



FOUNDATION "QUALITY 21ST CENTURY"



MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING

This Memorandum of Understanding is made on the 29 day of February in the year 2008 by and between the American Industrial Hygiene Association (AIHA), with offices at 2700 Prosperity Ave., Suite 250, Fairfax, Virginia 22031, USA (hereinafter referred to as "AIHA") and Bulgarian Occupational Hygiene Association (BOHA), with the following contact information: Prof. eng. ILIA TZENEV, PhD, Co-founder of "QUALITY 21-st CENTURY" Foundation, 1505 Sofia 23, Russalka St., Bulgaria, phone (+359 88) 898 47 98, (hereinafter referred to as BOHA).

WHEREAS, AIHA is a not-for-profit corporation whose mission is to promote, protect, and enhance industrial hygienists and other occupational and environmental health and safety professionals in their efforts to improve the health and well-being of workers, the community, and the environment, and

WHEREAS, BOHA is an organization formed to Promote and develop OH/IH organization/section in order to advance industrial and environmental hygiene in Bulgaria and

WHEREAS, AIHA and BOHA desire to formalize a relationship and to cooperatively engage in joint activities to enhance and promote the role of industrial hygienists and other occupational and environmental health, and safety (OEHS) professionals and to advance the professionalism and practice of industrial hygiene worldwide,

NOW, THEREFORE, the parties do hereby agree, to the extent possible and desirable, to:

- a. Make formal announcements to the memberships of both AIHA and BOHA, in their respective membership publications, of their intentions to work together to accomplish mutual goals.
- b. Issue jointly a formal press release, to be sent to media contacts of both AIHA and BOHA, describing the nature of this Memorandum of Understanding.
- c. Establish links between the websites of AIHA and BOHA.
- d. Consider the pursuit of joint activity and projects, such as book or pamphlet development and production, translation of existing publications, and development of distance learning and other educational programming.
- e. Consider promoting each other's products and services to their respective members.
- f. BOHA is to promote AIHA's International Affiliate Membership category by adding a notice in a future issue of the BOHA membership publication.

Either party may cancel this Memorandum of Understanding by providing the other party with formal written notice.

IN WITNESS THEREOF, the parties hereto have executed this Memorandum of Understanding as of the date and year above written.

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President, AIHA

Prof. Dipl. Eng. Iliia Tzenev, Ph.D.
BOHA Authorized Representative

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Date: 2-29-08

Date: 18th February 2008