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## **\*CONTRACTOR SAFETY\***

Contractors have the responsibility to independently conduct their operations in a safe and productive manner.

To enhance the safety of all contractors and their employees, SPI expects all contractors to meet the following expectations and/or requirements:

- 1. Written Illness and Injury Prevention Program.
  - Name person in charge of safety.
  - Ensure employees comply with safe and healthy work practices.
  - Have a system of communicating with employees about safety.
  - Have procedures for identifying and evaluating work place hazards.
  - Investigate injuries and illnesses.
  - Have methods of correcting unsafe conditions and work practices in a timely manner.
  - Provide training and instruction to all employees for each job they perform.
- 2. Have a Hazard Communication Program.
- 3. Emergency plan and procedures
- 4. Communication equipment (CB's not allowed for primary communication).
- 5. All employees trained in First Aid and CPR.
- 6. Accident reporting procedures
- 7. Substance abuse and screening program for truck drivers. (DOT Regulations)
- 8. Fire prevention and suppression procedures and equipment.
- 9. Lockout/Tagout procedures
- 10. Hearing conservation procedures.
- 11. Housekeeping guidelines.
- 12. Safety meeting at each new job site.
- 13. Compliance with all Forest Practice Rules.
- 14. Compliance with all CAL/OSHA rules and any other local, State or Federal requirements for jobs performed.

The above list is provided as a guideline for our contractors. SPI will not supervise contractors' safety performance, but does expect all contractors to take safety seriously and comply with all the rules.

If you have any questions on the above requirements, please contact your insurance carrier or logging association safety representative.