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Washington, D.C. 20210

Reply to the attention of:

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Mr. John Cleghorn
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Dear Mr. Cleghorn:

Thank you for your May 20, 2008 letter to the Occupational Safety and Health Administration (OSHA) regarding the Recordkeeping regulation contained in 29 CFR 1904 – Recording and Reporting Occupational Injuries and Illnesses. In an effort to provide you with prompt and accurate responses we developed and continue to refine a set of Frequently Asked Questions (FAQ), in addition to maintaining a log of Letters of Interpretation (LOI) on the OSHA Recordkeeping website.

Scenario:

An employee working out of our Iowa establishment incurred a recordable injury while on work assignment in our Texas establishment. Which OSHA 300 Log does the recordable injury belong on?

Answer:

You should record the case on Texas establishment's OSHA 300 Log.

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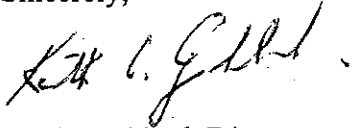
How do I record an injury or illness when an employee of one of my establishments is injured or becomes ill while visiting or working at another of my establishments, or while working away from any of my establishments? If the injury or illness occurs at one of your establishments, you must record the injury or illness on the OSHA 300 Log of the establishment at which the injury or illness occurred. If the employee is injured or becomes ill and is not at one of your establishments, you must record the case on the OSHA 300 Log at the establishment at which the employee normally works.

This information is publicly available and can be immediately retrieved from OSHA's website at <http://www.osha.gov/recordkeeping>.

Thank you for your interest in occupational safety and health. We hope you find this information helpful. OSHA requirements are set by statute, standards, and regulations. Our interpretation letters explain these requirements and how they apply to particular

circumstances, but they cannot create additional employer obligations. This letter constitutes OSHA's interpretation of the requirements discussed. Note that our enforcement guidance may be affected by changes to OSHA rules. Also, from time to time we update our guidance in response to new information. To keep appraised of such developments, you can consult OSHA's website at <http://www.osha.gov>.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "Keith Goddard", is written over the typed name.

Keith Goddard, Director
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