



**SECTION 15**

**ASBESTOS WORK PROVISIONS**



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### 1. ASBESTOS WORK PROVISIONS

- A. **APPLICATION:** This policy shall apply to all contractors and their subcontractors working with Asbestos Containing Material (ACM) at company project sites. ACM is defined as any material containing greater than 1-% asbestos. These requirements shall be in addition to any requirements specified in the Site Safety Manual, Client Safety Manual, or Contractor Safety Manual.

**Note: Any material suspected to be asbestos must be reported to the owner. The owner will then make a determination as to the asbestos content and make arrangements to have it removed if positive.**

- B. **SCOPE:** Regulated asbestos work includes but is not limited to the following:
1. Demolition or salvage of structures where ACM is present.
  2. Removal or encapsulation of ACM.
  3. Construction, alteration, repair, maintenance, or renovation of structures, substrates, or portions thereof that contains ACM.
  4. Installation of ACM products
  5. Asbestos spill/emergency cleanup.
  6. Transportation, disposal, storage, containment of, and housekeeping activities involving asbestos or products containing asbestos, on the site or location at which the construction activities are performed.
- C. **GENERAL REQUIREMENTS:** Maul Electric, Inc. Employees shall comply with the following:
- D. **Regulations:**
1. All Federal, State, or Local Occupational Safety and Health Standards.
  2. All Federal, State, or Local Environmental Regulations for air quality and disposal.
  3. All Federal, State, or Local Transportation of Hazardous Waste Requirements.
  4. All Federal, State, or Local Asbestos Worker licensing requirements.
  5. All client specified Safety, Health, and Environmental Regulations.
- E. **Documents Submission:**
1. **The following documentation shall be provided prior to the award of contract for all asbestos contractors and lower tier**



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**subcontractors. These documents will be reviewed periodically, as required, during the performance of work.**

- a) Contractor Qualification Questionnaire and associated documents.
- b) Certificate of Insurance for General Liability, Auto and Workers Compensation with any applicable asbestos removal endorsements. Certificates must include Maul Electric, Inc., and the Client as additionally insured.
- c) Designation of Competent Person responsible for daily supervision of asbestos work and documentation of qualification.
- d) Safety Manual to include:
  - (1) Medically approved respiratory protection program with copy of medical certification.
  - (2) Site specific asbestos work practice and plan.
  - (3) Specific training program for asbestos workers.
  - (4) A copy of all citation issued for asbestos work or disposal violations for the past three years.
  - (5) A copy of the Contractor Substance Abuse Program and, if applicable, the DOT mandated Employee Drug Abuse Program and Employee Alcohol Misuse Prevention Plan.
- e) Environmental Monitoring firm and testing lab information to include:
  - (1) Name of selected Environmental Monitoring Firm.
  - (2) Sampling Protocol.
  - (3) Certificate of Qualification for Certified Industrial Hygienist of Industrial Hygienist conducting sampling.
  - (4) Name of selected certified sampling testing facility.
  - (5) Copy of current testing facility certifications.
  - (6) Statement of guaranteed test result turn-around time for personal monitoring and perimeter monitoring.
  - (7) A copy of testing facility sample protocol.

**2. The following documents will be provided post contract award and prior to beginning any work.**

- a) All Federal, State, or Local permits for work, removal, and/or disposal.



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- b) By name certification that all employees on site have completed substance abuse testing with negative results.
- c) Written certification, by name and social security number, that all employees have completed medical evaluation and qualification for asbestos work and respiratory protective equipment use.
- d) Written certification, by name and social security number, indicating the date and method used to determine qualification of employees for asbestos work.
- e) Photocopies of current Federal, State, or Local asbestos worker licensing.
- f) Approved Site Safety Plan and signed documentation of employee site safety orientation.

### **F. PROVISION OF MEDICAL EVALUATION/EXAMINATION AND PERSONAL PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT:**

- 1. The contractor will provide, free of cost to employees, all required medical evaluations, examinations, and personal protective equipment.

### **G. RECORDS REVIEW AND RETENTION:**

- 1. The following documents will be made available for review and/or inspection to any Federal, State, and/or Local regulatory agency; the Client Designated Representative; Maul Electric, Inc.'s Designated Representative; contractor employees or designated employee representative; subcontractors and their employees or designated employee representative.
  - a) All Industrial Hygiene and Environmental Monitoring Data.
  - b) All Manifests and Hazardous Waste Disposal Documents.
- 2. All records will be retained in accordance with Federal, State, and/or, Local regulation. In the event of conflicting retention time requirements, the longest duration specified shall be followed.