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EX. 2-20

**Re: NTEA and ACCNA Nomination for OSHA's Cranes and Derricks  
Negotiated Rulemaking Advisory Committee**

The National Truck Equipment Association (NTEA) and its affiliate division the Articulating Crane Council of North America (ACCNA) would like to nominate Mr. Daniel N. Wolff - Vice President of Engineering for the National Crane Corporation to represent both the NTEA and ACCNA on the Cranes and Derricks Negotiated Rulemaking Advisory Committee (C-DAC) which is being formed by the Occupational Safety and Health Administration. Mr. Wolff has the support of both the NTEA and ACCNA in this endeavor. In addition to the NTEA's and ACCNA's support, we believe Mr. Wolff's personal qualifications, which are listed below, make him an excellent candidate for the C-DAC. Mr. Wolff's written commitment to participate on the committee in good faith is attached.

The NTEA represents over 1,500 companies involved in the manufacture, distribution and installation of commercial and vocational trucks, truck bodies and work-related equipment. NTEA members produce specialized trucks equipped with things such as cranes, aerial buckets, derricks, dump bodies, towing equipment, snow removal equipment, ambulances, fire and emergency equipment and a host of other bodies and/or equipment.

The ACCNA represents 12 manufacturers of articulating cranes. The Council was formed to promote and serve the common interests of articulating crane manufacturers in the development and sale of safe, efficient and useful products.

**ACCNA Members Include:**

Auto Crane Co.  
CanWest Crane & Equipment Ltd.  
Cargotec Inc.  
Fascan International Inc.  
Fischer Crane Co.  
Iowa Mold Tooling Co. Inc.  
National Crane Corp.  
North American Lifting Equipment  
Palfinger Inc.  
Petersen Industries Inc.  
Smith Truck Cranes & Equipment Co.  
Terex Cranes-Olathe

The NTEA and ACCNA combined represent the manufacturers of over 95 percent of all folding boom articulated cranes sold in this country. Both ACCNA members, as the manufacturers of articulating cranes, and the NTEA, many of whose members will install those cranes, will be significantly affected by any rules which the C-DAC develop. The NTEA and ACCNA firmly believe that the C-DAC will benefit from our direct participation in the development of those rules.

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**Profile**

- Extensive experience and knowledge of boom truck and articulating crane products, design and markets. Over 30 years with the leading U.S. producer of these products, National Crane Corporation.
- Responsible for product accident prevention and accident investigation.
- Currently Chairman of the Crane Technical Committee of the Association of Equipment Manufacturers (AEM)/Power Crane & Shovel Association (PCSA)
- Member of NTEA – National Truck Equipment Association – Articulating Crane Technical Committee
- Actively participated in development of consensus standards including:

- Member of ASME B30 Committee for Cableways, Cranes, Derricks, Hoists,, Hooks, Jacks and Slings 1976-1984 and 1991 to present.
  - Chairman of ASME B30.22 Articulating Boom Cranes 1988 – present
  - Member of ASME B30.5 Mobile & Locomotive Cranes Subcommittee 1976-present
  - Past member of Cal OSHA Advisory Board for Cranes 1990-1996
  - Member of ACCSH Subpart N Work Group 1999 – present
- Bachelor of Science Mechanical Engineering
  - Registered Professional Engineer
  - Skill Workshops and extensive experience in techniques and the process of achieving consensus

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The NTEA and ACCNA look forward to taking an active role in the development of revised regulations on cranes and derricks through Mr. Wolff's possible participation on the C-DAC. If there is any further information we can provide in support of Mr. Wolff's nomination, please contact me by phone at (202) 557-3500 or e-mail at [mkastner@ntea.com](mailto:mkastner@ntea.com).

Sincerely,



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