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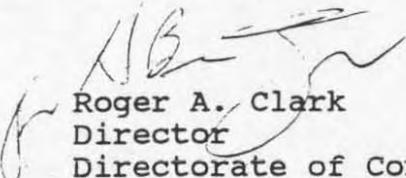
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Dr. Michael A. Greenfield
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Dear Dr. Greenfield:

Thank you for your letter of September 24, submitting the newly developed National Aeronautics and Space Administration (NASA) Safety Standard for "Explosives, Propellants, and Pyrotechnics" for our review. Our review did not identify any inconsistencies between the Occupational Safety and Health standard at 1910.109 and NASA's proposed supplemental standard. Therefore, under the regulations at 29 CFR 1960.18, NASA may adopt this supplemental standard.

Thank you for your interest in occupational safety and health.

Sincerely,


Roger A. Clark
Director
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