FACT SHEET

In re: Proposed revisions to 250-RICR-120-05-24, "Removal of Lead Based Paint from Exterior Surfaces" Introduction

The Department of Environmental Management (DEM), Office of Air Resources, is proposing to amend air pollution control regulation, 250-RICR-120-05-24 "Removal of Lead Based Paint from Exterior Surfaces" (Part 24). Part 24 specifies appropriate procedures for the removal of lead based paint from exterior surfaces.

Description of Proposed Amendments

The are no substantive changes to the regulation. The changes being proposed make definitions and applicability standards consistent with the Rhode Department of Health Lead Poisoning Prevention regulation, 216-RICR-50-15-3.

Demonstration of Need

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By amending this Part 24 persons removing lead paint from exterior surfaces will be subject to consistent definitions and applicability in RI making it easier to determine if the rules apply.

<u>Alternative Approaches Considered</u>

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.

<u>Determination of Significant Adverse Economic Impact on Small Business or Any City or Town</u>

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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