MOCK INSPECTIONS

Today, businesses are facing a tremendous challenge to interpret and comply with an abundance of regulations dictated by federal, state and county laws. Noncompliance can result in heavy fines and in some cases, criminal prosecution. The questions most companies ask are "What do I have to comply with?" and "How do I achieve compliance peace of mind, avoid penalties and still make money?" Sometimes, this appears to be an impossible, daunting task. Let us help you by conducting a Mock Inspection to inform you of your requirements before the inspector knocks at your door.

The Mock Inspection includes a review of the applicable regulations under the Code of Federal Regulations (CFR)-Title 40 (EPA), Title 29 (OSHA), and Title 49 (DOT). All information provided to RegComp during the inspection will remain strictly confidential. Mock Inspections are generally completed in three segments:

1) **Background and Records Review** - during this portion of the inspection, RegComp will review all background documents, local regulations, prior audit/inspection reports, permits and identify facility staff concerns. Personnel responsible for subject areas must be available for questioning. Additionally, any related plans and documents, such as: hazardous materials shipping documents, hazardous waste manifests, written plans, training programs, worker injury logs and accident reports must be provided upon request.

2) **Facility Inspection** - work areas and other locations within your facility will be visually inspected to determine compliance with current state and federal regulations. Photographs of potential violations may be taken for review during the Exit Interview.

3) **Exit Interview** - after the Mock Inspection has been completed, RegComp's staff will conduct an exit interview with appropriate facility staff to inform you of any situations which may require immediate corrective action, to provide the inspection findings and to recommend overall corrective actions.

If requested, a written report is available for an additional fee which will be determined after review of the findings at the Exit Interview. This report will be identified as "Confidential Information" and will illustrate potential fines and the findings discussed in the Exit Interview. Since it takes a while to correct non-compliant areas, it will also include a projected time line (Gantt Chart) to demonstrate your diligence and good faith efforts.

Typical inspections take 4 to 8 hours. Pricing is based on $150/per hour (plus expenses), for EAF members.

Contact EAF at 407.260.6556 or info@eafinc.org and ask to speak with a representative from RegComp to schedule your Mock Inspection today!

Pat LaPoint - President & CEO of Regulatory Compliance Associates, Inc. (RegComp) For over 35 years, Patricia has been performing Mock Inspections and developing programs and teaching regulatory compliance workshops pertaining to governmental laws and regulations (EPA, OSHA and DOT) for various types of industries in the private sector, including electronics, automotive, boating, healthcare, veterinarian, chemical, distributing, manufacturing, plastics, fiberglass pools and pharmaceuticals, as well as for governmental agencies and installations, including the U.S. Public Health Service, U.S. Customs and various military bases. She writes comprehensive workshop manuals and site specific employee training programs, and audits corporate programs throughout the U.S., Canada and Puerto Rico. She also conducts compliance gap assessments at clients' facilities and negotiates with regulators to reduce fines and penalties.