

**SYNOPSIS OF
PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO THE RULES OF THE
DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES
ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION DIVISION
RADIOACTIVE MATERIALS, CHAPTER 391-3-17**

Rule 391-3-17-.02(11), “Special Requirements for a Specific License to Manufacture, Assemble, Repair, or Distribute Commodities, Products, or Devices which Contain Radioactive Material,” is being amended.

Purpose: The purpose of this amendment is to revise the requirements for Special Requirements for a Specific License to Manufacture, Assemble, Repair, or Distribute Commodities, Products, or Devices which Contain Radioactive Material to be consistent with the requirements of the NRC and to correct typographical errors.

Main Features: Subparagraph .02(11)(i)2.(i) is being revised to correct a citation. Subparagraph .02(11)(i)8. is being revised to change the word “section” to “subparagraph”. Subparagraph .02(11)(k)4.(vi)(II) is being revised to add a space to a citation.

Rule 391-3-17-.03(12), “Precautionary Procedures,” is being amended.

Purpose: The purpose of this amendment is to revise the requirements for Precautionary Procedures to be consistent with the requirements of the NRC.

Main Features: Subparagraph .03(12)(f)4. is being revised to remove notifying the NRC Headquarters Operations Center.

Rule 391-3-17-.03(15), “Reports,” is being amended.

Purpose: The purpose of this amendment is to revise the requirements for Reports to be consistent with the requirements of the NRC.

Main Features: Subparagraphs .03(15)(a)1., .03(15)(a)2., .03(15)(a)4., .03(15)(b)1.(i), .03(15)(b)2., .03(15)(b)2.(v), .03(15)(b)3.(i), and .03(15)(b)4. are being revised to remove the NRC Headquarters Operation Center. Subparagraph .03(15)(b)3.(ii) is being revised to remove the address for the NRC Headquarters Operation Center.

STATEMENT OF RATIONALE
Rules for Radioactive Materials

The purpose for the revisions to the following rules is to be consistent with the requirements of the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission and to make administrative updates:

Rule 391-3-17-.02(11) – Special Requirements for a Specific License to Manufacture, Assemble, Repair, or Distribute Commodities, Products, or Devices which Contain Radioactive Material

The basis of this rule is to specify the special requirements for a specific license to manufacture, assemble, repair, or distribute commodities, products, or devices which contain radioactive materials.

Rule 391-3-17-.03(12) – Precautionary Procedures

The basis of this rule is to specify precautionary procedures for persons utilizing radioactive materials conducted pursuant to licenses issued by EPD.

Rule 391-3-17-.03(15) – Reports

The basis of this rule is to specify the reporting requirements for persons utilizing radioactive materials conducted pursuant to licenses issued by EPD.

The proposed rule revisions are required to comply with federal requirements or are administrative in nature. They are in no way any more restrictive than the federal requirements and do not incur any additional costs to the Environmental Protection Division or the regulated community beyond those that are required to meet the federal rule.