and hazardous job tasks with occupational diseases and their symptoms.

In Haz-Map, chronic occupational diseases are linked to both jobs and industries, while acute diseases and infectious diseases are linked only to jobs. Cancers are not linked to jobs, industries or findings.

The information in Haz-Map comes from textbooks, journal articles, the Documentation of the Threshold Limit Values (published by ACGIH), and electronic databases such as NLM's Hazardous Substances Data Bank (HSDB®). Haz-Map staff classifies, summarizes, and regularly updates the information found in the database



**September 2013  
PASMA Conference**

**There is still time,  
Don't Wait In Line  
Register ON LINE**

