

15.0 PROHIBITIONS OF AIR POLLUTION

After the effective date of these regulations, the general prohibitions shall apply:

15.1 General

No person owning, leasing, or controlling the operation of any potential air contaminant source shall willfully, negligently, or through failure to provide necessary equipment or facilities or to take necessary precautions, permit the emission from said potential air contaminant source as will tend to cause a condition of air pollution.

15.2 Circumvention

No person shall use any plan, activity, device, or contrivance which the Director determines will, without resulting in actual reduction of air contaminants, conceal, or appear to minimize the effects of an emission which would otherwise constitute a violation of these regulations. Air introduced for dilution purposes only is considered a circumvention of the regulations.

15.3 Nuisance Clause

No person shall discharge from any source whatsoever such quantities of air contaminants or other materials which cause or have a tendency to cause injury, detriment, annoyance, or adverse effect to the public.

15.4 Traffic Hazard

No person shall discharge from any source whatsoever such quantities of air contaminants, uncombined water, or other materials which cause or have a tendency to cause a traffic hazard or an interference with normal means of public transportation.

15.5 Regulation of Hand-Fired Fuel-Burning Equipment

After October 1, 1972, no person shall operate any hand-fired solid fossil fuel-burning equipment of a capacity in excess of that needed for heating a building consisting of two (2) or less dwelling units.

15.6 The Burning of Refuse

The burning of refuse in any type of fuel-burning equipment, including, but not restricted to indoor and outdoor fireplaces is prohibited except in equipment specifically designed to burn refuse.

15.7 False Information

The giving of false information in any form to the Department is prohibited. This includes, but is not limited to emission data, complaints, and other information given voluntarily or required by the Department.