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**Guam Department of Labor conducts workshop to help
businesses meet federal MSHA training requirements**

Hagåtña, Guam – The Guam Department of Labor (GDOL) conducted a comprehensive training workshop on May 2-4, 2017 on Mine Safety and Health. Five (5) companies completed training on Code of Federal Regulations: Title 30; Parts 46, 47, 56, and 62. The 3-day workshop was designed to help meet the requirements of the U.S. Department of Labor Mine Safety and Health Administration (MSHA) training regulations. Topics ranged from Miners Rights and Responsibilities, Accident Prevention, Hazard Communication, Personal Protective Equipment and Workplace Examination.

The Guam Department of Labor received a grant to fund consultative services on behalf of USDOL MSHA. GDOL aims to educate those who partake in mining operations (i.e. open-pit mine, quarry) by assisting mining companies and mining contractors with their safety training.

"We're pleased to expand our services to encompass Mine Safety and Health, and commend businesses' commitment to protecting our workers," stated Dr. Sam Mabini, GDOL Director. "Training is a key component in the success of developing a safe and healthy work environment for employees. It presents a great opportunity to further GDOL's mission of safety in the workplace, regardless of what industry."

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Participating Businesses

- Primet Rock
- Ian Corporation
- LP Lujan Hardfill & Processing Facility
- GDOL Alien Labor Processing & Certification Division
- Perez Brothers (Not pictured)

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