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Comment from Rick Chalmers,

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General Comment

How are marking requirements handled for products covered by the VCS for MSHA? Will MSHA require additional marking or will the existing agency markings for Group I ia be accepted by the operator?

The portions of a PART 18 approval that apply to a Part 22 approval should be accepted towards that Part 22 evaluation.

With regard to Part 22, ANSI/UL 60079-29-1, ANSI/FM 60079-29-1 and IEC 60079-29-1 should be added to the to the list in Section 18.102 (agreement with comment by Jon Miller submitted 17 December 2020).