

CALIFORNIA INDUSTRIAL HYGIENE COUNCIL
*Advancing public policy to improve the health and safety
of workers and the community.*

The Honorable Bill Monning
State Capitol, Room 313
Sacramento, CA 95814

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RE: SB 1100 (Monning) Support

Dear Senator Monning,

On behalf of the California Industrial Hygiene Council (CIHC), I am writing to inform you of our support for your SB 1100 which would provide that moneys in the Workers' Occupational Safety and Health Education Fund may be applied to specified collaborative work done by the Commission on Health and Safety and Workers' Compensation related to its training and education program.

We support the intent of the bill to expand the list of purposes of the training and education program, which would be referred to as the Worker Occupational Safety and Health Training and Education Program, and to increase the number and capacity of specified organizations to train workers and provide services.

The bill would also require, as part of WOSHTEP, that the commission collaborate with the Occupational Health Branch of the State Department of Public Health and the University of California occupational health centers affiliated with regional schools of medicine and public health.

The California Industrial Hygiene Council was founded in 1990 to establish a legislative presence in the California for the industrial hygiene profession. It is supported by the local sections of the American Industrial Hygiene Association (AIHA) within California. The local sections consist of Northern CA, Orange County, Sacramento, San Diego, and Southern California. It is designated as the AIHA State Governmental Affairs Organization in California.

Again, we appreciate your leadership in promoting worker training and are happy to support SB 1100.

Sincerely,

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