

Title V - SIP Approved Rules

SIP-Approved Rules That Are Not The Most Current SCAQMD Rules

This information is intended for use by any facility applying for a Title V permit or in possession of a Title V permit that contains references to two different version of the same SCAQMD rule. <http://www.aqmd.gov/titlev/siprules.html>

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Rule 401. VISIBLE EMISSIONS

- (a) A person shall -not discharge into the atmosphere from any single source of emission whatsoever any air contaminant for a period or periods aggregating more than three minutes in any one hour which is:
 - (1) As dark or darker in shade as that designated No. 1 on the Ringelmann Chart, as published by the United States Bureau of Mines, or
 - (2) Of such Opacity as to obscure an observer's view to a degree equal to or greater than does smoke described in subsection (a)(1) of this rule.

- (b) Notwithstanding the provisions of subsection (a) of this rule, a person shall not discharge into the atmosphere from equipment for melting, heating, or holding asphalt or coal tar pitch for on-site roof construction or repair; or from diesel pile driving hammers; any air contaminant for a period or periods aggregating more than three minutes in any one hour which is:
 - (1) As dark or darker in shade as that designated No. 2 on the Ringelmann Chart, as published by the United States Bureau of Mines, or
 - (2) Of such an opacity as to obscure an observer's view to a degree equal to or greater than does smoke described in subsection (b)(1) of this rule.

- (c) This rule shall not apply to asphalt pavement heaters.

- (d) This rule shall not apply to abrasive blasting operations.