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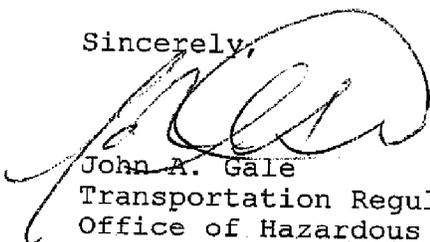
Dear Mr. Saporito:

This responds to your March 6, 2003 letter requesting clarification of the training requirements under the Hazardous Materials Regulations (HMR; 49 CFR Parts 171-180). Specifically, you ask if § 172.704(d)(4) requires the training record to contain the name and address of the individual providing the training or the company that employs the trainer.

Under § 172.704(d)(4), the training record must contain the name and address of the person (i.e., his/her business address) that provided training. If the trainer's home and business address are one in the same then that address must be maintained within the training record.

I hope this satisfies your request.

Sincerely,



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Edward Mazzullo
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Mr. Mazzullo,

I would like to request clarification from your department regarding hazardous material training certificate requirements. I have received differing opinions from the RSPA Hotline and need to assure compliance for our certificates. Specifically I need clarification regarding 49CFR § 172.704 (4)(d)(4), for the address of person providing the training. Should this address be the company's address where the record keeping is maintained or the address of the actual trainer? Taking it a step further, would it be the personal address of the trainer or the address where the training is provided? If the personal address of the trainer is required would the statement "On file in Human Resources" be acceptable so that the person would not have to list their home address?

As I stated earlier I have received conflicting interpretations regarding what address to use and what would be acceptable should the personal address be required. Thank you in advance for your prompt response to this inquiry. A fax response can be made to 888-345-9220 or mailed to the address listed above.

Sincerely,



David Saporito
Director, Hazardous Materials