



DEP to Present Free Seminar on the New Hazardous Waste Rules

Who is affected by this initiative?

Hazardous Waste Generators, Transporters, Treatment Storage and Disposal Facilities, Regulated Medical Waste Generators, LSRPs (Licensed Site Remediation Professionals) and Environmental Consultants should find this seminar helpful in maintaining compliance with the Hazardous Waste regulations.

Why would I need help?

The EPA Administrator signed the final Hazardous Waste Generator Improvements Rule on October 28, 2016. This rule update significantly changed the Hazardous Waste Rules for Generators. The State of New Jersey adopted the rule in its entirety on May 30, 2017.

EPA's goals with this rule update are to make the Hazardous Waste Rules easier to understand, to facilitate better compliance, to provide greater flexibility in how hazardous waste is managed and to close gaps in the regulations. It allows some generators to avoid moving to a higher generator status when generating episodic waste. It also allows Very Small Quantity Generators to send their hazardous waste to a Large Quantity Generator that is under control of the same entity. This revised rule should enhance safety of facilities, employees and the public by improving hazardous waste communication and by ensuring that emergency management requirements meet today's needs.

What compliance assistance is available?

On **May 23, 2018**, the New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection's Compliance & Enforcement Program will present a **free seminar** on the Generator Improvements Rule. The seminar will be presented by NJDEP staff who have been enforcing the rule since it became effective. The seminar will be held from **8:45 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.** in the auditorium at the:

New Jersey Forensic Science Technology Center
1200 Negron Drive
Hamilton, NJ 08691

Directions to the New Jersey Forensic Science Technology Center:

www.njadvocacyinstitute.com/051410-Forensic-Science-Technology-Center.pdf

Seats are limited. Please reserve your seat by completing the online registration at:

events.r20.constantcontact.com/register/event?llr=soqviyhab&oeidk=a07efahl8zwd04d27f7

COMPLIANCE ADVISORY

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Where can I get more information?

General rule information:

www.epa.gov/hwgenerators/final-rule-hazardous-waste-generator-improvements

Rule as posted in the Federal Register:

www.federalregister.gov/documents/2016/11/28/2016-27429/hazardous-waste-generator-improvements-rule

Fact sheet:

www.epa.gov/hwgenerators/fact-sheet-about-hazardous-waste-generator-improvements-final-rule

Frequently Asked Questions:

www.epa.gov/hwgenerators/frequent-questions-about-hazardous-waste-generator-improvements-final-rule

NJDEP Hazardous Waste Training Opportunities: www.nj.gov/dep/enforcement/cetraining.html

Contact NJDEP: www.nj.gov/cgi-bin/dep/contactdep.pl

DEP Data Miner: www13.state.nj.us/DataMiner

To comment on this advisory: www.nj.gov/dep/enforcement/survey.html

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