

## State of Alaska

## Department of Labor and Workforce Development Division of Labor Standards and Safety

## **AKOSH Program Directive #24-09**

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To: All AKOSH Staff

From: Tanya Keith, Director

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Subject: Adoption of the OSHA's hazard communication standard final rule as defined in 29 CFR Part 1910, sequence #1651 for fiscal years 2024-2029. It also adopts the first correction of OSHA's promulgated on 10/9/24. OSHA has identified several errors in the regulatory text and appendices to this standard which pertain to the classification of hazardous chemicals and information presented on labels and Safety Data Sheets (SDSs).

This Program Directive establishes enforcement procedures to implement OSHA's Hazard Communication Standard Final Rule in Alaska. This emphasis program supports the OSHA's standard for fiscal years 2024-2029. The goal is to adopt the United Nations' Globally Harmonized System (GHS) of classification and labelling of chemicals.

This program directive becomes effective immediately. Please ensure that all members of your staff receive this program directive and understand how to implement it.

Attachment: OSHA Final Rule On Hazard Communication

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