

**13 NCAC 07F .0710 USE OF SAFETY FUSE**

Additions and amendments to 29 CFR 1926.907 Use of Safety Fuse apply throughout the Rules in this Section as follows:

- (a) A safety fuse that has been hammered or injured in any way shall not be used.
- (d) Only a cap crimper shall be used for attaching blasting caps to safety fuse. Crimpers shall be kept in good repair and accessible for use.
- (h) Safety fuses of at least the following minimum lengths shall be used:
  - (1) At least a 36-inch length for 40-second-per-foot safety fuse and
  - (2) At least a 48-inch length for 30-second-per-foot safety fuse.
- (i) At least two people shall be present when multiple cap and fuse blasting is done by hand lighting methods.

*History Note: Authority G.S. 95-131;  
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