



FACT SHEET

In re: Proposed revisions to Air Pollution Control Regulation No. 13 “Particulate Emissions from Fossil Fuel Fired Steam or Hot Water Generating Units”

Introduction

The Department of Environmental Management (DEM), Office of Air Resources, is proposing to amend one of its air pollution control regulations, 250-RICR-120-05-13 “Particulate Emissions from Fossil Fuel Fired Steam or Hot Water Generating Units” (Part 13). Part 13 limits particulate emissions from fossil fuel fired steam or hot water generating units.

Description of Proposed Amendments

The Department is proposing to eliminate sections 13.8 B(2) and 13.8 B(3) of the Part since these sections no longer apply.

Demonstration of Need

In 2014, Subsections 8.3.2 and 8.3.3 of 250-RICR-05-08, “Sulfur Content of Fuels” (Part 8) were removed from the regulation. These sections are currently referred to in sections 13.8(B)(2) and 13.8 (B)(3) of Part 13. At the time these sections were removed from Part 8 they should have been removed from Part 13 since they no longer apply. These changes are necessary to technically correct Part 13.

Alternative Approaches Considered

No alternative approaches were considered.

Identification of Overlapped or Duplicated State Regulations

The Office of Air Resources has identified no state regulations that overlap or duplicate the proposed amendments.

Determination of Significant Adverse Economic Impact on Small Business or Any City or Town

The proposed revisions do not impose any new requirements on regulated entities including any small businesses or any city or town, therefore there is no significant adverse economic impact.

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