



Dear Members

DLS has just issued the following communication on the Right-to-Know Law.

- DLS is not enforcing the worker-RTK law. Effective immediately, DLS is enforcing OSHA hazard communication.
- The Community-RTK law is still in effect, and administered by Department of Public Health. Coordinator is Mike Feeney at 617-624-5757.
- Annual training hazard communication training is not required.
- Trainers do not need to be registered with DLS. An employer can conduct their own hazard communication training without a 3rd party trainer.
- If an employer has a written program that is titled "Right-to-Know", they do not need to rewrite their program. They can continue to call it RTK if that is what workers are familiar with.

The basics stay the same- keep all chemical containers labeled, and keep a Safety data Sheet for each product.

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