National Personal Protective Technology Laboratory

Respirator Standards Development **Public Meeting**

Hyatt Regency Pittsburgh Airport

September 17, 2009





Vision & Mission

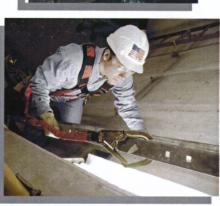
research, training, and evaluation. The VISION is to be the leading provider of quality, relevant, and timely PPT

death by advancing the state of knowledge and application of personal protective technologies (PPT). The MISSION of the PPT program is to prevent work-related injury, illness and









individuals to reduce the effects of their exposure to a hazard. PPT in this context is defined as the technical methods, processes, techniques, tools, and materials that support the gevelopment and use of personal protective equipment worn by



Public Meeting Objectives

To facilitate stakeholder communications through:

- Sharing project information
- Encouraging information exchange
- Obtaining project comment





Meeting Format

NIOSH and Stakeholder Presentations

Panel Discussion / Stakeholder Comment Sessions

LiveMeeting Access





Meeting Logistics

- Registration
- Presentations and Open Comment Periods are Recorded; Verbatim Transcript for Docket
- Presentation in accordance with the Agenda
- Meeting Survey is Part of the Afternoon Wrap-up
- Q & A Period included in the Panel Discussion / Open Comment Period
- Comment at Microphone; Identify Name and Affiliation
- LiveMeeting Questions addressed during this period
- Additional Presentations Sign up at Registration Desk





Meeting Agenda

8:30 --- Welcome and Meeting Overview

9:00 --- Supplied Air Respirators

11:00 --- Air-Fed Ensembles

12:00 --- Lunch

1:00 --- Air-Fed Ensembles (continued)

2:00 --- TIL

4:00 --- Wrap-Up





Develop Standards for Personal Respiratory Equipment

Notices for Proposed Rulemaking (NPRM) in Agency Review

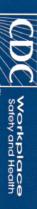
- Quality Assurance Module
- Closed Circuit Escape Respirator
- Total Inward Leakage for FFR and half masks

Concepts Completing Development

- Closed Circuit SCBA
- Powered Air-Purifying Respirators

Concepts in Development

- Supplied Air Respirators
- Air-Fed Ensembles (where the ensemble acts as the respirator)





Supplied Air Respirators

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Reference: Docket 083 -B Supplied Air Respirators

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Total Inward Leakage (TIL) for Respirators other than Filtering Facepieces and Half Masks

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