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Ms. Lynne R. Harris
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Dear Ms. Harris:

This acknowledges the receipt of your October 29, 2002 letter requesting amendment of 49 CFR 171.7 and 173.225(e)(3)(vi) to incorporate by reference the American Institute of Chemical Engineers Process Safety Progress Journal, June 2002 issue (Vol.21; No.2). This document contains examples of methods that could be used to determine the size of emergency relief devices on portable tanks and intermediate bulk containers used to transport Division 5.2 (organic peroxide) materials.

Your request has been assigned number P-1428. This number is for tracking purposes only. Your request has not been assessed for merit. If accepted under 49 CFR 106.31 as a petition for rulemaking, it will be considered for a future rulemaking action.

If you write or call us regarding this petition, please make refer to this number.

Sincerely,

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