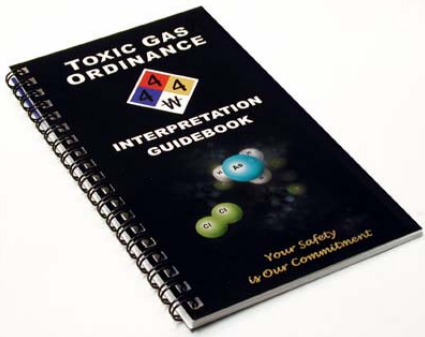


Toxic Gas Ordinance Interpretive Guidebook

Copies of the new Toxic Gas Ordinance Interpretive Guidebook will be raffled off to about 10% of those attending the January meeting. This guidebook, a \$25 value, is offered courtesy of TGO Solutions.



Remember to Post Those Annual Summaries

Employers are required to post the OSHA 300A Summary Form from February 1 through April 30, covering injuries and illnesses sustained in 2003.

OSHA's revised 300 forms should be used for injuries and illnesses occurring in 2004 and posted beginning February 1, 2005.

New Web tools from OSHA

Two new resources are available on the agency's web site: MyOSHA, a tool to create personalized links to create online resources; and Quick Start, a step-by-step guide to identify major OSHA requirements and guidance materials.

Visitors to MyOSHA can sign up to create personalized links to OSHA online resources. Users can customize content of their pages by choosing links from different categories.

Quick Start is a new tool on OSHA's Compliance Assistance Web page that

provides step-by-step guidance to identify OSHA requirements and guidance materials that may apply to specific workplaces.

For more information see

<http://www.osha.gov/index.html>

Advertise your Business in the BAESG 2004 Membership Directory and Web page!

If you have a business related to Environmental, Health and Safety, then advertising with BAESG is for you!

Your ad, placed in the BAESG Membership Directory, will be seen by EH&S decision makers at companies throughout the San Francisco Bay Area. One low price places your ad in the Directory and on our fine website, <http://www.BAESG.org>.

Please see the guidelines below and note the March 1 deadline (Postmark on or before February 18 earns a 10% discount).

Advertising Guidelines:

Must be a member of BAESG for 2004 to participate; Camera ready artwork for the directory to be submitted for full page advertisement. Microsoft Word 6.0 preferred; Payment in full required upon submission, by check. Rate is \$90 for a full page ad. Rate includes web accessible advertisement; Copy not to exceed 8"X10";

The web accessible ad to be text only. The ad can link the browser to an existing home page if preferred. Text limited to 80 words; BAESG Board reserves the right to reject or ask for revisions on any submittal judged not meeting BAESG standards; Payment must be postmarked by March 1, 2004 to be considered for the 2004 BAESG directory. 10% discount for submittals postmarked on or before February 18, 2004.

Artwork and payment to be submitted to BAESG, PO Box 60363, Sunnyvale, CA 94088-0363

Contact Rick Tata at BAESG@aol.com with any questions you may have.

I Chose to Look the Other Way By Brian McMillan

While visiting one of the many islands I have found in the never ending sea of the internet I came across a poem written by a man name Brian McMillan who is an Education Health and Safety Officer somewhere unknown. I thought you might like to use this at some time. I found it at <http://myweb.tiscali.co.uk/safetysite/powerpoint%20slides.htm> but if you cant get to it just send me an email and I will email it to you as I have it downloaded.

I could have saved a life today,
But I chose to look the other way,
It wasn't that I didn't care,
I had the time, and I was there.
But I didn't want to seem a fool,
Or argue over a safety rule.
I knew he'd done the job before,
If I called it wrong, he might get sore.
The chances didn't seem that bad,
I've done the same, he knew I had.
So I shook my head and walked on by,
He knew the risks as well as I.
He took the chance, I closed an eye,
And with that act, I let him die.
I could have saved a life today,
But I chose to look the other way.
Now every time I see his wife,
I'll know I should have saved his life.
That guilt is something I must bear,
But it isn't something you need to share.
If you see a risk that others take,
That puts their health or life at stake.
The question asked, or thing you say,
Could help them live another day,
If you see a risk and walk away,
Then hope you never have to say,
I could have saved a life today,
But I chose to look the other way.

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The Bay Area Environmental Safety Group is a business league with the interest of serving the professional working in Silicon Valley and the Greater San Francisco Bay Area.

The BAESG was established in the early 1980's to fill a void that other safety-related associations were unable to satisfy.

Officers of the BAESG are committed to meeting the needs of environmental protection, occupational and public health, emergency preparedness, and safety professionals.

Each month, luncheon meetings are planned featuring speakers who have something to offer the EH&S professionals and the companies and organizations for which they serve.

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Conferences and Upcoming Courses

U.C. Santa Cruz Extension in Cupertino;
1-800-660-8639

- Principles of Toxicology—Jan 23-31
- Principles of Hazardous Materials Management—Jan 26-March 22
- Annual Occupational Health and Safety Regulatory Update— Feb 27

U.C. Davis Extension in Sacramento
1-800-752-0881

- CEQA Update: Issues and Trends— Jan 23
- Air Quality Analysis: An overview— Feb 4
- CEQA: A Step-by-Step approach— Feb 19
- Environmental Compliance— March 4

U.C. Berkeley Extension— 1-510-642-4111

- Lead-Based Paint Inspection— Jan 26-30

- Land Use Planning for non-planners; An introduction to planning in California
- Environmental Review and EIR Basics— Feb 20

Celebrating CUPAS-Feb 2-5

6th Annual Conference on the Unified program presented by the Cal CUPA Forum, Cal/EPA, DSTC and other agencies in Santa Clara; register and pay online at <http://www.calcupa.net>

10th Annual Silicon Valley Conference: Corporate Responsibility and Environmental, Health and Safety Compliance: Building your risk management toolbox-Feb 26.

Presented by PIBA and U.C. Santa Cruz Extension in Foster City, this conference will contain seminars on a number of topics of interest to EHS Professionals as well as vendor exhibits; for info call (650) 965-2436 or visit <http://www.piba.org>.

BAESG MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

Please complete this form and attach membership dues. Annual membership dues are \$25.00. (\$12.50 for full-time students and retired EH&S professionals). Make your check payable to **BAESG** and return with this application to:

Membership Director
Bay Area Environmental Safety Group
P. O. Box 60363
Sunnyvale, CA 94088-0363

Personal Information and Company Address (to be listed in the Membership Directory)

Name: _____

Full-time Student? Yes ___ No ___

Certifications (such as CIH, CSP) _____

Job Title (or field of study): _____

Company (or College/University): _____

Address: _____

City, State, and ZIP CODE: _____

Daytime Phone (with area code): _____ FAX: _____

Email address: _____

Sponsor: _____

Monthly newsletters will be sent to the above email address.

Areas of Interest:

Please indicate any areas of special interest that you would like to see covered during the monthly meetings, or topics that you would be interested in presenting.

TOPIC: _____

PRESENTING? Yes ___ No ___

NOTE: Applications must be postmarked no later than February 27th to ensure uninterrupted BAESG goodies like the newsletter, and special member rate to attend our monthly meetings.

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Job Opportunities

Senior Consultant	Liberty Mutual	http://jobs.brassring.com/EN/ASP/TG/cim_jobdetail.asp?Agent=3D1&jobid=3D107
Research Center Technician II	Liberty Mutual	http://jobs.brassring.com/EN/ASP/TG/cim_jobdetail.asp?Agent=3D1&jobid=3D107
Sr Technical Assistant	Liberty Mutual	http://jobs.brassring.com/EN/ASP/TG/cim_jobdetail.asp?Agent=3D1&jobid=3D106v
Service Director II	Liberty Mutual	http://jobs.brassring.com/EN/ASP/TG/cim_jobdetail.asp?Agent=3D1&jobid=3D105
Senior Consultant	Liberty Mutual	http://jobs.brassring.com/EN/ASP/TG/cim_jobdetail.asp?Agent=3D1&jobid=3D103
Consultant II	Liberty Mutual	http://jobs.brassring.com/EN/ASP/TG/cim_jobdetail.asp?Agent=3D1&jobid=3D103
Service Director I	Liberty Mutual	http://jobs.brassring.com/EN/ASP/TG/cim_jobdetail.asp?Agent=3D1&jobid=3D100
safety consultants	Boston MA Dallas Tx Los Angeles, Ca Pittsburgh, Pa San Francisco, Ca Washington (Maryland or Vir-	Kenneth W. Clark President National Risk Control, Inc 413-564-0007 phone 206-260-5111 efax ken@nationalriskcontrol.com
Environmental Health and Safety Manager	Alcoa Inc. Yankton SD	http://email.hbinc.com/n.asp?j=742644
Aviation Safety Inspector (Cabin Safety) CSET Team Member	Federal Aviation Administration (FAA)	http://email.hbinc.com/n.asp?j=743370
Associate Research Specialist - Rodent Safety Pharmacology	Quintiles EDLS Kansas City, MO	http://email.hbinc.com/n.asp?j=738225 -
Safety & Loss Prevention Manager	IKEA New Haven CT	http://email.hbinc.com/n.asp?j=742656
HS&E Specialist	Honeywell ON-Mississauga CA	http://email.hbinc.com/n.asp?j=743229 -