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Mr. John Moran
Director, Division of Safety Research
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Subject: Request for Recall of Proposed 42 C.F.R. Part 84

Dear Mr. Moran:

It was with dismay that we read of the proposed 42 C.F.R. Part 84 dated August 27, 1987. Not only do we consider the proposed method of testing to be faulty, but the end result would be completely unworkable.

Having been in Safety Equipment sales and distribution for thirty years we are well aware of cost of respiratory protection as well as the great reluctance of most employees to use such devices. It would appear that the proposed new regulations would add greatly to the cost of operation for most industrial plants, as well as create serious employee relations regarding compliance and use of said appliances.

Your consideration of this matter will be very much appreciated.

Sincerely,

Quad City Safety, Inc.

John F. Rohrer
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President

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