

TRANSMITTAL SHEET FOR
NOTICE OF INTENDED ACTION

Control 335 Department or Agency Environmental Management

Rule No. 335-14-2-.28

Rule Title: Subpart BB-Air Emission Standards for Equipment Leaks

 New X Amend Repeal Adopt by Reference

Would the absence of the proposed rule significantly harm or endanger the public health, welfare, or safety? YES

Is there a reasonable relationship between the state's police power and the protection of the public health, safety, or welfare? YES

Is there another, less restrictive method of regulation available that could adequately protect the public? NO

Does the proposed rule have the effect of directly or indirectly increasing the costs of any goods or services involved and, if so, to what degree? NO

Is the increase in cost, if any, more harmful to the public than the harm that might result from the absence of the proposed rule? NO

Are all facets of the rulemaking process designed solely for the purpose of, and so they have, as their primary effect, the protection of the public? YES

Does the proposed action relate to or affect in any manner any litigation which the agency is a party to concerning the subject matter of the proposed rule? NO

Does the proposed rule have an economic impact? NO

If the proposed rule has an economic impact, the proposed rule is required to be accompanied by a fiscal note prepared in accordance with subsection (f) of section 41-22-23, Code of Alabama 1975.

Certification of Authorized Official

I certify that the attached proposed rule has been proposed in full compliance with the requirements of Chapter 22, Title 41, Code of Alabama 1975, and that it conforms to all applicable filing requirements of the Administrative Procedure Division of the Legislative Services Agency.

Signature of certifying officer Mindy Elliott

Date November 18, 2022

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DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT
LAND DIVISION

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AGENCY NAME: DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT

RULE NO. & TITLE:

335-14-2-.01	General (Amend)
335-14-2-.03	Characteristics of Hazardous Waste (Amend)
335-14-2-.04	Lists of Hazardous Wastes (Amend)
335-14-2-.05	Exclusions/Exemptions (Amend)
335-14-2-.08	Financial Requirements for Management of Excluded Hazardous Secondary Materials (Amend)
335-14-2-.09	Use and Management of Containers (Amend)
335-14-2-.10	Tank Systems (Amend)
335-14-2-.13	Emergency Preparedness and Response for Management of Excluded Hazardous Secondary Materials (Amend)
335-14-2-.27	Subpart AA-Air Emission Standards for Process Vents (Amend)
335-14-2-.28	Subpart BB-Air Emission Standards for Equipment Leaks (Amend)
335-14-2-.29	Subpart CC - Air Emission Standards for Tanks and Containers (Amend)
335-14-2-Appendix VIII	Hazardous Constituents (Amend)
335-14-2 Appendix IX	Wastes Excluded Under 335-14-1-.03(2) (Amend)

INTENDED ACTION: Revise Division 14 of the ADEM Administrative Code.

SUBSTANCE OR PROPOSED ACTION: Revise portions of Division 14 Regulations to incorporate changes to ensure consistency with State and Federal Statutes; to adopt certain State specific requirements; and to provide clarification of State requirements for the management of hazardous waste.

TIME, PLACE, MANNER OF PRESENTING VIEWS:

Comments may be submitted in writing or orally at a public hearing to be held January 24, 2023, at 2:00 pm in the Main Hearing Room at the ADEM Central Office located at 1400 Coliseum Boulevard, Montgomery, Alabama 36110.

FINAL DATE FOR COMMENT AND COMPLETION OF NOTICE: January 24, 2023

CONTACT PERSON AT AGENCY: Lynn Roper, Chief, Office of Land Services (334-271-7728)



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Director

335-14-2-.28 Subpart BB - Air Emission Standards for Equipment Leaks.

The Environmental Protection Agency Regulations, as set forth in 40 CFR, Part 261, Subpart BB (as published by EPA on January 13, 2015), are incorporated herein by reference. In the event that any Code of Federal Regulations Rule(s) incorporated herein by reference refers to or cites another Code of Federal Regulations Rule(s), other than 40 CFR Part 261, Subpart BB, such reference to the other Code of Federal Regulations Rule(s) is not incorporated in this ADEM Administrative Code and the ADEM Administrative Code rule specifically addressing said issue or circumstance shall take precedence, be applicable and govern. Any provision of 40 CFR Part 261, Subpart BB, which is inconsistent with the provisions of ADEM Administrative Code, Division 14, is not incorporated herein by reference.

The materials incorporated by reference are available for purchase and inspection at the Department's offices at 1400 Coliseum Boulevard, Montgomery, Alabama 36110-2400.

- (1) § 261.1050 Applicability (as published by EPA on January 13, 2015).
- (2) § 261.1051 Definitions (as published by EPA on January 13, 2015).
- (3) § 261.1052 Standards: Pumps in light liquid service (as published by EPA on January 13, 2015).
- (4) § 261.1053 Standards: Compressors (as published by EPA on January 13, 2015).
- (5) § 261.1054 Standards: Pressure relief devices in gas/vapor service (as published by EPA on January 13, 2015).
- (6) § 261.1055 Standards: Sampling connecting systems (as published by EPA on January 13, 2015).
- (7) § 261.1056 Standards: Open-ended valves or lines (as published by EPA on January 13, 2015).
- (8) § 261.1057 Standards: Valves in gas/vapor service or in light liquid service (as published by EPA on January 13, 2015).
- (9) § 261.1058 Standards: Pumps and valves in heavy liquid service, pressure relief devices in light liquid or heavy liquid service, and flanges and other connectors (as published by EPA on January 13, 2015).
- (10) § 261.1059 Standards: Delay of repair (as published by EPA on January 13, 2015).

(11) § 261.1060 Standards: Closed-vent systems and control devices (as published by EPA on January 13, 2015).

(12) § 261.1061 Alternative standards for valves in gas/vapor service or in light liquid service: percentage of valves allowed to leak (as published by EPA on January 13, 2015).

(13) § 261.1062 Alternative standards for valves in gas/vapor service or in light liquid service: skip period leak detection and repair (as published by EPA on January 13, 2015).

(14) § 261.1063 Test methods and procedures (as published by EPA on January 13, 2015).

(15) § 261.1064 Recordkeeping requirements (as published by EPA on January 13, 2015).

(16) through (31) **[Reserved]**.

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