Occupational Safety and Health Administration 200 N. High Street Room 620 Columbus, OH 43215



Citation and Notification of Penalty

To:

Jerry Turnbaugh 6619 Canaan Circle Dublin, OH 43017

Inspection Site:

149 Thrush Circle Pickerington, OH 43147

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Inspection Number: 1474442

Inspection Date(s): 05/07/2020 - 05/07/2020

Issuance Date: 07/08/2020

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This Citation and Notification of Penalty (this Citation) describes violations of the Occupational Safety and Health Act of 1970. The penalty(ies) listed herein is (are) based on these violations. You must abate the violations referred to in this Citation by the dates listed and pay the penalties proposed, unless within 15 working days (excluding weekends and Federal holidays) from your receipt of this Citation and Notification of Penalty **you either call to schedule an informal conference (see paragraph below) or** you mail a notice of contest to the U.S. Department of Labor Area Office at the address shown above. Please refer to the enclosed booklet (OSHA 3000) which outlines your rights and responsibilities and which should be read in conjunction with this form. Issuance of this Citation does not constitute a finding that a violation of the Act has occurred unless there is a failure to contest as provided for in the Act or, if contested, unless this Citation is affirmed by the Review Commission or a court.

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U.S. Department of Labor Occupational Safety and Health Administration



NOTICE TO EMPLOYEES OF INFORMAL CONFERENCE

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High Street, Room 620, Columbus, OH 43215 on at
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CERTIFICATION OF CORRECTIVE ACTION WORKSHEET

Inspection Number: 1474442

Company Name: Jerry Turnbaugh

Inspection Site: 149 Thrush Circle, Pickerington, OH 43147

Issuance Date: 07/08/2020

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NOTE: 29 USC 666(g) whoever knowingly makes any false statements, representation or certification in any application, record, plan or other documents filed or required to be maintained pursuant to the Act shall, upon conviction, be punished by a fine of not more than \$10,000 or by imprisonment of not more than 6 months or both.

POSTING: A copy of completed Corrective Action Worksheet should be posted for employee review

Occupational Safety and Health Administration Inspection Date(s): 05/07/2020 - 05/07/2020

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Citation and Notification of Penalty

Company Name: Jerry Turnbaugh

Inspection Site: 149 Thrush Circle, Pickerington, OH 43147

Citation 1 Item 1 Type of Violation: **Willful**

29 CFR 1926.20(b)(1): It shall be the responsibility of the employer to initiate and maintain such programs as may be necessary to comply with this part.

The employer will not develop and maintain a safety and health program for employees.

This most recently occurred on May 7, 2020, at the residential site located at 149 Thrush Circle in Pickerington, Ohio. The employer failed to develop and implement a safety and health program for employees performing framing work onsite.

Jerry Turnbaugh was previously cited for a violation of this Occupational Safety and Health standard or its equivalent standard 29 CFR 1926,20(b)(1) which was contained in inspection numbers:

- 1) 1384927, Citation 2 Item 1, Issued on 04/08/2019
- 2) 1301052, Citation 1 Item 1, Issued on 03/29/2018

Pursuant to 29 CFR 1903.19, the employer must submit documents describing the steps it is taking to ensure compliance, including a description of how these steps protect its employees from the fall hazards.

Develop, initiate and maintain a safety and health program in accordance with 29 CFR 1926.20 (Subpart C),

ABATEMENT DOCUMENTATION REQUIRED FOR THIS ITEM

Date By Which Violation Must be Abated: 08/12/2020 Proposed Penalty: \$29686.00

Occupational Safety and Health Administration Inspection Date(s): 05/07/2020 - 05/07/2020

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Citation and Notification of Penalty

Company Name: Jerry Turnbaugh

Inspection Site: 149 Thrush Circle, Pickerington, OH 43147

Citation 1 Item 2 Type of Violation: **Willful**

29 CFR 1926.21(b)(2): The employer shall instruct each employee in the recognition and avoidance of unsafe conditions and the regulations applicable to his work environment to control or eliminate any hazards or other exposure to illness or injury.

The employer will not provide safety and health training for employees.

This most recently occurred on May 7, 2020, at the residential site located at 149 Thrush Circle in Pickerington, Ohio. The employer failed to provide safety and health training for employees performing framing work onsite, including, but not limited to, fall protection training and ladder safety training.

Jerry Turnbaugh was previously cited for a violation of this Occupational Safety and Health standard or its equivalent standard 29 CFR 1926.21(b)(2) which was contained in inspection numbers:

- 1) 1384927, Citation 2 Item 2a, Issued on 04/08/2019
- 2) 1301052, Citation 1 Item 2a, Issued on 03/29/2018

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Develop, initiate and maintain a safety and health training program in accordance with 29 CFR 1926.21 (Subpart C),

ABATEMENT DOCUMENTATION REQUIRED FOR THIS ITEM

08/12/2020 Date By Which Violation Must be Abated: Proposed Penalty: \$29686.00

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Occupational Safety and Health Administration Inspection Date(s): 05/07/2020 - 05/07/2020

Inspection Number: 1474442

Issuance Date: 07/08/2020



Citation and Notification of Penalty

Company Name: Jerry Turnbaugh

Inspection Site: 149 Thrush Circle, Pickerington, OH 43147

Citation 1 Item 3 Type of Violation: **Willful**

29 CFR 1926.501(b)(13): "Residential construction." Each employee engaged in residential construction activities 6 feet (1.8 m) or more above lower levels shall be protected by guardrail systems, safety net system, or personal fall arrest system unless another provision in paragraph (b) of this section provides for an alternative fall protection measure. Exception: When the employer can demonstrate that it is infeasible or creates a greater hazard to use these systems, the employer shall develop and implement a fall protection plan which meets the requirements of paragraph (k) of 1926.502.

Note: There is a presumption that it is feasible and will not create a greater hazard to implement at least one of the above-listed fall protection systems. Accordingly, the employer has the burden of establishing that it is appropriate to implement a fall protection plan which complies with 1926.502(k) for a particular workplace situation, in lieu of implementing any of those systems.

The employer does not protect each employee from the hazard of falling by the use of fall protection systems.

This most recently occurred on May 7, 2020, at the residential site located at 149 Thrush Circle in Pickerington, Ohio. The employer failed to ensure employees performing framing work onsite were protected from falls while framing second story walls at unprotected edges and at unprotected window openings. On May 12, 2020, employees were exposed to falls while sheathing the roof trusses.

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- 1) 1384927, Citation 1 Item 1, Issued on 04/08/2019
- 2) 1301052, Citation 1 Item 4, Issued on 03/29/2018

Occupational Safety and Health Administration Inspection Date(s): 05/07/2020 - 05/07/2020

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Citation and Notification of Penalty

Company Name: Jerry Turnbaugh

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Pursuant to 29 CFR 1903.19, the employer must submit documents describing the steps it is taking to ensure compliance, including a description of how these steps protect its employees from the fall hazards.

Require and enforce the use of fall protection at or above elevations of six feet in accordance with 29 CFR 1926.501-503 (Subpart M).

ABATEMENT DOCUMENTATION REQUIRED FOR THIS ITEM

Date By Which Violation Must be Abated: 08/12/2020 Proposed Penalty: \$29686.00

> Larry M. Johnson Area Director

Occupational Safety and Health Administration 200 N. High Street Room 620 Columbus, OH 43215



INVOICE / DEBT COLLECTION NOTICE

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Issuance Date: 07/08/2020

Summary of Penalties for Inspection Number 1474442
Citation 1, Willful \$89058.00
TOTAL PROPOSED PENALTIES \$89058.00

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If a personal check is issued, it will be converted into an electronic fund transfer (EFT). This means that our bank will copy your check and use the account information on it to electronically debit your account for the amount of the check. The debit from your account will then usually occur within 24 hours and will be shown on your regular account statement. You will not receive your original check back. The bank will destroy your original check, but will keep a copy of it. If the EFT cannot be completed because of insufficient funds or closed account, the bank will attempt to make the transfer up to 2 times.

Pursuant to the Debt Collection Act of 1982 (Public Law 97-365) and regulations of the U.S. Department of Labor (29 CFR Part 20), the Occupational Safety and Health Administration is required to assess interest, delinquent charges, and administrative costs for the collection of delinquent penalty debts for violations of the Occupational Safety and Health Act.

<u>Interest</u>: Interest charges will be assessed at an annual rate determined by the Secretary of the Treasury on all penalty debt amounts not paid within one month (30 calendar days) of the date on which the debt amount becomes due and payable (penalty due date). The current interest rate is two percent (2%). Interest will accrue from the date on which the penalty amounts (as proposed or adjusted) become a final order of the Occupational Safety and Health Review Commission (that is, 15 working days from your receipt of the Citation and Notification of Penalty), unless you file a notice of contest. Interest charges will be waived if the full amount owed is paid within 30 calendar days of the final order.

<u>Delinquent Charges</u>: A debt is considered delinquent if it has not been paid within one month (30 calendar days) of the penalty due date or if a satisfactory payment arrangement has not been made. If the debt remains delinquent for more than 90 calendar days, a delinquent charge of six percent (6%) per annum will be assessed accruing from the date that the debt became delinquent.

Administrative Costs: Agencies of the Department of Labor are required to assess additional charges for the recovery of delinquent debts. These additional charges are administrative costs incurred by the Agency in its attempt to collect an unpaid debt. Administrative costs will be assessed for demand letters sent in an attempt to collect the unpaid debt.

Larry M. Johnson

for

July 8, 2020

Date

Area Director

Occupational Safety and Health Administration 200 N. High Street Room 620 Columbus, OH 43215



Citation and Notification of Penalty

To:

Jerry Turnbaugh 6619 Canaan Circle Dublin, OH 43017

Inspection Site:

8426 Chesapeake Way NW Lot# 4 Pickerington, OH 43147

7019 0700 0000 9035 9347

Inspection Number: 1477358

Inspection Date(s): 06/03/2020 - 06/03/2020

Issuance Date: 07/08/2020

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CERTIFICATION OF CORRECTIVE ACTION WORKSHEET

Inspection Number: 1477358

Company Name: Jerry Turnbaugh

Inspection Site: 8426 Chesapeake Way NW, Lot# 4, Pickerington, OH 43147

Issuance Date: 07/08/2020

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POSTING: A copy of completed Corrective Action Worksheet should be posted for employee review

Occupational Safety and Health Administration Inspection Date(s): 06/03/2020 - 06/03/2020

Inspection Number: 1477358

Issuance Date: 07/08/2020



Citation and Notification of Penalty

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Inspection Site: 8426 Chesapeake Way NW, Lot# 4, Pickerington, OH 43147

Citation 1 Item 1 Type of Violation: **Willful**

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The employer makes no attempt to protect employees from fall hazards as observed while framing work was being done with the absence of required fall protection mitigations.

This most recently occurred on June 03, 2020, at a new build residential subdivision located at 8426 Chesapeake Way NW (Lot# 4), Pickerington, Ohio. The employer neglected to safeguard employees conducting framing work at the unprotected side and edge of the eave at the second floor level roof top of a new build residential construction worksite.

Jerry Turnbaugh had been previously cited for a violation of this Occupational Safety and Health standard or its equivalent standard 29 CFR 1926.501(b)(13) which was contained in inspection numbers:

- 1) 1384927, Citation 1 Item 1, Issued on April 08, 2019
- 2) 1301052, Citation 1 Item 4, Issued on March 29, 2018

Occupational Safety and Health Administration Inspection Date(s): 06/03/2020 - 06/03/2020

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Pursuant to 29 CFR 1903.19, the employer must submit documents describing the steps it is taking to ensure compliance, including a description of how these steps protect its employees from the fall hazards.

Prescribe and compel the mandatory use of fall protection systems at elevations six feet or above in accordance with 29 CFR 1926.501 through 503 (Subpart M).

ABATEMENT DOCUMENTATION REQUIRED FOR THIS ITEM

Date By Which Violation Must be Abated: 07/27/2020 Proposed Penalty: \$29686.00

Larry M. Johnson

Area Director

for

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Occupational Safety and Health Administration 200 N. High Street Room 620 Columbus, OH 43215



INVOICE / DEBT COLLECTION NOTICE

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for

July 8, 2020

Date

Larry M. Johnson

Area Director

Occupational Safety and Health Administration 200 N. High Street Room 620 Columbus, OH 43215



Citation and Notification of Penalty

To:

Jerry Turnbaugh 6619 Canaan Circle Dublin, OH 43017

Inspection Site:

768 Wharncliff Loop NW Wellington Park Homesite #138 Pickerington, OH 43147

7019 0700 0000 9035 9347

Inspection Number: 1480136

Inspection Date(s): 06/22/2020 - 06/22/2020

Issuance Date: 07/08/2020

The violation(s) described in this Citation and Notification of Penalty is (are) alleged to have occurred on or about the day(s) the inspection was made unless otherwise indicated within the description given below.

This Citation and Notification of Penalty (this Citation) describes violations of the Occupational Safety and Health Act of 1970. The penalty(ies) listed herein is (are) based on these violations. You must abate the violations referred to in this Citation by the dates listed and pay the penalties proposed, unless within 15 working days (excluding weekends and Federal holidays) from your receipt of this Citation and Notification of Penalty **you either call to schedule an informal conference (see paragraph below) or** you mail a notice of contest to the U.S. Department of Labor Area Office at the address shown above. Please refer to the enclosed booklet (OSHA 3000) which outlines your rights and responsibilities and which should be read in conjunction with this form. Issuance of this Citation does not constitute a finding that a violation of the Act has occurred unless there is a failure to contest as provided for in the Act or, if contested, unless this Citation is affirmed by the Review Commission or a court.

Posting - The law requires that a copy of this Citation and Notification of Penalty be posted immediately in a prominent place at or near the location of the violation(s) cited herein, or, if it is not practicable because of the nature of the employer's operations, where it will be readily observable by all affected employees. This Citation must remain posted until the violation(s) cited herein has (have) been abated, or for 3 working days (excluding weekends and Federal holidays), whichever is longer.

Informal Conference - An informal conference is not required. However, if you wish to have such a conference you may request one with the Area Director during the 15 working day contest period by calling 614-469-5582. During such an informal conference you may present any evidence or views which you believe would support an adjustment to the citation(s) and/or penalty(ies).

If you are considering a request for an informal conference to discuss any issues related to this Citation and Notification of Penalty, you must take care to schedule it early enough to allow time to contest after the informal conference, should you decide to do so. Please keep in mind that a written letter of intent to contest must be submitted to the Area Director within 15 working days of your receipt of this Citation. The running of this contest period is not interrupted by an informal conference.

If you decide to request an informal conference, please complete, remove and post the Notice to Employees next to this Citation and Notification of Penalty as soon as the time, date, and place of the informal conference have been determined. Be sure to bring to the conference any and all supporting documentation of existing conditions as well as any abatement steps taken thus far. If conditions warrant, we can enter into an informal settlement agreement which amicably resolves this matter without litigation or contest.

Right to Contest — You have the right to contest this Citation and Notification of Penalty. You may contest all citation items or only individual items. You may also contest proposed penalties and/or abatement dates without contesting the underlying violations. <u>Unless you inform the Area Director in writing that you intend to contest the citation(s) and/or proposed penalty(ies) within 15 working days after receipt, the citation(s) and the proposed penalty(ies) will become a final order of the Occupational Safety and Health Review Commission and may not be reviewed by any court or agency.</u>

Penalty Payment – Penalties are due within 15 working days of receipt of this notification unless contested. (See the enclosed booklet and the additional information provided related to the Debt Collection Act of 1982.) Make your check or money order payable to "DOL-OSHA". Please indicate the Inspection Number on the remittance. You can also make your payment electronically on www.pay.gov. On the left side of the pay.gov homepage, you will see an option to Search Public Forms. Type "**OSHA**" and click Go. From the results, click on **OSHA Penalty Payment Form**. The direct link is:

https://www.pay.gov/paygov/forms/formInstance.html?agencyFormId=53090334.

You will be required to enter your inspection number when making the payment. Payments can be made by credit card or Automated Clearing House (ACH) using your banking information. Payments of \$25,000 or more require a Transaction ID, and also must be paid using ACH. If you require a Transaction ID, please contact the OSHA Debt Collection Team at (202) 693-2170.

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Notification of Corrective Action – For each violation which you do not contest, you must provide *abatement certification* to the Area Director of the OSHA office issuing the citation and identified above. This abatement certification is to be provided by letter within 10 calendar days after each abatement date. Abatement certification includes the date and method of abatement. If the citation indicates that the violation was corrected during the inspection, no abatement certification is required for that item. The abatement certification letter must be posted at the location where the violation appeared and the corrective action took place or employees must otherwise be effectively informed about abatement activities. A sample abatement certification letter is enclosed with this Citation. In addition, where the citation indicates that *abatement documentation* is necessary, evidence of the purchase or repair of equipment, photographs or video, receipts, training records, etc., verifying that abatement has occurred is required to be provided to the Area Director.

Employer Discrimination Unlawful – The law prohibits discrimination by an employer against an employee for filing a complaint or for exercising any rights under this Act. An employee who believes that he/she has been discriminated against may file a complaint no later than 30 days after the discrimination occurred with the U.S. Department of Labor Area Office at the address shown above.

Employer Rights and Responsibilities – The enclosed booklet (OSHA 3000) outlines additional employer rights and responsibilities and should be read in conjunction with this notification.

Notice to Employees – The law gives an employee or his/her representative the opportunity to object to any abatement date set for a violation if he/she believes the date to be unreasonable. The contest must be mailed to the U.S. Department of Labor Area Office at the address shown above and postmarked within 15 working days (excluding weekends and Federal holidays) of the receipt by the employer of this Citation and Notification of Penalty.

Inspection Activity Data – You should be aware that OSHA publishes information on its inspection and citation activity on the Internet under the provisions of the Electronic Freedom of Information Act. The information related to these alleged violations will be posted when our system indicates that you have received this citation. You are encouraged to review the information concerning your establishment at www.osha.gov. If you have any dispute with the accuracy of the information displayed, please contact this office.

U.S. Department of Labor Occupational Safety and Health Administration



NOTICE TO EMPLOYEES OF INFORMAL CONFERENCE

informal conference.
Employees and/or representatives of employees have a right to attend an
High Street, Room 620, Columbus, OH 43215 on at
07/08/2020. The conference will be held by telephone or at the OSHA office located at 200 N.
An informal conference has been scheduled with OSHA to discuss the citation(s) issued on

CERTIFICATION OF CORRECTIVE ACTION WORKSHEET

Inspection Number: 1480136

Company Name: Jerry Turnbaugh

Inspection Site: 768 Wharncliff Loop NW, Wellington Park Homesite #138, Pickerington, OH 43147

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List the specific method of correction for each item on this citation in this package that does not read "Corrected During Inspection" and return to: U.S. Department of Labor – Occupational Safety and Health Administration, 200 N. High Street, Room 620, Columbus, OH 43215

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NOTE: 29 USC 666(g) whoever knowingly makes any false statements, representation or certification in any application, record, plan or other documents filed or required to be maintained pursuant to the Act shall, upon conviction, be punished by a fine of not more than \$10,000 or by imprisonment of not more than 6 months or both.

POSTING: A copy of completed Corrective Action Worksheet should be posted for employee review

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Citation and Notification of Penalty

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Citation 1 Item 1 Type of Violation: Willful

29 CFR 1926.501(b)(13): "Residential construction." Each employee engaged in residential construction activities 6 feet (1.8 m) or more above lower levels shall be protected by guardrail systems, safety net system, or personal fall arrest system unless another provision in paragraph (b) of this section provides for an alternative fall protection measure. Exception: When the employer can demonstrate that it is infeasible or creates a greater hazard to use these systems, the employer shall develop and implement a fall protection plan which meets the requirements of paragraph (k) of 1926.502.

Note: There is a presumption that it is feasible and will not create a greater hazard to implement at least one of the above-listed fall protection systems. Accordingly, the employer has the burden of establishing that it is appropriate to implement a fall protection plan which complies with 1926.502(k) for a particular workplace situation, in lieu of implementing any of those systems.

The employer does not protect each employee from the hazard of falling by the use of fall protection systems that complied with this part.

This most recently occurred on June 22, 2020, at the residential construction site at 768 Wharncliff Loop NW in Pickerington, Ohio. The employer failed to assure that employees were protected from falls while installing roof sheathing. The employees were not protected by guardrail systems, a safety net system or a personal fall arrest system that complied with this part. Due to this condition, employees were exposed to a fall hazard that exceeded 25 feet.

Jerry Turnbaugh was previously cited for a violation of this Occupational Safety and Health standard or its equivalent standard 29 CFR 1926.501(b)(13) which was contained in inspection number:

- 1) 1384927, Citation 1 Item 1, Issued on 04/08/2019
- 2) 1301052, Citation 1 Item 4, Issued on 03/29/2018

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Pursuant to 29 CFR 1903.19, the employer must submit documents describing the steps it is taking to ensure compliance, including a description of how these steps protect its employees from the fall hazards.

Require and enforce the use of fall protection when performing work at or above elevations of fix feet in accordance with 29 CFR 1926.501-503 (Subpart M.)

ABATEMENT DOCUMENTATION REQUIRED FOR THIS ITEM

Date By Which Violation Must be Abated: 08/12/2020 Proposed Penalty: \$29686.00

Larry M. Johnson
Area Director

See pages 1 through 4 of this Citation and Notification of Penalty for information on employer and employee rights and responsibilities.

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INVOICE / DEBT COLLECTION NOTICE

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Summary of Penalties for Inspection Number 1480136
Citation 1, Willful \$29686.00
TOTAL PROPOSED PENALTIES \$29686.00

To avoid additional charges, please remit payment promptly to this Area Office for the total amount of the uncontested penalties summarized above. Make your check or money order payable to: "DOL-OSHA". Please indicate OSHA's Inspection Number (indicated above) on the remittance. You can also make your payment electronically on www.pay.gov. On the left side of the pay.gov homepage, you will see an option to Search Public Forms. Type "OSHA" and click Go. From the results, click on OSHA Penalty Payment Form. The direct link is https://www.pay.gov/paygov/forms/formInstance.html?agencyFormId=53090334. You will be required to enter your inspection number when making the payment. Payments can be made by credit card or Automated Clearing House (ACH) using your banking information. Payments of \$25,000 or more require a Transaction ID, and also must be paid using ACH. If you require a Transaction ID, please contact the OSHA Debt Collection Team at (202) 693-2170.

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