PUBLIC HEARING ON THE ADOPTION BY REFERENCE OF CERTAIN FEDERAL OCCUPATIONAL SAFETY AND HEALTH STANDARDS

November 1, 2012

Anne FF Rugens: Good morning. My name is Anne Rugens, and I'm an attorney with the Connecticut Department of Labor's Office of Program Policy. Today is November 1, 2012 and the time is approximately 8:30. This hearing is taking place in the Office of Program Policy, in the Connecticut Department of Labor. The hearing this morning is regarding the Department's proposed adoption by reference of certain federal occupational safety and health standards related to acetylene.

Notice of the proposed regulations and of this public hearing on the regulations was published in the October 2, 2012 edition of the Connecticut Law Journal. Notice was further provided that interested parties would be able to submit data, facts, views or arguments orally or in writing at this hearing and would have 30 days from the publication of the standard to submit written argument to my attention in the Office of Program Policy, DOL. As of this date, the Department has not received any comments on the regulations and no parties have appeared to testify at the public hearing. I will go off the record for a brief period of time, in case any parties appear.

Anne FF Rugens: Back on the record at 9:30 a.m. No one has appeared to testify at the hearing. Accordingly, the hearing is closed at this time.