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Department of Insurance and Finance

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TO: John Neilson
   Bend Field Office

FROM: Donna Shelton - Technical Services Section

SUBJECT: Makita Powered Mitre Box Saw

In response to your request for evaluation of the Makita Mitre box saw and its complying with 1910.212(a)(3).

I reviewed your photos and requested the manufacturer to send material and information pertaining to this saw. Upon reviewing the Makita instruction manual and the Underwriters Laboratories 987 rules, if this saw is used as required by the manufacturer for safety and with the upper and lower guards in place, this saw will meet the intent of rule 1910.212(a)(3).

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cc: OR-OSHA Managers and Supervisors
    Resource Center Coordinator