Defense Logistics Agency Instruction

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DLA Occupational Safety and Health

DLA Unified Facility Criteria (UFC)
Operations and Maintenance: Inspection and Certification
Of Boilers and Unfired Pressure Vessels
Procedures

1. PURPOSE.

This procedure establishes guidelines and procedures necessary to ensure the safe, reliable, operation, and maintenance of boilers and unfired pressure vessels by adopting the requirements of the identified UFC. It also establishes the frequency of inspection and testing; which components are inspected and tested; and the forms used to comply with this specific UFC.

2. APPLICABILITY.

The Agency is implementing this written procedure for operating and maintaining boilers and unfired pressure vessels in accordance with the identified UFC. It is applicable to all DLA locations and operations worldwide (CONUS and OCONUS). For OCONUS locations, more protective host nation requirements must be followed. This will result in a unified approach to written occupational safety and health programs across the DLA. This approach provides for cost effective implementation, consistency of approach, and effective utilization of resources.

3. POLICY.

a. The written DLA program consist of this DLA Occupational Safety and Health Corporate plan and the attached DoD UFC-3-430-07, May 2007, Unified Facility Criteria (UFC) document (Attachment 1).

b. DLA shall use the DoD UFC-3-430-07, May 2007, Unified Facility Criteria (UFC) document (and updates) and comply with the requirements identified in the UFC for; operations and maintenance; inspection and certification of boilers and unfired pressure vessels.

4. RESPONSIBILITIES.

The following guidance summarizes the DLA components responsibilities for plan development, administration, inspection and certification of equipment, training, and compliance with the Unified Facility Criteria UFC for boilers and unfired pressure vessels:

a. Commanders, Site Directors, and Functional Managers will:

(1) Ensure compliance with DoD UFC-3-430-07. May 2007 Unified Facility Criteria (UFC) and any changes and/or updates to this guidance.

(2) Review and execute programs, plans, procedures, and budgets to support the UFC requirements.

(3) Ensure the establishment, implementation, and maintenance of an effective operations and maintenance program that follows the UFC.

(4) Require that all components to which this regulation pertains carry out their respective phases of the program.

b. Site Servicing Occupational Safety and Health Office (OSHO), in coordination with facilities services, will:

(1) Ensure that the work being performed on boilers and unfired pressure vessels complies with DoD UFC guidance and OSHA regulations.

(2) Ensure that the latest version of the UFC is implemented whenever new or modified equipment and procedures are introduced at the site.

c. Facilities Engineering or Maintenance Division

(1) In coordination with the OSHO ensure compliance with the UFC.

(2) Include UFC requirements in the maintenance program.

ATTACHMENT 1
UFC-3-430-07, May 2007