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Complaint Number: 805102

California

US Department of Labor - OSHA
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San Francisco, CA 94103
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Establishment Name: United States Postal Service
Site Street: 1675 - 7th Street, Room 236
Site City: Oakland
Site State: California
Site Zip: 94615-9997
Management Official: Balwant K. Grewal, Senior Plant Manager
Telephone Number: (510) 874-8282
Type of Business: Mail Processing and Distribution

Hazard Description:

On or about December 6, 2012, at approximately 4:00 am, blood was leaking from a package onto the D-89 belt and on mail on the belt, located in Plant Priority Unit on the 2nd floor of the Oakland Processing & Distribution Plant. This was brought to the attention of Tour 1 supervisor Preet Singh by the employees who were working on the belt. Supervisor Singh allegedly removed the package from the belt without contacting the HAZMAT team or having the employees leave the area. In fact, he instructed them to continue to work on the belt. On January 31, 2013, at approximately 7:20 pm, while working on DBCS 43, located in the Plant on the 3rd floor, employee Magalie Borrero was pricked on the hand by a syringe needle and taken to the hospital for medical treatment. Allegedly, the needle was removed from the area by Manager of Distribution Operation Chung Louie and not taken to hospital with Ms. Borrero for inspection.

Hazard Location:

US Postal Service Oakland Processing & Distribution Plant 1675-7th Street Oakland, CA 94615

This condition has previously been brought to the attention of:

\* The employer
I am a representative of employees.
My name may be revealed to the employer.

Complainant Name: Fredric Jacobs  
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Complainant Organization Name: Oakland Local APWU, AFL-CIO  
Complainant Title: President

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