

GILES CHEMICAL ~ PREMIER MAGNESIA

Company Policy

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1.0 Purpose

The purpose of this policy is to introduce new full-time employees to Giles Chemical's policy regarding when and where safety glasses and safety shoes are to be worn and reimbursement for such.

2.0 Scope

All Giles employees will be required to wear safety glasses and safety shoes when working in production areas. Safety shoes shall comply with ANSI Z41.1 and ASTM F2413-05 safety standards (Steel-toed or composite work boots or shoes).

Reimbursements for safety glasses and safety shoes will be honored during an employee's new hire probationary period (90 days). However, if the reimbursed employee should not complete the probationary period, any monies reimbursed will be deducted from the employee's final paycheck.

3.0 Responsibility

Safety Department is responsible for overseeing this program.

All employees are responsible for turning in their receipt to the Safety Department in a timely manner.

4.0 Safety Considerations

Safety glasses and appropriate safety apparel are to be worn at all times.

Safety is a condition of employment. Employees are not authorized to work in an unsafe manner and are prohibited from harming the environment of the facility or community.

5.0 Materials/Equipment-

N/A

6.0 Policy:

I. Safety Shoes

All Giles employees will be required to wear safety shoes (steel-toed or composite work boots or shoes) when working in the production areas (Manufacturing, Repackaging and warehouses). Administrative employees are also required to wear safety shoes when working in the production



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areas. Safety shoes shall comply with ANSI Z41.1 and ASTM F2413-05 safety standards. Safety shoes are not required (safety glasses are required) in designated safety areas by employees or visitors (see attached diagram).

New Hires – Repack – On employees' first payroll we will provide Safety Shoe Reimbursement via payroll in the amount of \$25 as supplemental earnings, entered in on the timesheets by HR. Bi-annually thereafter, if employees are on active payroll and in good standing with company they will receive additional \$25 on first pay period in January and first pay period in June, if they had not received payment in the previous 30 days, coded in by supervisors/managers. (Example: New hires entered in and receiving payment in May would get next payment in January.)

New Hires – Plant and Maintenance personnel – same procedure, but amount is \$50.

All salaried employees, and those with special concerns, may file traditional reimbursement request through the Safety Department, with receipts, to be paid by Accounts Payable.

II. Safety Glasses

All Giles Chemical employees will be issued a pair of non-prescription safety glasses to be worn at all times in the production areas (Manufacturing, Repackaging and warehouses). Replacement of non-prescription safety glasses may be obtained from the Quality/Safety Department.

An employee who requires prescription safety glasses will be allotted up to a total of \$225.00 every twenty-four (24) months regardless if reimbursement is for one or two pair of prescription safety glasses during the two year period. The two year reimbursement period will be based on the purchase date of the first pair of glasses. Employees will be responsible for payment for their own eye exams.

III. Designated Safety Areas

There are designated safe areas in the Manufacturing production area. These areas are demarcated by signs and/or physical barriers and outlined as such by the attached "Designated Safety Area" diagram. Safety glasses must be worn in these areas but safety shoes may or may not be a requirement. Both safety glasses and safety shoes are required to be worn throughout the Repackaging facility.

Any and all persons not employed by Giles but entering the facility will be expected to follow the safety guidelines outlined by Giles.

Visitors must sign in, be met by their contact at Giles and accompanied to their designation donning the appropriate personal protection equipment (safety glasses, safety shoes, etc.). Please ensure that visitor safety glasses are returned to the front office and that the visitor signs out.



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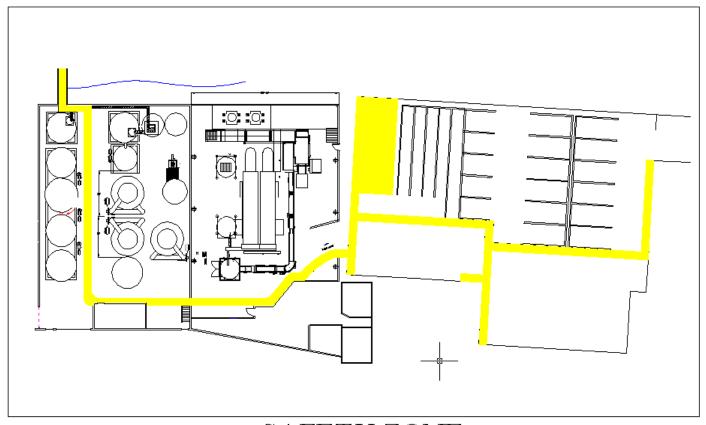
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Contractors will be given a brief safety orientation before they are allowed to perform their duties. Contractors are responsible for providing their own personal protection equipment. Truck drivers will be expected to follow the safety guidelines outlined by Giles. Truck drivers will only be permitted in designated areas and are not allowed to venture through the plant.

MAIN PLANT SAFETY DIAGRAM



SAFETY ZONE

7.0 Reference Documents

N/A

8.0 Change Information

Removed the voucher offer at Walmart Vision Center.

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