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## OSHA Enforcement: 144 Establishments/\$2,025,431 in Coronavirus Penalties Proposed



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The United States Occupational Safety and Health Administration ("OSHA") announced in an October 30th news release it has proposed \$2,025,431 penalties through October 22nd for alleged violations related to the Coronavirus.

The penalties are related to citations for 144 establishments.

The alleged violations are stated to have included:

- Implementation of a written respiratory protection program;
- Failure to provide a medical evaluation, respirator fit test, training on the proper use of a respirator and personal protective equipment;
- Failure to report an injury, illness or fatality;
- Failure to record an injury or illness on OSHA recordkeeping forms; and
- Non-compliance with the General Duty Clause of the Occupational Safety and Health Act of 1970

A copy of the news release which lists establishments that have been cited can be downloaded <u>here.</u>