DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES
Centers for Disease Control and Prevention

[Docket Number NIOSH–245]

Request for Public Comment on Draft Document: "Criteria for a Recommended Standard: Occupational Exposure to Diacetyl and 2,3-pentanedione"; Extension of Comment Period

AGENCY: National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health (NIOSH) of the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC), Department of Health and Human Services (HHS).

ACTION: Notice and extension of public comment period.

SUMMARY: The National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health (NIOSH) of the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) is extending the comment period in Docket number NIOSH–245. The agency is extending the comment period in response to requests for extensions to permit the public more time to gather and submit information.

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DATES: Written comments on the document will be accepted until November 18, 2011.

ADDRESSES: All material submitted to NIOSH should reference Docket Number NIOSH–245. All electronic comments should be formatted as Microsoft Word or PDF files and make reference to Docket Number NIOSH–245. To submit comments, please use one of these options:
• Send NIOSH comments using the online form at http://www.cdc.gov/niosh/docket/review/docket245/comments.html.
• Email: nioshdocket@cdc.gov.
• Facsimile: (513) 533–8285.
• Mail: NIOSH Docket Office, Robert A. Taft Laboratories, MS–C34, 4676 Columbia Parkway, Cincinnati, OH 45226.

All information received in response to this notice will be available for public examination and copying at the NIOSH Docket Office, 4676 Columbia Parkway, Room 111, Cincinnati, Ohio 45226. A complete electronic docket containing all comments submitted will be available on the NIOSH docket home page at http://www.cdc.gov/niosh/docket/archive/docket245.html and comments will be available in writing by request. NIOSH includes all comments received without change in the docket, including any personal information provided.

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Buy Quiet Workshop

AGENCY: National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health (NIOSH) of the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) will be holding a two-day Buy Quiet Workshop. The Workshop is a National Occupational Research Agenda (NORA) activity jointly organized by the NORA Construction Sector and Manufacturing Sector Programs, and the NIOSH Hearing Loss Prevention Cross-sector Program. The purpose of the Workshop is to determine feasibility and functionality of Buy Quiet programs and to explore proactive steps to ensure successful implementation. The Workshop goal is to stimulate the wider adoption of current and future engineering noise controls on machinery and equipment and to motivate the development and implementation of Buy Quiet programs for the Construction and Manufacturing industries.

Date and Time: November 9–10, 2011, 8 a.m.–5 p.m., Eastern Standard Time.

Place: Robert A. Taft Laboratories, Taft Auditorium, 4676 Columbia Parkway, Cincinnati, Ohio 45226.

ADDRESSES: If interested in attending the meeting, please contact the NIOSH Docket Office at:
• Mail: NIOSH Docket Office, Robert A. Taft Laboratories, MS–C34, 4676 Columbia Parkway, Cincinnati, Ohio 45226.
• Facsimile: (513) 533–8285.
• E-mail: nioshdocket@cdc.gov.
• Telephone: (513) 533–8611.

Free registration and information on the workshop can be found at http://www.team-psa.com/BUYQUIET.

Security Considerations: Due to mandatory security clearance procedures at the Robert A. Taft Laboratories, in-person attendees must present valid government-issued picture identification to security personnel upon entering the parking lot.

Non-U.S. Citizens: Because of CDC Security Regulations, any non-U.S. citizen wishing to attend this meeting must provide the following information in writing to the NIOSH Docket Office at the address below no later than October 21, 2011:
1. Name:
2. Gender:
3. Date of Birth:
4. Place of birth (city, province, state, country):
5. Citizenship:
6. Passport Number:
7. Date of Passport Issue:
8. Date of Passport Expiration:
9. Type of Visa:
10. U.S. Naturalization Number (if a naturalized citizen):
11. U.S. Naturalization Date (if a naturalized citizen):
12. Visitor’s Organization:
13. Organization Address:
14. Organization Telephone Number:
15. Visitor’s Position/Title within the Organization:

This information will be transmitted to the CDC Security Office for approval.