



ADMINISTRATIVE RULES OF MONTANA



17.8.1805 REGISTRATION PROCESS AND INFORMATION

- (1) Except as provided in (3), the owner or operator of a facility that meets the applicability criteria of ARM 17.8.1802 and that commences operation after April 27, 2019 shall:
 - (a) register the facility with the department prior to beginning initial operations; or
 - (b) register the facility with the department and request revocation of the associated Montana air quality permit (MAQP), if the owner or operator holds a valid MAQP for the facility.
- (2) Except as provided in (3), the owner or operator of a facility that meets the applicability criteria of ARM 17.8.1802 and that commenced operation prior to April 27, 2019 shall:
 - (a) register the facility with the department no later than December 31, 2019; and
 - (b) request revocation of the associated MAQP, if the owner or operator holds a valid MAQP for the facility.
- (3) An engine that meets the applicability criteria of ARM 17.8.1802 is exempt from the registration requirement if the engine will be located at temporary locations only.
- (4) To register, the owner or operator shall submit a complete registration notification to the department on the form provided by the department. The notification information must include the following:
 - (a) Company name and mailing address;
 - (b) Owner or operator's name, mailing address, telephone number, and email address;
 - (c) Contact person's name, mailing address, telephone number, and email address;
 - (d) Physical location(s) of known permanent location(s), initial temporary location(s) if no permanent location is proposed, or business location if no in-state location of operation has been identified (legal description to the nearest 1/4 section);
 - (e) Physical location(s) of each permanent or temporary location not included in (d) of an existing facility for which the owner or operator holds a valid MAQP;
 - (f) Equipment-specific information, as applicable, including:
 - (i) Unit type;
 - (ii) Manufacturer's name;
 - (iii) Date of manufacture; and
 - (iv) Horsepower.

- (g) Acknowledgement of the owner or operator's duty to comply with this subchapter;
 - (h) Other information required by the department.
- (5) A facility is considered registered upon the department's receipt of the notification required in (4).
 - (6) Within 15 calendar days after registration, the department shall publish acknowledgment of the registration on the department's website at <http://deq.mt.gov/Air/PublicEngagement>.
 - (7) An owner or operator of a registered facility may not operate for the first 15 calendar days following the date of registration, unless the owner or operator holds a valid MAQP for the facility at the time of registration. Registration does not supersede any other local, state, or federal requirements associated with the operation of registered facilities.
 - (8) An owner or operator of a registered facility shall provide notification to the department, in a manner prescribed by the department, of any change(s) to the equipment-specific information required in (4)(f) by March 15th of each calendar year.
 - (9) If the owner or operator of a registered facility changes, the new owner or operator shall, prior to operating the facility, register with the department by submitting the notification required in (4).
 - (10) An owner or operator of a registered facility shall update the registration information by submitting notification to the department, in a manner prescribed by the department, to identify a location as a permanent location in advance of remaining at the location for longer than 12 months.
 - (11) Registration under this subchapter is valid provided the registered facility continues to meet the applicability criteria in ARM 17.8.1802.

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Implementing statute(s): 75-2-234, MCA

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