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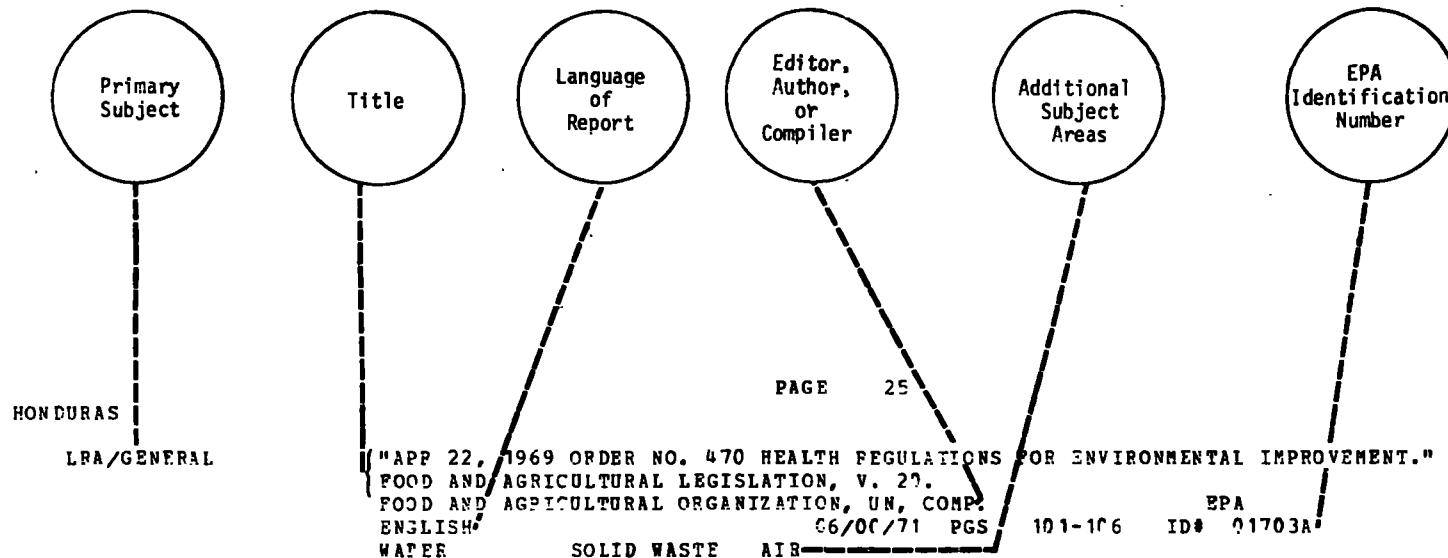
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### EXPLANATION OF SYMBOLS



THESE REGULATIONS VEST IN THE PUBLIC HEALTH DEPARTMENT, THROUGH THE ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION DIVISION, AUTHORITY TO MAKE RULES AND CONDUCT INSPECTIONS RELATING TO ENVIRONMENTAL IMPROVEMENT. AMONG THE RESPONSIBILITIES ASSIGNED TO THE DIVISION ARE: SANITARY CONTROL OF WATER FOR HUMAN CONSUMPTION, SEWAGE DISPOSAL SYSTEMS, DOMESTIC AND INDUSTRIAL WASTEWATERS, COLLECTION AND DISPOSAL OF SOLID WASTES, ENVIRONMENTAL CONDITIONS IN REGARD TO HOUSING AND COMMERCIAL AND INDUSTRIAL ESTABLISHMENTS, AIR POLLUTION AND OTHER HAZARDS, DEVELOPMENT OF URBAN AND RURAL CENTERS, AND INDUSTRIAL AND LABOR HYGIENE. SPECIFIC CHAPTERS AND TITLES DEAL WITH THOSE SPECIFIC AREAS OF RESPONSIBILITY. THESE REGULATIONS ARE ENFORCED BY HEALTH INSPECTORS. SANCTIONS ARE PROVIDED FOR VIOLATIONS. THE OFFICIAL TEXT APPEARS IN LA GACETA, NOS. 19,908-19-984, JAN 2227, 1970.

LRA - LEGAL TEXT

LRB - LEGAL COMMENTARY

Each original law has the letter A following the EPA identification number. Additional directly related legislation will have the same identification number and a subsequent alphabetical letter.

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LRA/AIR

CANADA<sup>2</sup> CLEAN AIR ACT, CAN. STAT. C. 47

ENGLISH  
ALSO FRENCH

00/00/71 PGS 951-379 ID# 00356A

EPA

ACT, "RELATING TO AMBIENT AIR QUALITY AND TO THE CONTROL OF AIR POLLUTION," EMPOWERS THE MINISTER OF FISHERIES AND FORESTRY TO ESTABLISH, OPERATE, AND MAINTAIN A SYSTEM OF AIR POLLUTION MONITORING STATIONS THROUGHOUT CANADA, TO COLLECT AIR POLLUTION DATA FOR PUBLICATION, CONDUCT RESEARCH AND DRAW UP PLANS FOR THE CONTROL AND ABATEMENT OF AIR POLLUTION. THE ACT ALSO AUTHORIZES THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL TO PRESCRIBE AS NATIONAL AMBIENT AIR QUALITY OBJECTIVES THOSE FORMULATED BY THE MINISTER AND TO ESTABLISH NATIONAL EMISSION STANDARDS AND SET STANDARDS FOR FUELS AND ADDITIVES USED IN THE OPERATION OF FEDERAL ENTERPRISES.

LRA/AIR

SASKATCHEWAN (CANADA) AIR POLLUTION CONTROL ACT, SASKATCHEWAN REV. STAT., C. 267

ENGLISH

00/00/65 PGS 4358-4365 ID# 00357A

EPA

THIS ACT EMPOWERS THE LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL TO MAKE REGULATIONS FOR THE CONTROL OF AIR POLLUTION. THESE REGULATIONS MAY PRESCRIBE THE PERMISSABLE DENSITY OF AIR POLLUTION, PROHIBIT OR LIMIT ANY TYPE OF INCINERATION, AS WELL AS CONTROL THE OPERATION OF INTERNAL COMBUSTION ENGINES. THE ACT PROVIDES THAT THE MINISTER OF HEALTH MAY ASSIST MUNICIPAL OFFICIALS IN DEVELOPING APPROPRIATE PROGRAMS, INVESTIGATE PROBLEMS OF POLLUTION CONTROL, AND RECOMMEND PROCEDURES FOR DETERMINING AMOUNTS OF POLLUTION AND NECESSARY CONTROL. THE ACT ALSO PROVIDES FOR AN AIR POLLUTION ADVISORY COMMITTEE TO GIVE COUNSEL ON THE REGULATION, CONTROL, AND EFFECTS OF AIR POLLUTION.

LRA/AIR

MOTOR VEHICLE ACT, CAN. REV. STAT. C. 26 (1ST. SUPP. 1970) MOTOR VEHICLE SAFETY REGULATIONS, S.O.R./70-487, 104 CAN. GAZ. PT. 11

ENGLISH  
ALSO FRENCH, ALSO 1320-1322

11/25/70 PGS 1245-1247 ID# 00358A

EPA

SCHEDULE E OF THIS REGULATION DEFINES CRANKCASE EMISSIONS, EXHAUST EMISSIONS, AND EVAPORATIVE EMISSIONS. IT PROSCRIBES THE DISCHARGE OF CRANKCASE EMISSIONS INTO THE ATMOSPHERE AND LIMITS EVAPORATIVE EMISSIONS FROM A GASOLINE-POWERED LIGHT-DUTY VEHICLE TO 6 GRAMS OF HYDROCARBONS. THE REGULATION FURTHER LIMITS HYDROCARBON EXHAUST EMISSIONS TO 2.2 GRAMS PER MILE FOR A LIGHT-DUTY VEHICLE AND 275 PARTS PER MILLION BY VOLUME FOR A HEAVY-DUTY VEHICLE AND 1.5 PERCENT PER VOLUME FOR A HEAVY-DUTY VEHICLE. THE OPACITY OF THE EXHAUST EMISSIONS OF A DIESEL-POWERED VEHICLE SHOULD NOT EXCEED 40 PERCENT DURING ACCELERATION AND 20 PERCENT DURING LUGGING. THE REGULATION ALSO PROVIDES FOR THE DETERMINATION OF COMPLIANCE BY MEANS OF APPROVED TEST METHODS.



CANADA

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LRA/AIR

"MOTOR VEHICLES SAFETY ACT. MOTOR VEHICLE SAFETY REGULATIONS AMENDED." (SOR/71 484). CANADA GAZETTE, PART 2, V. 105, N. 19.

ENGLISH  
ALSO FRENCH

10/13/71 PGS 1699

EPA  
ID# 00358B

SECTION 1105 OF SCHEDULE E TO MOTOR VEHICLE SAFETY REGULATIONS (SOR/70-487) IS AMENDED TO REQUIRE THAT EVAPORATIVE EMISSIONS FROM A GASOLINE POWERED LIGHT DUTY VEHICLE WITH AN ENGINE CAPACITY OF 50 CUBIC INCHES OR MORE SHALL NOT EXCEED TWO GRAMS OF HYDROCARBONS. THE NEW REGULATION, ISSUED ON SEP 14, 1971 BY THE MINISTER OF TRANSPORT THROUGH THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL, IS TO TAKE EFFECT ON JAN 1, 1972.

LRA/AIR

"CANADA SHIPPING ACT. AIR POLLUTION REGULATIONS" (SOR/64-97). CANADA GAZETTE, PART 2, V. 99, N. 6.

ENGLISH  
ALSO FRENCH

03/24/64 PGS 291-294

EPA  
ID# 01661A

THESE REGULATIONS, ISSUED BY THE MINISTER OF TRANSPORT ON FEB 28, 1964, APPLY TO SHIPS IN CANADIAN WATERS WITHIN ONE MILE OF LAND. FIVE CATEGORIES OF SMOKE DENSITY ARE ESTABLISHED, RANGING FROM 20 PERCENT OPACITY (N. 1) TO 100 PERCENT OPACITY (N. 5). SHIPS ARE GENERALLY PROHIBITED FROM EMITTING SMOKE WITH DENSITY GREATER THAN N. 1, BUT MAY EMIT SMOKE OF DENSITY N. 2 FOR UP TO FOUR MINUTES IN ANY HALF-HOUR PERIOD. SHIPS WITH HAND-FIRED BOILERS MAY EMIT SMOKE OF DENSITY N. 2, BUT MAY NOT EXCEED DENSITY N. 3 FOR MORE THAN NINE MINUTES, OR DENSITY N. 4 FOR MORE THAN THREE MINUTES IN A HALF-HOUR PERIOD. THESE REGULATIONS DO NOT APPLY WHEN NEW FIRES ARE BEING LIT, SOOT IS BEING BLOWN, OR UNDER EMERGENCY CONDITIONS, PROVIDING ALL PRECAUTIONS TO MINIMIZE EMISSIONS ARE TAKEN. SOOT MAY NOT BE BLOWN WITHIN 1,000 YARDS OF LAND UNLESS THIS IS UNAVOIDABLE. INSPECTORS MAY BOARD ANY SHIP IN CANADIAN WATERS TO ENFORCE THESE REGULATIONS. VIOLATORS ARE SUBJECT TO A 500 DOLLAR FINE AND SIX MONTHS IN JAIL.

LRA/GENERAL

ALBERTA (CANADA) ENVIRONMENT CONSERVATION ACT, ALBERTA STAT. C. 36 (1970)  
AMENDED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENT ACT, ALBERTA STAT., C. 24

ENGLISH

00/00/71 PGS

EPA  
ID# 00364A

THIS ACT ESTABLISHES THE ENVIRONMENT CONSERVATION AUTHORITY AND SETS AS ITS RESPONSIBILITY THE REVIEWING OF PROVINCIAL GOVERNMENTAL POLICIES AND PROGRAMS ON ENVIRONMENTAL CONSERVATION, MAKING RECOMMENDATIONS TO THE LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL, HOLDING PUBLIC HEARINGS, REFERRING PERTINENT ENVIRONMENTAL MATTERS TO THE DEPARTMENT OF THE ENVIRONMENT. THE AUTHORITY MAY MAKE SUCH RULES AS NECESSARY FOR THE CARRYING OUT OF ITS FUNCTIONS.

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LRA/GENERAL

MANITOBA (CANADA) CLEAN ENVIRONMENT ACT, MANITOBA REV. STAT., C. C130 (1970);  
AMENDED BY 1970, C. 62

ENGLISH

00/00/70 PGS

EPA  
ID# 00365A

THIS ACT AND ITS AMENDMENT ASSIGN TO THE CLEAN ENVIRONMENT COMMISSION "GENERAL SUPERVISION AND CONTROL OVER ALL MATTERS RELATING TO THE PRESERVATION OF THE NATURAL ENVIRONMENT AND THE PREVENTION AND CONTROL OF CONTAMINATION OF THE ENVIRONMENT" BY ANY SUBSTANCE, GASEOUS, LIQUID OR SOLID. THE ACT PROVIDES THAT NO CONTAMINANT MAY BE INTRODUCED INTO THE AIR, SOIL OR WATER WITHOUT A LICENSE, BUT EXEMPTS FROM THIS PROVISION DOMESTIC FAMILY RESIDENCES, LOCALLY AUTHORIZED ACTIVITIES, AND CERTAIN OTHER CONTAMINATING ACTIVITIES. THE GENERAL POWERS AND DUTIES OF THE COMMISSION, INCLUDING THE APPOINTMENT AND RESPONSIBILITIES OF INSPECTORS, ARE DELINEATED.

LRA/GENERAL

NEW BRUNSWICK (CANADA) CLEAN ENVIRONMENT ACT, NEW BRUNSWICK STAT., C. 3

ENGLISH

00/00/71 PGS 4-10

EPA  
ID# 00366A

THE ACT ASSIGNS RESPONSIBILITY FOR ENVIRONMENTAL MATTERS TO THE MINISTER OF FISHERIES AND ENVIRONMENT AND AUTHORIZES THE LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL TO PROHIBIT, RESTRICT, OR LIMIT CONTAMINATION OF THE AIR, SOIL, OR WATERS. THE LATTER IS DIRECTED TO ESTABLISH AN ENVIRONMENTAL COUNCIL TO STUDY, INVESTIGATE AND REPORT ON ANY MATTER COMING WITHIN THE PURVIEW OF THIS ACT. THE MINISTER MAY DESIGNATE AN INSPECTOR AND ANALYST TO AID IN THE ENFORCEMENT OF THE ACT OR TO EXAMINE SAMPLES SUBMITTED BY AN INSPECTOR. THE GOVERNOR MAY MAKE REGULATIONS PRESCRIBING CONTAMINANTS AND WASTES, STANDARDS FOR THEIR DISCHARGE, EMISSION OR DEPOSIT, AND THE FORM OF AND MANNER IN WHICH LICENSES MAY BE ISSUED OR WITHDRAWN.

LRA/GENERAL

NOVA SCOTIA (CANADA) ENVIRONMENTAL POLLUTION CONTROL ACT, NOVA SCOTIA STAT., C. 4

ENGLISH

00/00/70 PGS 17-21

EPA  
ID# 00367A

THE ACT ESTABLISHES THE ENVIRONMENTAL POLLUTION COUNCIL AND CHARGES IT WITH INVESTIGATING ANY ACTIVITY OR SITUATION THAT CAUSES OR APPEARS TO CAUSE POLLUTION, PREPARING PLANS AND PROGRAMS TO ELIMINATE OR REDUCE POLLUTION, AND TO COORDINATE POLLUTION CONTROL EFFORTS WITH OTHER PROVINCIAL OFFICES AND WITH PUBLIC AND PRIVATE BODIES. UNDER THE PROVISIONS OF THIS ACT, THE APPROPRIATE MINISTER IN THE EXECUTIVE COUNCIL MAY DIRECT THE NOVA SCOTIA WATER RESOURCES COMMISSION TO INVESTIGATE THE INCIDENCE OR LIKELIHOOD OF POLLUTION AND TO TAKE REMEDIAL ACTION.

CANADA

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LRA/GENERAL

ONTARIO (CANADA) ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION ACT, 1971, ONTARIO STAT., C. 86

EPA -

ENGLISH

00/00/71 PGS 705-746 ID# 00368A

UNDER THE PROVISIONS OF THIS ACT, THE MINISTER OF THE ENVIRONMENT IS RESPONSIBLE FOR THE PROTECTION AND CONSERVATION OF THE NATURAL ENVIRONMENT AND THE AIR, LAND, AND WATER OF THE PROVINCE. HIS DUTY IS TO INVESTIGATE PROBLEMS OF POLLUTION, WASTE MANAGEMENT, WASTE DISPOSAL, AND LITTER MANAGEMENT AND DISPOSAL; TO CONDUCT RESEARCH PERTINENT TO CONTAMINANTS AND POLLUTION; TO COLLECT AND PUBLISH RELEVANT DATA; AND TO ENTER INTO AGREEMENTS FOR THE PROTECTION AND CONSERVATION OF THE ENVIRONMENT. THE ACT SPECIFIES THE AMOUNT OF CONTAMINANTS THAT MAY BE ADDED TO THE ENVIRONMENT AND PROHIBITS THE CONSTRUCTION OR MODIFICATION OF PLANTS AND PROCESSES LIKELY TO CONTAMINATE THE ENVIRONMENT, WITHOUT APPROVAL OF SUCH PLANS. IT FURTHER REQUIRES MOTORS AND MOTOR VEHICLES TO BE EQUIPPED WITH ANTI-POLLUTION DEVICES. THE ENVIRONMENTAL COUNCIL IS DIRECTED TO ADVISE THE MINISTER ON CURRENT RESEARCH.

LRA/GENERAL

NEWFOUNDLAND (CANADA) CLEAN AIR, WATER AND SOIL AUTHORITY ACT 1970, NEWFOUNDLAND STAT. C. 81 (1970)

EPA

ENGLISH

00/00/70 PGS 437-458 ID# 00369A

AIR

WATER

RADIATION

THIS ACT IS DESIGNED "TO PROVIDE FOR THE ABATEMENT AND CONTROL OF POLLUTION OF AIR, SOIL AND WATER AND FOR THE CONSERVATION AND USE OF WATER AS A NATURAL RESOURCE OF THE PROVINCE; TO PROVIDE AN AID TOWARDS THE CENTRALIZATION AND COORDINATION OF MULTIFORM CONTROLS OVER THE USE OF WATER GENERALLY BY THE CREATION OF AN AUTHORITY AS AN ARM OF GOVERNMENT". THE MINISTER OF MINES, AGRICULTURE AND RESOURCES IS CHARGED WITH THE ADMINISTRATION OF THIS ACT. THE LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL IS GRANTED THE POWER, HEREUNDER, TO ISSUE REGULATIONS FOR THE INSPECTING AND TESTING OF SOIL, AIR, AND BODIES OF WATER, TO SET POLLUTION STANDARDS, TO MAKE RULES ON SEWAGE AND INDUSTRIAL WASTE EFFLUENTS, TO CONDUCT INVESTIGATIONS OF COMPLAINTS OF AIR AND WATER POLLUTION AND TO PROVIDE FOR WATER-USE LICENSES. CONTAMINATION BY RADIOACTIVE SUBSTANCES ALSO COME UNDER THE PURVIEW OF THIS ACT.

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LRA/NOISE

"CANADA NOISE CONTROL REGULATIONS." SOR/71-584, 105 CAN. GAZ. PT. II (NOV 2, 1971).

ENGLISH  
ALSO FRENCH

EPA  
11/24/71 PJS 1936-1938 ID# 00984A

THESE REGULATIONS, ISSUED UNDER THE "SAFETY OF EMPLOYEES" SECTION OF THE CANADA LABOR CODE, DEFINE "SOUND LEVEL" AS "THE INTENSITY OF SOUND MEASURED IN DECIBELS," AND STIPULATE THAT "NO EMPLOYER SHALL PERMIT ANY OF HIS EMPLOYEES TO WORK AT WORK SITES WHERE THE SOUND LEVEL IS 90 DECIBELS OR MORE." EXCEPTIONS TO THIS BASIC PRINCIPLE ARE, HOWEVER, PERMITTED WHERE IT IS NOT "REASONABLY PRACTICABLE" FOR AN EMPLOYER TO COMPLY. IN THIS CONNECTION, A SCHEDULE IS INCLUDED SHOWING THE LENGTHS OF TIME DURING WHICH EMPLOYEES MAY BE EXPOSED TO SOUND OF UP TO 115 DECIBELS. ALSO INCLUDED ARE PROVISIONS REQUIRING THE WEARING OF HEARING PROTECTORS FOR WORKERS EXPOSED FOR LONGER PERIODS OF TIME AS WELL AS FOR WORKERS EXPOSED TO HIGH INTENSITY IMPACT SOUNDS. FURTHERMORE, WORKERS MAY WORK AT SOUND LEVELS OF UNDER 95 DECIBELS, IF IT IS MEDICALLY DETERMINED THAT THEY CAN DO SO WITHOUT IMPAIRMENT. THE REGULATIONS ALSO PROVIDE FOR NOISE SURVEYS TO DETERMINE SOUND LEVELS AND REQUIRE THE POSTING OF WARNING SIGNS IN HIGH NOISE LEVEL AREAS.

LRA/PESTICIDES

PESTICIDE RESIDUE COMPENSATION ACT 1968-69, C. 34, S.1. REVISED STATUTES OF CANADA, 1970, V. 6.

ENGLISH  
ALSO FRENCH

EPA  
00/00/70 PJS 5849-5846 ID# 00592A

THIS ACT PROVIDES FOR COMPENSATION TO BE PAID TO A FARMER WHEN A PESTICIDE LISTED IN THE PEST CONTROL ACT AND ASCERTAINED TO HAVE BEEN USED PROPERLY HAS CAUSED AGRICULTURAL PRODUCE TO BE UNFIT FOR SALE UNDER THE FOOD AND DRUG ACT. THE FARMER MUST USE EVERY MEANS DEEMED NECESSARY BY THE MINISTER OF AGRICULTURE TO REDUCE THE LOSS AND MUST PURSUE EVERY ACTION IN LAW AGAINST THE MANUFACTURER OF THE PESTICIDE OR ANY OTHER PERSON WHO MAY BE LIABLE BEFORE HE CAN CLAIM COMPENSATION. THE MINISTER MAY BRING THE ACTION FOR THE FARMER IF HE DEEMS IT NECESSARY AND HAS OBTAINED THE FARMER'S CONSENT. THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL MAKE MAKE REGULATIONS CONCERNING THE PROCEDURES TO BE FOLLOWED FOR OBTAINING COMPENSATION, PRESCRIBING THE AMOUNTS TO BE PAID. VIOLATION OF ANY PROVISION OF THIS ACT CONSTITUTES AN OFFENSE EITHER INDICTABLE AND LIABLE TO TWO YEARS IMPRISONMENT OR PUNISHABLE ON SUMMARY CONVICTION.

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LRA/PESTICIDES

PESTICIDE RESIDUE COMPENSATION REGULATIONS, SOR/72-9. CAN. PAZ. V. 106, N. 3,  
PT. II.

ENGLISH  
ALSO FRENCH

EPA  
02/09/72 PGS 150-151 ID# 00592B

THE DETAILS OF THE APPLICATION FOR COMPENSATION ARE DESCRIBED IN SECTION 3. COMPENSATION MAY BE PAID TO THE APPLICANT TO A MAXIMUM OF 80 PERCENT OF THE MONETARY VALUE OF THE AGRICULTURAL PRODUCT FOR WHICH THE APPLICATION HAS BEEN MADE SUBJECT TO THE DETERMINATION OF VALUE BY THE RULES OUTLINED IN SECTION 5. THE MINISTER MUST BE SATISFIED THE AGRICULTURAL PRODUCT WAS PRODUCED IN CANADA BEFORE ANY COMPENSATION IS PAID. THESE REGULATIONS ARE MADE PURSUANT TO THE PESTICIDES RESIDUE COMPENSATION ACT, 1968-69, C. 34, S.1..

LRA/PESTICIDES

FERTILIZERS ACT 1957, C. 27, S.1. REVISED STATUTES OF CANADA, 1970, V. 3.

ENGLISH  
ALSO FRENCH

EPA  
00/00/70 PGS 3059-3063 ID# 00594A

THE MINISTER OF AGRICULTURE IS RESPONSIBLE FOR THE ADMINISTRATION OF THIS ACT PASSED FOR THE CONTROL AND REGULATION OF AGRICULTURAL FERTILIZERS. THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL MAY MAKE REGULATIONS "PROVIDING THAT FERTILIZERS REGISTERED UNDER THIS ACT AND CONTAINING A CONTROL PRODUCT AS DEFINED IN THE PEST CONTROL PRODUCTS ACT SHALL, IN PRESCRIBED CONDITIONS, BE DEEMED TO BE REGISTERED UNDER THAT ACT". PROVISIONS FOR INSPECTION, ANALYSIS OF SAMPLES, AND PROSECUTIONS FOR OFFENSES ARE INCLUDED. VIOLATORS OF A PROVISION OR ITS REGULATIONS ARE LIABLE TO "(A) ON SUMMARY CONVICTION TO A FINE NOT EXCEEDING \$500 OR TO IMPRISONMENT FOR A TERM NOT EXCEEDING SIX MONTHS, OR TO BOTH, OR (B) UPON CONVICTION OR INDICTMENT TO A FINE NOT EXCEEDING \$2,000 OR TO IMPRISONMENT FOR A TERM NOT EXCEEDING ONE YEAR, OR TO BOTH".

LRA/PESTICIDES

PEST CONTROL PRODUCTS REGULATIONS. STAT ORDERS & REGUL CONSOLID, 1955

ENGLISH

EPA  
00/00/55 PGS 2536-2557 ID# 00595A

THESE REGULATIONS REPLACE SECTION 2 OF THE PEST CONTROL PRODUCTS ACT (R.S.C., 1952, C. 209). THE REGULATIONS APPLY TO ALL PESTICIDES INCLUDING ANY ADJUVANT SOLD THAT IS MEANT TO BE MIXED WITH A PESTICIDE. CERTAIN MATERIALS ARE EXEMPTED FROM THE APPLICATION OF THE ACT. THE DETAILS REQUIRED FOR REGISTERING THE CONTROL PRODUCTS ARE ENUMERATED AND DESCRIBED. IF POSSIBLE, THE BRAND NAME SHOULD BE DESCRIPTIVE OF THE PESTICIDE AS TO ACTIVE SUBSTANCES, PHYSICAL FORM AND PURPOSES. CERTAIN GUARANTEES ARE REQUIRED FOR THE PRODUCTS LISTED IN SCHEDULES A AND B AND FOR OTHER MATERIALS USED IN PESTICIDES. SPECIFICATIONS FOR THE PACKAGING OF PESTICIDES ARE GIVEN AS WELL AS FOR THE LABELING OF CONTAINERS. THE REQUIREMENTS FOR LABELING POISONOUS SUBSTANCES, FOR INDICATING THE CONTENTS OF CONTAINERS, FOR TESTING OF PESTICIDES, FOR TAKING OFFICIAL SAMPLES AND FOR IMPORTING PESTICIDES ARE SPECIFIED. THESE REGULATIONS ARE AMENDED BY SOR/58-366 AND SOR/495.

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LRA/PESTICIDES

PEST CONTROL PRODUCTS ACT 1966-69, C. 50, S.1. REVISED STATUTES OF CANADA, 1970,  
V. 6.

ENGLISH

EPA  
00/00/70 PGS 2536-2557 ID# 00595B

THIS ACT DEFINES A CONTROL PRODUCT AS "ANY PRODUCT, DEVICE, ORGANISM, SUBSTANCE OR THING THAT IS MANUFACTURED, REPRESENTED, SOLD OR USED AS A MEANS FOR DIRECTLY OR INDIRECTLY CONTROLLING, PREVENTING, DESTROYING, MITIGATING, ATTRACTING OR REPELLING ANY PEST". THE ACT CONTAINS PROVISIONS REGULATING THE MANUFACTURING, STORING, DISPLAYING, DISTRIBUTING, PACKAGING, LABELING, ADVERTISING, EXPORTING AND IMPORTING OF SUCH PRODUCTS. ADMINISTRATION OF THE ACT IS IN THE HANDS OF THE MINISTER OF AGRICULTURE, WHO MAY APPOINT INSPECTORS AND ANALYSTS WITH THE POWERS TO INSPECT, SEIZE, AND TAKE SAMPLES OF THE PRODUCTS. WHERE THE ACT APPEARS TO HAVE BEEN VIOLATED, THE INSPECTOR MAY SEIZE AND RETAIN THE CONTROL PRODUCT UNTIL HE IS SATISFIED THAT THE PROVISIONS OF THE ACT HAVE BEEN FOLLOWED OR UNTIL THE OWNER HAS AGREED TO DISPOSE OF IT. UPON CONVICTION FOR A VIOLATION, THE OWNER MAY BE FORCED TO FORFEIT THE PRODUCT FOR DISPOSAL. VIOLATORS OF THE ACT ARE SUBJECT TO IMPRISONMENT FOR TWO YEARS.

LRA/PESTICIDES

"FERTILIZERS ACT. FERTILIZERS REGULATIONS" (SOR/69-65). INT. DIG. HLTH. LEG.,  
V. 22.

WORLD HEALTH ORGANIZATION, COMP.

ENGLISH

EPA  
00/00/71 PGS 440 ID# 00595C

THESE REGULATIONS REQUIRE THAT FERTILIZERS WHICH CONTAIN A PESTICIDE ARE TO BE REGISTERED UNDER THE PEST CONTROL PRODUCTS ACT. IN ADDITION TO INFORMATION REQUIRED FOR ALL FERTILIZERS, PACKAGES CONTAINING "FERTILIZER-PESTICIDES" MUST BE MARKED WITH APPROPRIATE WARNINGS AND DIRECTIONS FOR USE REQUIRED BY THAT ACT. FURTHERMORE, NO FERTILIZER MAY CONTAIN ANY SUBSTANCE IN QUANTITIES LIKELY TO BE HARMFUL TO MAN OR ANIMALS WHEN USED ACCORDING TO DIRECTIONS, OR ANY SUBSTANCE WHICH, WHEN APPLIED ACCORDING TO INSTRUCTIONS, WOULD LEAVE A HARMFUL RESIDUE IN PLANT TISSUE CONTRARY TO THE FOOD AND DRUGS ACT. (OFFICIAL TEXT IS IN CANADA GAZETTE, PART 2, V. 103, N. 4, FEB 26, 1969, PP. 293-312.)

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LRA/RADIATION

"DEPARTMENT OF NATIONAL HEALTH AND WELFARE ACT," AS AMENDED. CAN. REV. STAT. C. N-9 (1970), V. 5.

ENGLISH  
ALSO FRENCH

EPA  
00/00/70 PGS 5333-5336 ID# 00698A

THE MINISTER APPOINTED BY COMMISSION UNDER THE GREAT SEAL PRESIDES OVER THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND WELFARE, AND HIS DUTIES, POWERS AND FUNCTIONS EXTEND TO AND INCLUDE ALL MATTERS RELATING TO THE PROMOTION OR PRESERVATION OF HEALTH. THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL MAY ESTABLISH SUCH BOARDS, COMMITTEES AND COUNCILS AS HE DEEMS NECESSARY TO ASSIST AND ADVISE THE MINISTER AND TO COOPERATE WITH PROVINCIAL AUTHORITIES FOR THE PURPOSE OF THIS ACT. (THE RADIATION PROTECTION DIVISIONS WAS SO ESTABLISHED, AND IT IS ONE OF THE HEALTH AUTHORITIES MENTIONED IN THE ATOMIC ENERGY CONTROL REGULATIONS.) THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL MAY MAKE REGULATIONS AND IMPOSE PENALTIES FOR THE FAILURE TO OBEY THE REGULATIONS BY WAY OF A FINE NOT EXCEEDING \$200 OR IMPRISONMENT FOR A TERM NOT EXCEEDING THREE MONTHS, ENFORCEABLE UPON SUMMARY CONVICTION. THIS ACT WAS AMENDED BY SOR/70/517, 104 CAN. GAZ. PT. II, 1414 (DEC 23, 1970) AND CAN. REV. STAT. C. 14 (2D SUPP. 1970).

LRA/RADIATION

"NUCLEAR LIABILITY ACT." CAN. REV. STAT. C. 29 (1ST SUPP. 1970) AS AMENDED BY THE FEDERAL COURT ACT, CAN. REV. STAT. C. 10 (2D SUPP. 1970).

ENGLISH  
ALSO FRENCH; ALSO PP. 91 AND 163

EPA  
00/00/70 PGS 907-923 ID# 00705A

THIS ACT AS AMENDED REQUIRES AN OPERATOR OF A NUCLEAR INSTALLATION TO PREVENT INJURY TO ANY OTHER PERSON OR DAMAGE TO ANY PROPERTY OF ANY OTHER PERSON ARISING FROM THE FISSIONABLE OR RADIO ACTIVE PROPERTIES, OR THEIR COMBINATION WITH TOXIC, EXPLOSIVE, OR HAZARDOUS PROPERTIES, OF NUCLEAR MATERIAL IN HIS NUCLEAR INSTALLATION; OR OF NUCLEAR MATERIAL THAT HAS BEEN IN HIS INSTALLATION BUT HAS NOT YET COME UNDER THE CONTROL OF ANOTHER OPERATOR; OR OF NUCLEAR MATERIAL THAT IS EN ROUTE FROM OUTSIDE OF CANADA TO HIS INSTALLATION OR IN A PLACE OF STORAGE AWAITING TRANSPORTATION TO HIS INSTALLATION. THE ACT SPECIFIES THE CONDITIONS OF HIS LIABILITY AND THE PROCEDURES FOR CARRYING OUT ITS PROVISIONS. THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL MAY ENTER INTO ARRANGEMENTS WITH RECIPROCATING COUNTRIES ON MATTERS OF LIABILITY. WITHOUT SUCH AN AGREEMENT AN OPERATOR IS NOT LIABLE FOR INJURY OR DAMAGE INCURRED OUTSIDE OF CANADA.

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LRA/RADIATION

"RADIATION EMITTING DEVICES ACT." CAN. REV. STAT. C. 34 (1ST SUPP. 1970).

ENGLISH  
ALSO FRENCH

EPA  
00/00/70 PGS 947-952 ID# 00706A

THIS ACT, WHICH DOES NOT APPLY TO RADIATION-EMITTING DEVICES THAT ARE DESIGNED PRIMARILY FOR THE PRODUCTION OF ATOMIC ENERGY WITHIN THE MEANING OF THE ATOMIC ENERGY CONTROL ACT, WAS DRAWN UP TO COVER X-RAYS AND OTHER RADIATION SOURCES. THE ACT PROHIBITS THE SALE, LEASE OR IMPORTATION OF DEVICES FOR WHICH STANDARDS HAVE BEEN SET UNLESS THE DEVICE AND ITS PARTS COMPLY WITH THOSE STANDARDS. THE MINISTER MAY APPOINT INSPECTORS FOR ENFORCEMENT PURPOSES. THEY ARE GIVEN WIDE POWERS TO ENTER PREMISES WHERE THEY BELIEVE THESE DEVICES MAY BE LOCATED, TO OPEN PACKAGES, AND TO EXAMINE DOCUMENTS. THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL MAY MAKE REGULATIONS ESTABLISHING CLASSES OF RADIATION EMITTING DEVICES AND SET STANDARDS TO PROTECT PERSONS AGAINST PERSONAL INJURY OR DEATH FROM RADIATION. THE ACT ALSO PROVIDES PENALTIES FOR VIOLATION.

LRA/RADIATION

"RADIATION EMITTING DEVICES REGULATIONS." SOR/72-43, CAN. GAZ. PT. II, 266 (MAR 8 1972) AMENDED BY SOR/72-222, 106 CAN. GAZ. PT. II, 966 (JUL 12, 1972).

ENGLISH  
ALSO FRENCH

EPA  
03/07/72 PGS 266-271 ID# 00706B

THESE REGULATIONS, ISSUED UNDER THE 1970 RADIATION EMITTING DEVICES ACT, PLACE TELEVISION RECEIVERS AND EXTRA-ORAL DENTAL X-RAY EQUIPMENT IN THE CLASSES OF DEVICES TO BE REGULATED. THE STANDARDS FOR REGULATING THESE CLASSES OF EQUIPMENT ARE APPENDED TO THE REGULATIONS AS SCHEDULES A AND B. THE INSPECTOR WHO SEIZES A DEVICE OR COMPONENT MAY KEEP IT UNTIL HE CAN ASCERTAIN WHETHER IT COMPLIES WITH THE PRESCRIBED STANDARDS. THE INSPECTOR MUST MAINTAIN A WRITTEN RECORD OF THE PARTICULARS OF HIS DEPOSITION OF THE DEVICE OR ITS COMPONENT.

LRA/RADIATION

"ATOMIC ENERGY CONTROL ACT." CAN. REV. STAT. C. A-19 (1970), V. 1.

ENGLISH  
ALSO FRENCH

EPA  
00/00/70 PGS 153-161 ID# 00708A

THIS ACT, APPLYING TO ALL ENERGY OF WHATEVER TYPE DERIVED FROM OR CREATED BY THE TRANSMUTATION OF ATOMS, CONFERS ON THE ATOMIC ENERGY BOARD AND POWERS, WITH THE APPROVAL OF THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL, TO MAKE REGULATIONS FOR THE ENCOURAGEMENT OF RESEARCH AND INVESTIGATION WITH RESPECT TO ATOMIC ENERGY; FOR THE DEVELOPMENT, CONTROL, SUPERVISION, LICENSING, APPLICATION AND USE OF ATOMIC ENERGY; FOR MINING AND FOR PROSPECTING FOR PRESCRIBED SUBSTANCES; AND FOR THE REGULATION OF THE PRODUCTION, IMPORT, EXPORT, TRANSPORTATION, REFINING, POSSESSION, OWNERSHIP, USE OR SALE OF PRESCRIBED SUBSTANCES. THE MINISTER, CHOSEN BY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL, IS EMPOWERED TO CARRY OUT RESEARCH, UTILIZE ATOMIC POWER, PURCHASE, LEASE, REQUISITION OR EXPROPRIATE ANY NUCLEAR MATERIALS. HE MAY ALSO FROM COMPANIES WITH THE APPROVAL OF THE GOVERNOR GENERAL AND ASSUME DIRECTION OF THESE COMPANIES WHOSE CAPITAL IS OWNED BY THE CROWN IN RIGHT OF CANADA. PENALTIES FOR VIOLATION OF THE ACT ARE MENTIONED.



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LRA/RADIATION

"PARTICLE ACCELERATORS ORDER, N. 1/101/70-1/106/70." SOR/70-250, 104 CAN. GAZ. PT II, 642 (JUN 1, 1970).

ENGLISH  
ALSO FRENCH

00/00/70 PGS 642

EPA  
ID# 00708B

THIS ORDER DECLARES PARTICLE ACCELERATORS, DEFINED AS EQUIPMENT CAPABLE OF IMPARTING HIGH KINETIC ENERGY TO CHARGED PARTICLES THROUGH INTERACTION WITH ELECTRIC OR MAGNETIC FIELDS AND PRIMARILY DESIGNED TO PRODUCE OR USE IN ITS OPERATION ATOMIC ENERGY AND PRESCRIBED SUBSTANCES, TO BE PRESCRIBED EQUIPMENT WITHIN THE CONTEXT OF THE ATOMIC ENERGY CONTROL REGULATIONS.

LRA/RADIATION

"PRESCRIBED EQUIPMENT EXPORT CONTROL ORDER, N. 01/201/67-1/206/67." SOR/67-189, 101 CAN. GAZ. PT. II, 675 (APR 5, 1967).

ENGLISH

00/00/68 PGS 675

EPA  
ID# 00708C

THIS ORDER PRESCRIBES CERTAIN PROPERTIES ON THE EXPORT CONTROL LIST AS BEING SUCH THAT THEY MUST BE SPECIFIED UNDER ATOMIC ENERGY CONTROL REGULATIONS. NO IMPORT PERMIT OR ORDER IS REQUIRED TO AUTHORIZE THE IMPORTATION INTO CANADA OF ANY OF THE PROPERTIES SPECIFIED AS PRESCRIBED EQUIPMENT UNDER THIS ORDER EXCEPT AS PROVIDED BY THE NUCLEAR REACTORS ORDER OF APR 24, 1957.

LRA/RADIATION

"INDUSTRIAL RADIOGRAPHY ORDER, N. 1/200/66." SCR/66-1128, 100 CAN. GAZ. PT. II, 314 (MAR 1, 1966).

ENGLISH

00/00/67 PGS 314

EPA  
ID# 00708D

THIS ORDER FORBIDS ANY PERSON PERFORMING AN INDUSTRIAL RADIOGRAPHY OPERATION FROM USING A RADIOACTIVE SUBSTANCE UNLESS HE HAS BEEN CERTIFIED AS A JUNIOR OR SENIOR INDUSTRIAL RADIOGRAPHER OR IS WORKING UNDER THE DIRECT SUPERVISION OF SUCH A RADIOGRAPHER. AT LEAST ONE PERSON MUST BE A CERTIFIED SENIOR INDUSTRIAL RADIOGRAPHER AT ANY PLACE WHERE TWO OR MORE PRESCRIBED RADIOACTIVE SUBSTANCES ARE USED.

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LRA/RADIATION "SHIPPING CONTAINERS ORDER." SOR/63-65, 97 CAN. GAZ. PT. II, 193 (FEB 27, 1963).

ENGLISH 00/00/64 PGS 193 EPA ID# 00708E

THE SCHEDULE OF THIS ORDER PROVIDES THAT NO PRESCRIBED RADIOACTIVE SUBSTANCE MAY BE SHIPPED UNLESS THE CONTAINER MEETS THE REQUIREMENTS AS TO PACKAGING, SHIELDING, AND LABELING SET FORTH BY A STATUTORY BODY HAVING JURISDICTION OVER THE PROPOSED METHOD OF TRANSPORTATION AND HAS BEEN SPECIFICALLY APPROVED FOR THE PARTICULAR SHIPMENT INVOLVED.

LRA/RADIATION "NUCLEAR REACTORS ORDER, N. 1/201/57-1/206/57," SOR/57-145, 91 CAN. GAZ. PT. II, 433 (APR 24, 1957).

ENGLISH 00/00/57 PGS 433 EPA ID# 00708F

THIS ORDER, ISSUED UNDER THE ATOMIC ENERGY CONTROL ACT, STATES THAT NUCLEAR REACTORS ARE PROPERTY WHICH, IN THE OPINION OF THE BOARD, MAY BE USED FOR THE PRODUCTION, USE, OR APPLICATION OF ATOMIC ENERGY, AND ARE SPECIFIED AS PRESCRIBED EQUIPMENT UNDER THE ATOMIC ENERGY REGULATIONS OF CANADA. A PERSON MAY DEAL IN ANY NUCLEAR REACTOR ONLY AFTER HE HAS RECEIVED AN ORDER FROM THE BOARD TO DO SO. THIS ORDER DOES NOT APPLY TO ANY REACTOR BUILT WHOLLY BY OR FOR AND OPERATED WHOLLY BY OR ON BEHALF OF A DEPARTMENT OR AGENCY OF THE GOVERNMENT OF CANADA.

LRA/RADIATION "ATOMIC ENERGY CONTROL REGULATIONS." SOR/60-119, 94 CAN. GAZ. PT. II, 345 (APR 13 1960).

ENGLISH 00/00/61 PGS 344-357 EPA ID# 00708G

THESE REGULATIONS, AS AMENDED BY SOR/70-504, 98 CAN. GAZ. PT. II, 1290 (NOV 25, 1964) AND SOR/ 72-301, 106 CAN. GAZ. PT. II, 1465 (AUG 2, 1972), ARE APPLICABLE TO ANY PERSON DEALING IN PRESCRIBED RADIOACTIVE SUBSTANCES, INCLUDING URANIUM, THORIUM, PLUTONIUM, RADIOACTIVE SUBSTANCES OF OTHER ELEMENTS, AND DEUTERIUM. THESE REGULATIONS PROVIDE THAT EMPLOYERS OF PERSONS WHO DEAL IN QUANTITIES OF PRESCRIBED RADIOACTIVE SUBSTANCES IN EXCESS OF THE SCHEDULED QUANTITIES MUST ARRANGE FOR MEDICAL EXAMINATIONS OF THOSE PERSONS. THE HEALTH AND SAFETY PROVISIONS OF THESE REGULATIONS SPECIFY REQUIREMENTS FOR ATOMIC ENERGY WORKERS, PERMISSIBLE EXPOSURES, PROTECTIVE PROCEDURES AND EQUIPMENT, AND WARNING LABELS AND SIGNS.

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LRA/SOLID WASTE

"NATURAL PARKS GENERAL REGULATIONS." SOR CONS./1955, V. 3.

ENGLISH  
ALSO FRENCH  
GENERAL

EPA  
00/00/55 PGS 2446-2450 ID# 00837A

THE SUPERINTENDENT OR THE PARK MEDICAL OFFICER MAY DETERMINE, UNDER THE PROVISIONS OF THESE REGULATIONS, THAT A NUISANCE EXISTS ON PRIVATELY HELD PREMISES AND ORDER THE OWNER, LESSEE OR OCCUPANT TO ABATE THE NUISANCE AND CLEAN THE AREA. IF THE PERSON INVOLVED FAILS TO ABATE THE NUISANCE, THE SUPERINTENDENT MAY TAKE THE NECESSARY STEPS TO ABATE THE NUISANCE, AND THE COSTS SHALL BE PAYABLE BY THE OWNER, LESSEE OR OCCUPANT. OTHER PROVISIONS STATE THAT ALL REFUSE MUST BE DESTROYED OR BURIED EXCEPT WHERE INCINERATORS OR TRASH RECEPTACLES ARE PROVIDED. THE SUPERINTENDENT SHALL DESIGNATE THE PLACES, TIMES AND CONDITIONS WHEN RUBBISH AND MATTER OF AN OFFENSIVE NATURE MAY BE DISPOSED OF.

LRA/SOLID WASTE

"NATIONAL PARKS ACT." CAN. REV. STAT. C. N-13 (1970), V. 5.

ENGLISH  
ALSO FRENCH  
GENERAL WATER

EPA  
00/00/70 PGS 5413-5421 ID# 00838A

THIS ACT, DESIGNED TO PRESERVE NATURAL PARKS AND TO PREVENT NUISANCES IN THEM, GIVES TO THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL THE POWER TO MAKE REGULATIONS FOR THE PRESERVATION, CONTROL AND MANAGEMENT OF THE PARKS; THE MANAGEMENT AND REGULATION OF FISHING, AND THE PROTECTION OF FISH, INCLUDING THE PREVENTION AND REMEDYING OF ANY OBSTRUCTION OR POLLUTION OF WATERWAYS; THE PRESERVATION OF PUBLIC HEALTH AND THE PREVENTION OF DISEASES WITHIN THE CONFINES OF THE PARKS; AND THE ABATEMENT AND PREVENTION OF NUISANCES. (A SUMMARY OF THIS ACT MAY ALSO BE FOUND UNDER THE PROGRAM AREA: WATER.)

LRA/SOLID WASTE

"CRIMINAL CODE." CAN. REV. STAT. C. C-34 (1970).

ENGLISH  
ALSO FRENCH  
GENERAL

EPA  
00/00/70 PGS 1583 ID# 00839A

THIS LAW ON NUISANCES (INCLUDING SOLID WASTES AMONG OTHER ACTS OF A NOXIOUS NATURE) STATES THAT A PERSON WHO COMMITS A COMMON NUISANCE BY ENDANGERING THE LIVES, SAFETY AND HEALTH OF THE PUBLIC OR BY CAUSING PHYSICAL INJURY TO ANY PERSON IS GUILTY OF AN INDICTABLE OFFENSE AND IS LIABLE TO IMPRISONMENT FOR TWO YEARS. A COMMON NUISANCE IS COMMITTED WHEN A PERSON DOES AN UNLAWFUL ACT OR FAILS TO DISCHARGE A LEGAL DUTY THAT ENDANGERS THE LIVES, SAFETY, HEALTH, PROPERTY OR COMFORT OF THE PUBLIC OR OBSTRUCTS THE PUBLIC IN THE EXERCISE OR ENJOYMENT OF ANY RIGHT THAT IS COMMON TO ALL CANADIAN SUBJECTS.

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LRA/SOLID WASTE

"ANIMAL CONTAGIOUS DISEASES REGULATIONS." SOB/CONS. 1955, V. 1.

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ENGLISH

00/00/55 PGS 76-71,108 ID# 00841A

THESE REGULATIONS DECLARE THAT THE VETERINARY DIRECTOR GENERAL HAS ALL THE POWERS OF AN INSPECTOR OR VETERINARY INSPECTOR IN THE CONTEXT OF THIS LAW. FURTHER, REFUSE, MANURE, GARBAGE AND THE LIKE MAY NOT BE LANDED OR DISCHARGED IN ANY PORT OR WATERS OF CANADA FROM SHIPS ARRIVING FROM ANOTHER COUNTRY. THE MINISTER MAY DESIGNATE SUCH PORTS WHERE MANURE, GARBAGE, OR OTHER REFUSE MAY BE LANDED PROVIDED CERTAIN SPECIFIED CONDITIONS ARE MET, SUCH AS THE CONTAINMENT OF THE REFUSE IN CLOSED, LEAK-PROOF METAL BOXES. UNLESS A SHIP OR VESSEL DOCKING HAS INCINERATION FACILITIES THAT MEET THE APPROVAL OF THE INSPECTOR, IT MUST DISCHARGE ITS REFUSE UNDER THE SUPERVISION OF THE INSPECTOR. THE CAPTAIN OF A SHIP OR VESSEL IS RESPONSIBLE FOR ANY CONTRAVENTION OF THESE DISPOSAL REGULATIONS AND IS LIABLE FOR THE PENALTIES IMPOSED.

LRA/SOLID WASTE

"ANIMAL CONTAGIOUS DISEASES ACT." CAN. REV. STAT. C. A-13 (1970), V. 1.

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ENGLISH

00/00/70 PGS 93-107

ID# 00843A

ALSO FRENCH

WATER

ACCORDING TO THE PROVISIONS OF THIS ACT, THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL MAY MAKE REGULATIONS FOR THE DESTRUCTION OR DISPOSAL OF ANIMALS WHICH ARE DYING IN A DISEASED STATE. FURTHER, THE ACT PROVIDES PENALTIES FOR THE THROWING OR PLACING IN ANY RIVER, STREAM, CANAL, NAVIGABLE OR OTHER WATER, OR IN THE SEA, WITHIN 10 MILES OF THE SHORE, THE CARCASS OF AN ANIMAL THAT DIES FROM A DISEASE OR WAS SLAUGHTERED BECAUSE IT WAS DISEASED OR SUSPECTED OF BEING DISEASED.

LRA/SOLID WASTE

"OIL AND GAS PRODUCTION AND CONSERVATION ACT." CAN. REV. STAT. C. 0-4 (1970); AMENDED BY 1ST SUPP. 1970, C. 30; 2D SUPP. 1970, C. 10.

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00/00/70 PGS 5613-5643 ID# 00844A

ALSO FRENCH

THE MINISTER OF INDIAN AFFAIRS AND NORTHERN DEVELOPMENT IS THE ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICER FOR THIS ACT WHICH APPLIES TO OIL AND GAS IN THE YUKON TERRITORY AND THE NORTHWEST TERRITORY. THE ACT PROVIDES THAT THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL MAY MAKE REGULATIONS FOR THE PREVENTION OF WASTES, BOTH ORDINARY WASTES AND WASTES AS UNDERSTOOD IN THE OIL AND GAS INDUSTRY. THE CHIEF CONSERVATION OFFICER, APPOINTED BY THE MINISTER, MAY ORDER THE CESSATION OF OPERATIONS CAUSING WASTES OR THE TAKE-OVER OF CONTROL AND MANAGEMENT OF WORKS CAUSING WASTES. SIMILARLY, HE MAY INSTITUTE PROCEEDINGS TO PREVENT OIL-AND-GAS INDUSTRY WASTES. ANY PERSON OR HIS EMPLOYEE WHO COMMITS AN OFFENSE UNDER THIS ACT IS LIABLE ON SUMMARY CONVICTION TO A FINE OF NOT MORE THAN \$1,000 TO SIX MONTHS IMPRISONMENT, OR TO BOTH.

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CANADA SHIPPING ACT, CAN. REV. STAT. C,S-9, PART IX (1970)

ENGLISH  
ALSO FRENCH

00/00/70 PGS 6981-6983 ID# 00370A

EPA

ACT AUTHORIZES THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL TO CARRY OUT THE PROVISIONS OF THE INTERNATIONAL CONVENTION FOR THE PREVENTION OF POLLUTION OF THE SEA BY OIL AND THUS TO REGULATE AND PREVENT THE POLLUTION OF CANADIAN WATERS BY OIL, CHEMICALS, GARBAGE, SEWAGE AND ANY OTHER SUBSTANCES FROM SHIPS. IT FURTHER AUTHORIZES THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL TO REGULATE AND PREVENT THE POLLUTION OF THE AIR BY COMBUSTIBLE PRODUCTS FROM SHIPS AND, WHEN NECESSARY, TO ORDER THE DESTRUCTION OR REMOVAL OF SHIPS THAT, BY REASON OF THEIR DISTRESS OR ABANDONMENT, ARE LIABLE TO POLLUTE CANADIAN WATERS. THE ACT SETS PENALTIES FOR VIOLATIONS.

LRA/WATER

CANADA SHIPPING ACT - CAN. STAT. C. 27 PT. XIX (1970-72). ACTS OF PARLIAMENT OF CANADA.

ENGLISH  
ALSO FRENCH ALSO PM

00/00/71 PGS 543-575 ID# 00370B

EPA

THIS ACT AUTHORIZES THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL TO MAKE REGULATIONS ON THE DISCHARGE OF POLLUTANTS INTO THE WATERS FROM A SHIP, TO CLASSIFY POLLUTANTS, PRESCRIBE THE MANNER IN WHICH THEY MAY BE CARRIED ABOARD SHIPS, SET SAFETY STANDARDS AND REQUIRE RECORDS TO BE KEPT ON LOADING AND UNLOADING OPERATIONS IN CANADIAN WATERS. FURTHER IT GRANTS POLLUTION PREVENTION OFFICERS THE RIGHT TO REQUIRE SHIPS TO REPORT ON THEIR COMPLIANCE WITH REGULATIONS, TO BOARD AND INSPECT SHIPS, ORDER THEM OUTSIDE OF CANADIAN WATERS AND TO REQUIRE ANY SHIP TO HELP CLEAN UP ANY POLLUTANT WHEN A GRAVE DANGER EXISTS. THE ACT MAKES OWNERS OF OFFENDING SHIPS LIABLE FOR THE COSTS OF ACTIONS TAKEN TO REMEDY CONDITIONS OF POLLUTION RESULTING FROM ILLEGAL DISCHARGE. IT ALSO ESTABLISHES A MARITIME POLLUTION CLAIMS FUND, AUTHORIZES LEVIES ON BULK OIL IMPORTED INTO CANADA, AND PROVIDES PENALTIES FOR VIOLATORS OF THESE PROVISIONS.

LRA/WATER

CANADA SHIPPING ACT, CAN. STAT. C. 27, PART XX (1970-72) - MARITIME POLLUTION CLAIMS FUND REGULATIONS. SOB/72-33, 106 CAN. GAZ. PT. II 226 (FEB 7, 1972).

ENGLISH  
ALSO SE/ALSO FRENCH

02/23/72 PGS 226-229 ID# 00370C

EPA

THESE REGULATIONS SET THE AMOUNT, PAYABLE INTO THE MARITIME POLLUTION CLAIMS FUND, TO BE LEVIED ON EACH TON OF OIL IMPORTED INTO CANADA IN BULK OR ON EACH TON OF OIL SHIPPED FROM ANY PLACE IN CANADA IN BULK AS A CARGO OF A SHIP WHEN THE SECURITY FOR THE PAYMENT HAS CONFORMED IN AMOUNT AND FORM ACCEPTABLE TO THE MINISTER. THE REGULATIONS ALSO CONTAIN DECLARATION FORMS THAT EACH IMPORTER OR EXPORTER OF RECORD MUST FILE WITH THE COLLECTOR OF CUSTOMS AND EXCISE. FURTHER, THE REGULATIONS SET THE FUND'S INTEREST RATE.

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CANADA SHIPPING ACT, CAN. STAT. C 27 (1970-72) - OIL POLLUTION PREVENTION REGULATIONS.

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10/13/71 PGS 1723-1734 ID# 00370D

PART I OF THESE REGULATIONS PROHIBITS THE DISCHARGE FROM ANY SHIP OF OIL OR OILY MIXTURES INTO CANADIAN WATERS AND FISHING ZONES UNLESS SUCH ACTION IS NECESSARY TO AVOID LOSS OF LIFE OR THE LOSS OR THE STRANDING OF THE SHIP OR IS A MINIMAL AND UNAVOIDABLE ASPECT OF THE SHIP'S OPERATION. IT FURTHER REQUIRES THE MASTER OF A SHIP TO REPORT IMMEDIATELY UNAUTHORIZED DISCHARGES OR THE IMMINENCE THEREOF. PART II ENJOINS ALL CANADIAN SHIPS IN NON-CANADIAN WATERS FROM DISCHARGING PERSISTENT OIL OR OILY MIXTURES INTO THE WATER UNLESS THERE IS DANGER TO THE SHIP AND TO PERSONS ABOARD. PART III DEALS WITH THE LOADING AND UNLOADING FACILITIES IN CANADA AND IN ITS WATERS AND FISHING ZONES AND APPLIES TO ALL SHIPS EXCEPT HER MAJESTY'S WARSHIPS AND CERTAIN SMALL VESSELS. PART IV CONTAINS REGULATIONS ON THE MAINTENANCE OF THE OIL RECORD BOOKS.

LRA/WATER

CANADA SHIPPING ACT, GARBAGE POLLUTION PREVENTION REGULATIONS. SOR/71-654 105  
CAN. GAZ. PT. II, 2134 (DEC 14, 1971).

ENGLISH  
ALSO FRENCH

EPA  
12/22/71 PGS 2134-2135 ID# 00370E

THESE REGULATIONS PROSCRIBE THE THROWING OR DISCHARGE OF GARBAGE, GALLEY WASTE, PAPER, RAGS, JUNK OR SIMILAR REFUSE FROM SHIPS INTO THE TERRITORIAL SEAS OR INLAND WATERS OF CANADA.

LRA/WATER

FISHERIES ACT. CAN. REV. STAT. C. F-4 (1970); AMENDED 1ST SUPP. 1970, C. 17.

ENGLISH  
ALSO FRENCH/P. 3135-3136

EPA  
00/00/70 PGS 3145-3149 ID# 00512A

THIS ACT, ADMINISTERED BY THE MINISTER OF FISHERIES AND FORESTRY, PROHIBITS ANY PERSON FROM THROWING OVERBOARD OR DEPOSITING UPON THE SHORES OR BANKS OF WATERS USED FOR FISHING ANY BALLAST, COAL ASHES, STONES OR OTHER PREJUDICIAL OR DELETERIOUS SUBSTANCES AND FROM LEAVING DECAYING FISH AND THE LIKE ON THE BANKS, THE SHORE OR THE BEACH BETWEEN THE HIGH AND LOW WATER MARK. IT FURTHER ESTABLISHES PENALTIES FOR VIOLATION. THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL MAY ISSUE REGULATIONS PRESCRIBING THE SUBSTANCES AND CLASSES OF SUBSTANCES, THE QUANTITIES OR CONCENTRATIONS, AND TREATMENTS, PROCESSES AND CHANGES OF WATER FOR THE PURPOSES OF DEFINING DELETERIOUS SUBSTANCES.

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LRA/WATER

FISHERIES ACT, CHLOR-ALKALI MERCURY REGULATIONS; CAN. REV. STAT. C. F-14 (1970)  
AS AMENDED 2ND SUPP. 1970, C. 17.

ENGLISH 04/12/72 PGS 436-440 ID# 00512B  
ALSO FRENCH/P. 561-671

THESE REGULATIONS AUTHORIZE MERCURY IN THE LIQUID EFFLUENT FROM A PLANT TO BE PLACED IN WATERS FREQUENTED BY FISH PROVIDING THE QUANTITY DEPOSITED BY THE PLANT IN ONE DAY DOES NOT EXCEED .005 POUND PER TON OF CHLORINE PRODUCED BY THE PLANT IN THE SAME DAY. THE AMOUNT OF MERCURY SHALL BE DETERMINED FROM A COMPOSITE SAMPLE. THE REGULATIONS REQUIRE THE OWNER OR SUPERVISOR OF SUCH A PLANT TO KEEP RECORDS AND SUBMIT THEM TO THE MINISTER AS REQUESTED. THE FORMAT OF THESE RECORDS IS ILLUSTRATED IN THE ANNEXES.

LRA/WATER

"AN ACT TO AMEND THE FISHERIES ACT." REVISED STATUTES OF CANADA, C. 17 (FIRST SUPP., 1970).

ENGLISH 00/00/70 PGS 661-668 ID# 00512C  
ALSO FRENCH

THIS ACT AMENDS SECTION 33 OF THE FISHERIES ACT TO STRENGTHEN PROVISIONS AGAINST DUMPING DELETERIOUS SUBSTANCES INTO FISHING WATERS. THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL IS AUTHORIZED TO MAKE REGULATIONS ESTABLISHING LISTS OF DELETERIOUS SUBSTANCES AND THEIR HARMFUL CONCENTRATIONS, AND CONTROLLING PROCESSES HARMFUL TO WATER QUALITY. PERSONS RESPONSIBLE FOR UNAUTHORIZED DISCHARGE OF DELETERIOUS SUBSTANCES INTO FISHING WATERS ARE SUBJECT TO A FINE OF 5,000 DOLLARS FOR EVERY DAY ON WHICH THE OFFENSE OCCURS. PLANS FOR CONSTRUCTION OR ALTERATION OF ENTERPRISES LIKELY TO CAUSE DISCHARGE OF DELETERIOUS SUBSTANCES INTO FISHING WATERS MUST BE APPROVED BY THE MINISTER OF THE ENVIRONMENT. THE MINISTER MAY REQUIRE CHANGES IN SUCH PLANS OR PROHIBIT CONSTRUCTION ALTOGETHER. INSPECTORS MAY BE APPOINTED TO ENSURE THAT ENTERPRISES COMPLY WITH THE MINISTER'S REGULATIONS.

LRA/WATER

"FISHERIES ACT. PULP AND PAPER EFFLUENT REGULATIONS" (SOR/71-578). CANADA GAZETTE, PART 2, V. 105, N. 22.

ENGLISH 11/24/71 PGS 1886-92 ID# 00512D  
ALSO FRENCH

THESE REGULATIONS, ISSUED PURSUANT TO THE FISHERIES ACT ON NOV 2, 1971 BY THE MINISTER OF THE ENVIRONMENT THROUGH THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL, ESTABLISH DETAILED TECHNICAL STANDARDS TO CONTROL THE DISCHARGE OF DELETERIOUS SUBSTANCES FROM PAPER AND PULP MILLS INTO FISHING WATERS. "DELETERIOUS SUBSTANCE" IS DEFINED TO INCLUDE TOTAL SUSPENDED SOLIDS IN EFFLUENTS, OXYGEN-DEMANDING DECOMPOSIBLE ORGANIC WASTE MATTER, AND WASTES TOXIC TO FISH. MILL OPERATORS MUST MONITOR EFFLUENTS AND KEEP RECORDS NECESSARY FOR THE MINISTER TO DETERMINE IF THE MILL IS DISCHARGING WASTES IN EXCESS OF AUTHORIZED QUANTITIES. PERMITTED DEPOSITS OF TOTAL SUSPENDED SOLIDS AND OF OXYGEN-DEMANDING DECOMPOSIBLE ORGANIC MATTER ARE ESTABLISHED IN SCHEDULES A AND B FOR VARIOUS TYPES OF PAPER AND PULP MILLS IN RELATION TO THE AMOUNT OF MATERIAL PROCESSED OR PRODUCT PRODUCED. PROCEDURES FOR MEASURING TOXICITY OF EFFLUENTS AND DETERMINING BIOCHEMICAL OXYGEN DEMAND ARE ESTABLISHED IN SCHEDULES D AND E.

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"FISHERIES ACT. PETROLEUM REFINERY LIQUID EFFLUENT REGULATIONS" (P.C. 1973-3440).  
CANADA GAZETTE, PART 2, V. 107, N. 21.

ENGLISH  
ALSO FRENCH

11/14/73 PJS 2720-27 ID# 00512E

EPA

THESE REGULATIONS, ISSUED BY THE MINISTER OF THE ENVIRONMENT UNDER THE "FISHERIES ACT," APPLY TO ALL PETROLEUM REFINERIES BEGINNING OPERATION AFTER NOV 1, 1973. "DELETERIOUS SUBSTANCES" ARE DEFINED AS OIL AND GREASE, PHENOLS, SULFIDE, AMONIA NITROGEN, SUSPENDED MATTER, AND SUBSTANCES ALTERING PH LEVEL. DISCHARGE OF ANY DELETERIOUS SUBSTANCE MUST BE AUTHORIZED BY THE MINISTER OF THE ENVIRONMENT. CALCULATION OF PERMISSIBLE DISCHARGE AT A REFINERY IS BASED ON DAILY RATE OF OIL PRODUCTION AND INCLUDES HARMFUL SUBSTANCES IN STORM RUNOFF AND UNTREATED EFFLUENTS FROM COOLING PLANTS. THE PH LEVEL OF EFFLUENTS MUST BE BETWEEN 6.0 AND 9.5. APPROVED FACILITIES FOR MONITORING EFFLUENTS MUST BE MAINTAINED AT EVERY REFINERY AND A MONTHLY REPORT FILED WITH THE MINISTER. THE SCHEDULES CONTAIN DETAILED TECHNICAL PROCEDURES TO DETERMINE AUTHORIZED QUANTITIES OF HARMFUL SUBSTANCES IN EFFLUENTS AND ACTUAL AMOUNTS OF WASTES DISCHARGED, TO MEASURE PH LEVELS, AND TO DETERMINE PRESENCE AND CONCENTRATIONS OF VARIOUS HARMFUL SUBSTANCES IN EFFLUENTS.

LRA/WATER

NAVIGABLE WATERS PROTECTION ACT. CAN. REV. STAT. C. N-19 (1970).

ENGLISH  
ALSO FRENCH/P. 5530-5535  
SOLID WASTE

00/00/70 PGS 5525-5526 ID# 00513A

EPA

SECTIONS OF THIS ACT PROHIBIT THE DEPOSIT OF RUBBISH, THE WASTE PRODUCTS OF LOGGING, OR ANY OTHER MATERIAL INTO NAVIGABLE WATERS OR THEIR TRIBUTARIES WHEN THERE ARE NOT AT LEAST 20 FATHOMS OF WATER PRESENT AT ALL TIMES. THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL MAY DECLARE WATERS EXEMPT FROM THIS BAN AFTER SATISFYING HIMSELF THAT THE PUBLIC INTEREST IS NOT IMPAIRED. PROVISIONS OF THIS ACT ARE THE ADMINISTRATIVE RESPONSIBILITY OF THE MINISTER OF TRANSPORT.

LRA/WATER

ARCTIC WATERS POLLUTION PREVENTION ACT. CAN. REV. STAT. C. 2 (1ST SUPP. 1970).

ENGLISH  
ALSO FRENCH  
SOLID WASTE

00/00/70 PGS 3-25 ID# 00514A

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THIS ACT PROHIBITS ANY PERSON OR SHIP FROM DEPOSITING WASTE OF ANY TYPE IN THE ARCTIC WATERS OR ON ANY PLACE ON THE MAINLAND OR ISLANDS EXCEPT AS AUTHORIZED BY THE PROVISIONS OF THIS ACT. THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL IS REQUIRED TO PASS ON ANY PLANS TO CONSTRUCT, ALTER OR EXTEND ANY WORKS IN ORDER TO DETERMINE WHETHER THE DEPOSIT OF WASTE FROM SUCH ACTIVITY WILL EXCEED PERMISSIBLE LIMITS. HE MAY ALSO ORDER THE DESTRUCTION OR REMOVAL OF ANY SUNKEN SHIP OR VESSEL IN DISTRESS IF IT IS CAUSING OR IS LIKELY TO CAUSE SUCH A DEPOSIT. THE ACT AUTHORIZES POLLUTION PREVENTION OFFICERS TO ENTER ANY PLACE OR AREA (OTHER THAN A SHIP OR PRIVATE DWELLING) TO CHECK ON WASTE DEPOSITS AND TO BOARD ANY SHIP WITHIN A SHIPPING SAFETY CONTROL ZONE TO LOOK FOR VIOLATIONS OF PRESCRIBED STANDARDS.



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LRA/WATER

ARCTIC WATERS POLLUTION ACT, CAN. REV. STAT. C. 2 (1ST SUPP. 1970); ARCTIC WATERS POLLUTION PREVENTION REGULATIONS.

ENGLISH 07/26/72 PGS 1033-1037 ID# 00514B  
ALSO FRENCH

PART I OF THESE REGULATIONS DEALS WITH THE DEPOSIT OF DOMESTIC OR INDUSTRIAL WASTE IN ARCTIC WATERS OR ON ANY PLACE ON THE MAINLAND OR ON ISLANDS OF THE CANADIAN ARCTIC AND PROVIDE FOR THE REPORTING OF ANY VIOLATION OR ANY OCCURRENCE LIKELY TO CAUSE AN UNAUTHORIZED DEPOSIT OF WASTE. PART II OUTLINES THE CIVIL LIABILITY FOR THE DEPOSIT OF WASTE BY SHIPS IN ARCTIC WATERS.

LRA/WATER

ARCTIC WATERS POLLUTION PREVENTION ACT, SHIPPING SAFETY CONTROL ZONES ORDER; CAN. REV. STAT. C. 2 (1ST SUPP. 1970).

ENGLISH 08/23/72 PGS 1468-1474 ID# 00514C  
ALSO FRENCH

THIS ORDER DESIGNATES SHIPPING SAFETY CONTROL ZONES FOR THE ARCTIC WATERS. A SCHEDULE DESCRIBES VERBALLY THEIR LOCATION, AND APPENDED MAPS COMPLEMENT THE DESCRIPTION.

LRA/WATER

NORTHERN INLAND WATERS ACT. CAN. REV. STAT. C. 28 (1ST SUPP. 1970).

ENGLISH 00/00/70 PGS 893-905 ID# 00517A  
ALSO FRENCH

THIS ACT IS DESIGNED TO PROVIDE FOR THE CONSERVATION, DEVELOPMENT AND UTILIZATION OF THE YUKON TERRITORY AND NORTHWEST TERRITORIES. ADMINISTERED BY THE MINISTER OF INDIAN AFFAIRS AND NORTHERN DEVELOPMENT ACTING THROUGH THE YUKON TERRITORY WATER BOARD AND THE NORTHWEST TERRITORIES WATER BOARD, THIS ACT PROHIBITS THE UNAUTHORIZED ALTERATION OR DIVERSION OF THE FLOW OR STORAGE OF WATERS WITHIN A WATER MANAGEMENT AREA OR USE OF WATERS WITHOUT A LICENSE. IT FURTHER BANS THE DEPOSITING OF WASTE IN THESE WATERS. UNDER ITS PROVISIONS THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL MAY MAKE REGULATIONS IN PROCEDURES FOR LICENSING, ESTABLISHING WATER MANAGEMENT AREAS, AND HE MAY LIFT THE APPLICABILITY OF THE ACT TO TERRITORIAL LANDS THAT HE BELIEVES ARE REQUIRED FOR THE PROTECTION OF ANY WATER RESOURCE AND ORDER ANY BOARD TO REFUSE A LICENSE.

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"CANADA WATER ACT." CAN. REV. STAT. C. 5 (1ST SUPP. 1970).

ENGLISH  
ALSO FRENCH

00/00/70 PGS 33-62

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ID# 00521A

THIS ACT, ADMINISTERED BY THE MINISTER OF ENERGY, MINES AND RESOURCES, IS DESIGNED TO IMPROVE WATER QUALITY AND TO DEVELOP A COMPREHENSIVE PROGRAM OF WATER RESOURCE MANAGEMENT IN CANADA THROUGH COOPERATIVE AGREEMENTS WITH ONE OR MORE PROVINCES. WATER QUALITY AGENCIES ARE REQUIRED TO CONDUCT STUDIES AND RECOMMEND WATER QUALITY PLANS FOR DIFFERENT AREAS. THESE AGENCIES ARE EMPOWERED TO CONSTRUCT AND OPERATE WATER TREATMENT FACILITIES, TO TAKE WASTE SAMPLES, AND PRESCRIBE WATER QUALITY STANDARDS. THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL MAY MAKE REGULATIONS PRESCRIBING THE TYPES, QUALITY, AND TREATMENT OF WASTES, AND THE PROCEDURES TO CARRY OUT THE AIMS OF THIS ACT. THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL SHALL ALSO ISSUE REGULATIONS TO ESTABLISH THE CONCENTRATION OF NUTRIENTS THAT MAY BE ADDED TO ANY CLEANING AGENT OR WATER CONDITIONER AND TO PROVIDE THE MEANS TO DETERMINE WHETHER MANUFACTURERS ARE COMPLYING WITH THESE STANDARDS.

LRA/WATER

CANADA WATER ACT, PHOSPHORUS CONCENTRATION CONTROL REGULATIONS. SOR/70-354  
104 CAN. GAZ. PT. II, 863 (JULY 19, 1970).

ENGLISH  
ALSO FRENCH

08/26/70 PGS 863

EPA  
ID# 00521B

THESE REGULATIONS SET THE PERMISSIBLE CONCENTRATION OF PRESCRIBED NUTRIENTS, INTERPRETED HERE AS PHOSPHORUS AND ALL ITS COMPOUNDS, IN LAUNDRY DETERGENTS. AFTER AUG. 1, 1970, THE CONCENTRATION IS SET AT 20 PERCENT BY WEIGHT EXPRESSED AS PHOSPHORUS PENTOXIDE OR 8.7 PERCENT BY WEIGHT EXPRESSED AS ELEMENTAL PHOSPHORUS. THE METHOD PRESCRIBED BY THE AMERICAN SOCIETY FOR TESTING AND MATERIALS SHALL BE USED IN DETERMINING THE CONCENTRATION BY WEIGHT OF PRESCRIBED MATERIALS IN ANY LAUNDRY DETERGENT.

LRA/WATER

"NATIONAL HARBOURS BOARD ACT." CAN. REV. STAT. C. N-8 (1970).

ENGLISH  
ALSO FRENCH  
SOLID WASTE

00/00/70 PGS 5309-5327

EPA  
ID# 00842A

THIS ACT, AS AMENDED BY C. 16 OF THE EXPROPRIATIONS ACT, 1ST SUPPLEMENT (1970), PROVIDES THAT THE MINISTER NAMED BY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL TO ADMINISTER THIS ACT SHALL APPOINT A NATIONAL HARBOURS BOARD WITH JURISDICTION AND CONTROL OVER CERTAIN DESIGNATED HARBORS. THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL MAY MAKE BY-LAWS FOR THE DIRECTION AND MANAGEMENT OF THE BOARD AND THE ADMINISTRATION OF THESE HARBORS. THE BOARD MAY USE REASONABLE FORCE TO EXECUTE THE BY-LAWS WHEN VIOLATION THEREOF MAY CAUSE DANGER OR ANNOYANCE TO THE PUBLIC OR OBSTRUCT THE OPERATION OF A HARBOR. (FROM THIS POWER THE BOARD DERIVES AUTHORITY TO PREVENT THE DISCHARGE OF WASTES AND RUBBISH INTO HARBOR WATERS.)

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"NATIONAL HARBOURS BOARD BY-LAW A-1." SOR CONS./1955, V. 3.

ENGLISH  
SOLID WASTE

00/00/55 PGS 2252-2254 ID# 00842B

EPA

SECTION 4 OF THIS LAW PROHIBITS ANYONE FROM CAUSING OR FAILING TO DO ANYTHING WHICH MAY BRING ABOUT AN ENCUMBRANCE OF THE WATER OR SHORE OF ANY HARBOR OR AN OBSTRUCTION OR DANGER TO NAVIGATION IN THE HARBOR. IT FURTHER PROVIDES THAT NOTHING SHALL BE THROWN, DRAINED OR DISCHARGED INTO THE WATER, ALLOWED TO COME INTO CONTACT WITH THE WATER, OR DEPOSITED ANYWHERE WITHIN THE LIMITS OF THE HARBOR, WHICH MAY DAMAGE VESSELS OR PROPERTY OR CAUSE ANY NUISANCE OR ENDANGER LIFE OR HEALTH. THE SECTION EXEMPTS BALLAST OR RUBBISH ONLY WHEN THE HARBOR BOARD ASSIGNS DISPOSAL SITES.

COSTA RICA

LRA/PESTICIDES

"MAY 30, 1966 DECREE NO. 16 AMENDING DECREE NO. 9 OF JUL 9, 1954 PRESCRIBING HEALTH REGULATIONS FOR THE MEAT INDUSTRY." INT. DIG. OF HLTH. LEG., NO. 18.  
WORLD HEALTH ORGANIZATION, COMP. EPA  
ENGLISH 00/00/67 PGS 714 ID# 01706A

THIS DECREE AMENDS NO. 9 OF JUL 9, 1954 BY THE ADDITION OF A NEW CHAPTER (26) ON THE USE OF PESTICIDES, HORMONES, ANTIBIOTICS AND SULFONAMIDES EITHER FOR PROTECTION AGAINST DISEASE OR FOR THE FATTENING OF MEAT ANIMALS. ANOTHER NEW CHAPTER (27) SETS TOLERANCE LIMITS OF RESIDUES OF CHEMICAL PESTICIDES IN MEAT AND PRESCRIBES THE APPLICATION, DOSAGE LEVELS, AND LIMITATIONS ON THE USE OF A NUMBER OF CHEMICAL PESTICIDES REGISTERED BY THE US DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE. THE OFFICIAL TEXT OF THIS DECREE APPEARS IN LA GACETA, JUN 15, 1966, P. 2294-2296.

LRA/PESTICIDES

"AUG 24, 1954 DECREE 11 ON PEST CONTROL PRODUCTS." INT. DIG. OF HLTH. LEG., V.8  
WORLD HEALTH ORGANIZATION, COMP. EPA  
ENGLISH 00/00/57 PGS 362-365 ID# 01707A

THIS DECREE REQUIRES IMPORTERS AND MANUFACTURERS OF PESTICIDES (INSECTICIDES, FUNGICIDES, HERBICIDES, ETC.) AND OF VEGETABLE HORMONES USED IN AGRICULTURE TO REGISTER THEIR PRODUCTS WITH THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE AND LIVESTOCK. IT ALSO PRESCRIBES PROCEDURES RELATING TO IMPORTATION AND MANUFACTURE. THE DECREE COVERS THE INFORMATION REQUIRED FOR REGISTRATION: PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES OF THE PRODUCTS, ANALYSIS METHODS, RECOMMENDED USE, AND THE RISKS AND PRECAUTIONS. THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE AND LIVESTOCK, AFTER CONSULTATIONS WITH MINISTRY TECHNICAL PERSONNEL, IF THE PRODUCT IS APPROVED, THEN REGISTERS IT AND AUTHORIZES ITS SALE. THE DECREE PRESCRIBES DATA TO BE PLACED ON THE LABEL OF CONTAINERS HOLDING PESTICIDES. THE MINISTRY IS AUTHORIZED TO HAVE ESPECIALLY APPOINTED OFFICIALS INSPECT THE MARKETED PRODUCTS, TAKE SAMPLES, AND HAVE IMPROPERLY LABELED CONTAINERS REMOVED FROM THE MARKET. THE OFFICIAL TEXT OF THIS DECREE APPEARS IN LA GACETA, SEPTEMBER 14, 1954, P. 2659-2660.

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"SEP. 20, 1967 MINIST. RESOLUTION (PUBLIC HEALTH) NO. 335: SANITARY REGULATIONS ON IMPORTATION, TRANSPORT, STORAGE AND HANDLING OF PESTICIDES." INT. DIG. OF HLTH. LEGIS., V  
WORLD HEALTH ORGANIZATION, COMP. EPA  
ENGLISH 00/00/68 PGS 603-05 ID# 01710A

THIS GENERAL LEGISLATION ON THE USE OF PESTICIDES, WHICH REPEALS ALL CONFLICTING EARLIER LEGISLATION, INCLUDES PROVISIONS DEALING WITH THE FOLLOWING AREAS: COMPULSORY MEASURES FOR THE CONTROL OF DISEASE VECTORS; VECTOR CONTROL SERVICES; FACTORIES FOR PRODUCTS INTENDED FOR THE CONTROL OF INSECTS, RATS, AND MOLLUSKS; IMPORTATION OF PESTICIDES; TRANSPORT OF PESTICIDES; STORAGE; PACKING AND SUPPLY OF PESTICIDES FOR DOMESTIC USE; HEALTH AND SAFETY OF PERSONS HANDLING PESTICIDES; AERIAL SPRAYING; AND PENALTIES. INSTRUCTIONS REGULATING THE USE OF PESTICIDES IN CIRCUMSTANCES ENTAILING CONTAMINATION OF FOODSTUFFS ARE TO BE ISSUED JOINTLY BY THE MINISTRY OF PUBLIC HEALTH AND THE NATIONAL INSTITUTE OF AGRARIAN REFORM,. (THE ORIGINAL TEXT OF THIS RESOLUTION APPEARS IN GACETA OFICIAL DE LA REPUBLICA DE CUBA, OCT. 14, 1967, NO. 6, PP 55-61.)

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"MAY 22, 1968 LAW NO. 311 REGULATING . . . PRODUCTS FOR THE CONTROL OF ANIMAL AND PLANT PESTS, PESTICIDES, HERBICIDES AND SIMILAR PRODUCTS." FOOD & AGRICULTURAL LEG., V. 18.  
FOOD & AGRICULTURAL ORGANIZATION, UN, COMP. EPA  
ENGLISH 09/00/69 PGS 1-6 ID# 01705A

THIS LAW REGULATING THE MANUFACTURE, PROCESSING, PACKAGING, STORAGE, IMPORT AND DISTRIBUTION OF, AND ALL TRADE IN INSECTICIDES, PRODUCTS FOR THE CONTROL OF ANIMAL AND PLANT PESTS, PESTICIDES, HERBICIDES, AND SIMILAR PRODUCTS REQUIRES THAT EVERY PESTICIDE AND ITS CONSTITUENTS WHICH ARE TRANSPORTED, DISTRIBUTED OR DISPLAYED FOR SALE MUST COMPLY WITH THE PROVISIONS OF THIS ACT. SALE OF THESE PRODUCTS MAY BE AUTHORIZED ONLY BY THE STATE SECRETARIAT FOR AGRICULTURE. THE LAW COVERS LABELING AND PACKAGING OF THESE PRODUCTS AND THEIR REGISTRATION. IF IT IS DISCOVERED THAT SUBSTANCES EXIST WHICH HAVE A SATISFACTORY LEVEL OF ACTIVITY AND ARE LESS DANGEROUS THAN AN ALREADY REGISTERED PRODUCT, THE SECRETARIAT IS AUTHORIZED TO REQUIRE THAT THE MANUFACTURER OR IMPORTER MODIFY THE LATTER PRODUCT ACCORDINGLY. HEALTH AUTHORITIES ARE EMPOWERED TO CONDUCT INSPECTIONS TO INSURE COMPLIANCE. THE OFFICIAL TEXT APPEARS IN GACETA OFICIAL, JUNE 15, 1968, P. 3-11.

LRA/WATER

"OCT 15, 1969 ACT NO. 487 ON GROUNDWATER USE AND CONSERVATION CONTROL." FOOD & AGRICULTURAL LEGISLATION, V. 20.  
FOOD AND AGRICULTURAL ORGANIZATION, UN, COMP. BPA  
ENGLISH 06/00/71 PGS 48-54 ID# 01704A

THIS ACT, APPLYING TO ALL GROUNDWATER WITHIN THE COUNTRY, DEALS WITH THE CONSTRUCTION AND USE OF WELLS. PARAGRAPH 28 STATES THAT WITHIN 90 DAYS OF THE PROMULGATION OF THE ACT THE NATIONAL WATER RESOURCES INSTITUTE SHALL SUBMIT TO THE EXECUTIVE DRAFT REGULATIONS FOR APPLICATION OF THE ACT, WITH DUE CONSIDERATION BEING GIVEN TO THE TECHNICAL CONSTRUCTION OF DEEP WELLS AND TO THE MEASURES NECESSARY FOR THE PREVENTING OF POLLUTION OF GROUNDWATER BY CHEMICAL OR ORGANIC SUBSTANCES. THE OFFICIAL TEXT APPEARS IN GACETA OFICIAL, NOV. 1, 1969, P. 3.

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LRA/PESTICIDES

"JUL 11, 1968 ORDER TO APPROVE THE REGULATIONS ON AGRICULTURAL PESTICIDES."  
INT. DIG. OF HLTH. LEGIS., VOL. 20.  
WORLD HEALTH ORGANIZATION, COMP.  
ENGLISH 00/00/69 PGS 105-07 ID# 01709A EPA

THIS ORDER CONTAINS REGULATIONS APPLYING TO ALL ACTIVITIES CONNECTED WITH THE IMPORTATION, MANUFACTURE, PREPARATION, HANDLING, STORAGE, UTILIZATION, APPLICATION, SALE OF, AND TRADE IN AGRICULTURAL PESTICIDES AND CHEMICAL PRODUCTS OCCASIONALLY USED AS SUCH, AND THE PROTECTION OF THE HEALTH OF PERSONS LIABLE TO BE EXPOSED TO THEIR EFFECTS. INDIVIDUAL SECTIONS DEAL WITH: AUTHORIZATION AND REGISTRATION OF SUCH PRODUCTS; ANALYSIS OF PESTICIDES; LIMITATIONS ON PRODUCTION, IMPORTATION, ETC. OF PESTICIDES; MANUFACTURE, IMPORTATION, UTILIZATION OF, AND TRADE IN MACHINES AND EQUIPMENT USED FOR THE APPLICATION OF PESTICIDES; CONDITIONS TO BE SATISFIED BY PREMISES AND INSTALLATIONS OF ENTERPRISES WHICH UTILIZE, MANUFACTURE OR SUPPLY PESTICIDES; PRECAUTIONARY MEASURES AND OCCUPATIONAL HEALTH SAFETY; ADVERTISING OF PESTICIDES; AND PENALTIES. THE ORIGINAL SPANISH TEXT OF THIS ORDER APPEARS IN EL GUATEMALTECO, DIARIO OFICIAL, JULY 27, 1968, NO. 15, PP. 177-179.

LRA/WATER

"SEP 24, 1946 REGULATIONS RELATING TO IRRIGATION BY MEANS OF WASTEWATER."  
INT. DIG. OF HLTH LEG., V. 3.  
WORLD HEALTH ORGANIZATION, COMP.  
ENGLISH 00/00/52 PGS 168 ID# 01708A EPA

THESE REGULATIONS PROHIBIT IRRIGATION BY MEANS OF WASTEWATER IN URBAN DISTRICTS WHERE FRUIT AND VEGETABLES ARE GROWN AND CONSUMED WITHOUT FIRST BEING PEELED. AUTHORIZATION IS GRANTED FOR THE IRRIGATION OF GROUND ON WHICH CEREALS, FODDER PLANTS, ORNAMENTAL TREES AND FRUIT TREES ARE GROWN PROVIDED THAT THE IRRIGATION IS CONDUCTED BY ABSORPTION AND NOT BY SPRAYING. AUTHORIZATION IS, HOWEVER, NOT GRANTED FOR IRRIGATION DURING THE HARVESTING OF CROPS. THE OBLIGATION TO USE SAFETY EQUIPMENT IS CITED. THE SPANISH LANGUAGE ORIGINAL OF THESE REGULATIONS APPEARS IN SALUBRIDAD Y ASISTENCIA, JUN 1950, P. 84.

HONDURAS

LRA/GENERAL

"APR 22, 1969 ORDER NO. 470 HEALTH REGULATIONS FOR ENVIRONMENTAL IMPROVEMENT."  
FOOD AND AGRICULTURAL LEGISLATION, V. 20.

FOOD AND AGRICULTURAL ORGANIZATION, UN, COMP.

ENGLISH

06/00/71 PGS 101-106 ID# 01703A

EPA

WATER

SOLID WASTE AIR

THESE REGULATIONS VEST IN THE PUBLIC HEALTH DEPARTMENT, THROUGH THE ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION DIVISION, AUTHORITY TO MAKE RULES AND CONDUCT INSPECTIONS RELATING TO ENVIRONMENTAL IMPROVEMENT. AMONG THE RESPONSIBILITIES ASSIGNED TO THE DIVISION ARE: SANITARY CONTROL OF WATER FOR HUMAN CONSUMPTION, SEWAGE DISPOSAL SYSTEMS, DOMESTIC AND INDUSTRIAL WASTEWATERS, COLLECTION AND DISPOSAL OF SOLID WASTES, ENVIRONMENTAL CONDITIONS IN REGARD TO HOUSING AND COMMERCIAL AND INDUSTRIAL ESTABLISHMENTS, AIR POLLUTION AND OTHER HAZARDS, DEVELOPMENT OF URBAN AND RURAL CENTERS, AND INDUSTRIAL AND LABOR HYGIENE. SPECIFIC CHAPTERS AND TITLES DEAL WITH THOSE SPECIFIC AREAS OF RESPONSIBILITY. THESE REGULATIONS ARE ENFORCED BY HEALTH INSPECTORS. SANCTIONS ARE PROVIDED FOR VIOLATIONS. THE OFFICIAL TEXT APPEARS IN LA GACETA, NOS. 19.908-19-984, JAN 2227, 1970.



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LRA/AIR

"SEP 17, 1971 REGULATIONS FOR THE PREVENTION AND CONTROL OF AIR POLLUTION ARISING FROM THE EMISSION OF FUMES AND DUSTS." SALUD PUBLICA DE MEXICO, V. 13, NO. 5.

EPA

SPANISH

09/00/71 PGS 873-883 ID# 01645A

THESE REGULATIONS, ISSUED PURSUANT TO THE MARCH 11, 1971 FEDERAL LAW FOR THE PREVENTION AND CONTROL OF ENVIRONMENTAL POLLUTION, AUTHORIZE THE FEDERAL EXECUTIVE TO PROMULGATE OR SUBMIT TO THE LEGISLATURE APPROPRIATE FISCAL MEANS TO FACILITATE THE MANUFACTURE, ACQUISITION, AND INSTALLATION OF EQUIPMENT TO AVOID, CONTROL, OR ABATE AIR POLLUTION AND TO PROMOTE THE ESTABLISHMENT OF NEW INDUSTRIAL ZONES THROUGHOUT THE COUNTRY. THE REGULATIONS STIPULATE THAT SPECIAL ATTENTION BE PAID TO INCINERATORS, REFINERIES, POWER STATIONS, RAILROADS, MOTOR VEHICLES, FERTILIZER PLANTS, AND ASPHALT CONCRETE FACTORIES. CHAPTER II DEALS WITH THE EMISSION OF FUMES AND DUSTS; IT BANS CERTAIN EMISSIONS AND SETS STANDARDS FOR OTHERS. CHAPTER III REQUIRES THE SETTING UP OF EDUCATIONAL MEASURES. CHAPTER IV REQUIRES THAT THE SECRETARIAT OF HEALTH AND WELFARE ESTABLISH SAMPLING STATIONS AND CONDUCT INSPECTION OF POLLUTION SOURCES. A PARTIAL TRANSLATION OF THOSE REGULATIONS APPEARS IN THE INT. DIG. OF HEALTH V.23(1972).

LRA/AIR

"APR 6, 1972 NOTIFICATION (COMPANIES WHICH EMIT FUMES AND DUST IN THEIR OPERATION MUST PRESENT STUDIES)" DIARIO OFICIAL.

EPA

SPANISH

04/08/72 PGS 16-17 ID# 01645B

THIS NOTIFICATION BY THE SECRETARIAT OF HEALTH AND PUBLIC ASSISTANCE ESTABLISHES MAY 17, 1972, AS THE DATE WHEN INDUSTRIES AND ESTABLISHMENTS WHICH IN THEIR OPERATION EMIT FUMES AND DUST MUST PRESENT TO THE SECRETARIAT A STUDY ON THE CHARACTERISTICS OF THEIR COMPANY. THIS DATE IS THE SIX MONTH TERMINATION DATE FOR SUCH STUDIES, STIPULATED IN THE SECOND ARTICLE OF THE REGULATION FOR THE PREVENTION AND CONTROL OF ATMOSPHERIC POLLUTION ARISING FROM EMISSION OF DUST AND FUMES. INFORMATION TO BE INCLUDED IN SUCH STUDIES IS LISTED IN THIS NOTIFICATION.

LRA/AIR

"JUL 27, 1972 OFFICIAL STANDARD FOR THE SAMPLE METHOD TO DETERMINE THE APPARENT VISUAL DENSITY OF SMOKE USING THE RINGELMANN SMOKE CHART" DIARIO OFICIAL.

EPA

SPANISH

08/05/72 PGS 3-7 ID# 01733A

THIS OFFICIAL STANDARD BY THE SECRETARIAT OF INDUSTRY AND COMMERCE DESCRIBES THE METHOD OF DETERMINING THE APPARENT VISUAL DENSITY OF SMOKE USING THE RINGELMANN CHART. THIS METHOD IS APPLICABLE ONLY FOR SMOKE VARYING IN TONE FROM TRANSPARENT TO SHADES OF GREY TO BLACK. A BIBLIOGRAPHY AND FORMS FOR RECORDING AND CALCULATING SMOKE DENSITY ARE INCLUDED.

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LRA/AIR

"AUG. 12, 1972 RESOLUTION PROVIDING SUBSIDIES TO NATIONAL INDUSTRIES FOR IMPORTING EQUIPMENT TO CONTROL POLLUTION CAUSED BY FUMES AND DUST" DIARIO OFICIAL.

EPA

SPANISH

08/14/72 PGS 4

ID# 01734A

THIS RESOLUTION BY THE SECRETARIAT OF FINANCE AND CREDIT SUBSIDIZES NATIONAL INDUSTRIES FOR THE IMPORTATION OF EQUIPMENT AND ATTACHMENTS TO CONTROL POLLUTION CAUSED BY THE EMISSION OF FUMES AND DUST. THE SECRETARIAT OF FINANCE AND CREDIT WILL GRANT SUBSIDIES TO NATIONAL INDUSTRIES WHICH IMPORT SUCH EQUIPMENT DIRECTLY ACCORDING TO THE TOTAL SPECIFIED QUOTAS AND AD-VALOREM OF THE GENERAL IMPORTATION TAX. THE SECRETARIAT OF INDUSTRY AND COMMERCE WILL GRANT IMPORTATION PERMITS IF THE MERCHANDISE BEING IMPORTED IS NOT MANUFACTURED LOCALLY AT A SIMILAR QUALITY OR PRICE OR DOES NOT HAVE THE SAME DELIVERY TIME. THE SECRETARIAT OF HEALTH AND ASSISTANCE WILL BE RESPONSIBLE FOR VERIFYING THE INSTALLATION OF THE EQUIPMENT OF WHICH THE IMPORTATION IS SUBSIDIZED.

LRA/AIR

"JAN 13, 1972 INSTRUCTIVE DESCRIBING THE CHARACTERISTICS, USE, AND INTERPRETATION OF THE RINGELMANN SMOKE CHART" DIARIO OFICIAL.

EPA

SPANISH

03/25/72 PGS 10-12

ID# 01746A

THIS INSTRUCTIVE BY THE SECRETARIAT OF HEALTH AND PUBLIC ASSISTANCE SERVES TO EVALUATE SMOKE EMISSIONS AND RESCINDS ARTICLES 10, 11, 12, 14, AND 15 OF THE REGULATIONS FOR THE PREVENTION AND CONTROL OF AIR POLLUTION ARISING FROM THE EMISSION OF FUMES AND DUST. THIS INSTRUCTIVE EXPLAINS HOW TO CONSTRUCT AND USE A RINGELMANN SMOKE CHART AND CONTAINS A SAMPLE CHART. AN EXPLANATION OF HOW TO MEASURE THE DENSITY OF DIFFERENT COLORED SMOKE IS INCLUDED.

LRA/GENERAL

"MAR 11, 1971 FEDERAL LAW FOR THE PREVENTION AND CONTROL OF ENVIRONMENTAL POLLUTION." DIARIO OFICIAL, NO. 2.

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SPANISH

03/23/71 PGS 8-11

ID# 01644A

AIR

WATER

THIS LAW GOVERNS THE PREVENTION AND CONTROL OF POLLUTION AND THE IMPROVEMENTS, CONSERVATION, AND RESTORATION OF THE ENVIRONMENT IN THE PUBLIC INTEREST. THE LAW STIPULATES THAT ALL POLLUTANTS AND CAUSES OF POLLUTION, WHATEVER THEIR SOURCE, WHICH ARE DIRECTLY OR INDIRECTLY CAPABLE OF PRODUCING POLLUTION OR THE DEBASEMENT OF ECOLOGICAL SYSTEMS ARE SUBJECT TO PREVENTIVE, REGULATORY, AND PROHIBITORY MEASURES BY THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT. RESPONSIBILITY FOR THE IMPLEMENTATION OF THIS LAW AND REGULATIONS ISSUED PURSUANT TO IT RESTS WITH THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT ACTING THROUGH THE INTERMEDIARY OF THE SECRETARIAT FOR HEALTH AND WELFARE. CHAPTER II OF THE LAW DEALS WITH THE PREVENTION AND CONTROL OF AIR POLLUTION (INCLUDING NATURAL, ARTIFICIAL, FIXED, MOBILE, AND OTHER SOURCES). CHAPTER III DEALS WITH THE PREVENTION AND CONTROL OF WATER POLLUTIONS AND CHAPTER IV DEALS WITH THE PREVENTION AND CONTROL OF SOIL POLLUTION. AN ENGLISH-LANGUAGE TRANSLATION APPEARS IN INT. D. OF HLTH LEG V.23(1972).

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"JUL 10, 1972 RESOLUTION ESTABLISHING A BASIS FOR THE MANUFACTURE OF EQUIPMENT  
AND ATTACHMENTS FOR PREVENTING AND CONTROLLING ENVIRONMENTAL POLLUTION" DIARIO OFICIAL DE MEXICO.  
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SPANISH

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THIS RESOLUTION BY THE SECRETARY OF INDUSTRY AND COMMERCE ESTABLISHES THE BASIS FOR THE  
MANUFACTURE OF EQUIPMENT AND ATTACHMENTS FOR PREVENTING AND CONTROLLING ENVIRONMENTAL  
POLLUTION. THE GENERAL DIRECTOR OF INDUSTRY IS RESPONSIBLE FOR ORIENTING THOSE PERSONS  
INTERESTED IN MANUFACTURING SUCH EQUIPMENT. THOSE INTERESTED MUST SUBMIT THEIR MANUFACTURING  
PROPOSALS TO THE GENERAL DIRECTOR FOR APPROVAL. THE REQUISITES FOR SUCH APPROVED ARE STATED IN  
THIS PROPOSAL. THE RESULT OF THIS RESOLUTION WILL BE TO ENCOURAGE THE MANUFACTURE OF  
ENVIRONMENTAL CONTROL DEVICES, THUS AVOIDING IMPORTATION. FURTHER ECONOMIC ADVANTAGES WILL BE  
TO CREATE EMPLOYMENT, TO TAKE ADVANTAGE OF REGIONAL RESOURCES, AND TO DEVELOP THE NATIONAL  
TECHNOLOGY AND POSSIBILITIES OF EXPORTATION.

LRA/PESTICIDES

"APR 29, 1968 ORDER . . . . ESTABLISHING SANITARY RULES GOVERNING THE IMPORTATION  
. . . AND UTILIZATION . . . OF PESTICIDES." INT. DIG. OF HLTH. LEG., V. 21.  
WORLD HEALTH ORGANIZATION, COMP. EPA

ENGLISH

00/00/70 PGS 126-131 ID# 01646A

THIS ORDER GOVERNING THE IMPORTATION, MANUFACTURE, TRANSPORT, AND UTILIZATION OF AND TRADE  
IN PESTICIDES WAS ISSUED BY THE SECRETARY OF HEALTH AND WELFARE. IT REQUIRES, AMONG OTHER  
THINGS, THAT PERSONS OR CORPORATIONS ENGAGED IN THE ABOVE ACTIVITIES REGISTER WITH COMPETENT  
HEALTH AUTHORITIES. IT ALSO REQUIRES THAT FARMERS AND STOCK-BREEDERS SUBMIT A STATEMENT ON  
THE INTENDED USES OF PESTICIDES THAT THEY ACQUIRE. OTHER PROVISIONS DEAL WITH THE  
TRANSPORTATION, STORAGE, PACKAGING AND LABELING OF PESTICIDES AND THE MAINTENANCE OF REGISTERS  
INDICATING DISPOSITION BY PESTICIDE DISTRIBUTORS. THE ORDER ALSO LISTS THE NAMES OF PESTICIDES  
THAT ARE SUBJECT TO CONTROL AND SURVEILLANCE OF HEALTH AUTHORITIES AND TO THE PROVISIONS OF  
THIS ORDER. THE SPANISH-LANGUAGE ORIGINAL OF THIS ORDER APPEARS IN DIARIO OFICIAL, JUL 9,  
1968, NO. 8, P. 6-9.

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LRA/PESTICIDES

"JUL 14, 1972 OFFICIAL STANDARD FOR THE STORAGE AND TRANSPORT OF PESTICIDES."  
DIARIO OFICIAL.

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ID# 01647A

THIS STANDARD ISSUED BY THE DIRECTOR GENERAL OF STANDARDS OF THE SECRETARIAT FOR INDUSTRY AND COMMERCE ESTABLISHES CONDITIONS AND PRECAUTIONS TO BE OBSERVED IN THE STORAGE AND TRANSPORT OF PESTICIDES AND IS APPLICABLE TO PESTICIDES IN AGRICULTURAL, CATTLE-RAISING, AND DOMESTIC USE.

LRA/PESTICIDES

"JUL 14, 1972 OFFICIAL STANDARD FOR THE TOXICOLOGICAL CLASSIFICATION OF PESTICIDES." DIARIO OFICIAL.

SPANISH

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THIS STANDARD ISSUED BY THE DIRECTOR GENERAL OF THE SECRETARIAT FOR INDUSTRY AND COMMERCE CLASSIFIES PESTICIDES ACCORDING TO THEIR TOXICITY. THE STANDARD DEFINES TOXICITY AND SETS MAXIMUM LEVELS OF PERMISSIBLE TOXICITY FOR MAN WITHIN FOUR CATEGORIES; HIGHLY TOXIC, VERY TOXIC, MODERATELY TOXIC, AND SLIGHTLY TOXIC.

LRA/RADIATION

"DEC 30, 1971 ACT (TO ESTABLISH A NATIONAL INSTITUTE OF NUCLEAR ENERGY)."  
NUCLEAR LAW BULLETIN, NO. 11.  
OECD NUCLEAR ENERGY AGENCY, COMP.  
ENGLISH

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THIS ACT SETS UP A NATIONAL INSTITUTE FOR NUCLEAR ENERGY IN THE FORM OF A FEDERAL AGENCY AND REPEALS THE DEC. 19, 1955 ACT THAT HAD ESTABLISHED A NATIONAL NUCLEAR ENERGY COMMISSION. AMONG THE RESPONSIBILITIES OF THE NEW INSTITUTE ARE: COORDINATION AND CENTRALIZATION OF NUCLEAR ACTIVITIES, PREPARATION OF REGULATIONS APPLICABLE TO NUCLEAR ACTIVITIES, AND COOPERATION WITH OTHER COMPETENT NATIONAL BODIES AND INTERNATIONAL ORGANIZATIONS. THE INSTITUTE HAS EXCLUSIVE RIGHT OVER THE IMPORTATION AND EXPORTATION OF RADIOACTIVE ORES AND NUCLEAR FUELS AND AUTHORITY FOR ISSUING LICENSES FOR THE PRODUCTION AND UTILIZATION OF RADIOACTIVE MATERIALS AND FOR THE CONSTRUCTION AND OPERATION OF NUCLEAR REACTORS. THE ACT MAKES RADIOACTIVE ORE DEPOSITS NATURAL RESOURCES, THE EXPLOITATION OF WHICH IS RESERVED TO THE STATE. THE INSTITUTE IS TO BE ADMINISTERED BY A BOARD OF DIRECTORS AND A GENERAL DIRECTOR APPOINTED BY THE PRESIDENT OF MEXICO. THE OFFICIAL TEXT OF THIS ACT APPEARS IN DIARIO OFICIAL, JAN. 12, 1972.

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LRA/WATER

"APR 17, 1953 FEDERAL REGULATIONS FOR DRINKING-WATER SUPPLY WORKS." INT. DIG.  
OF HLTH. LES., V. 6.  
WORLD HEALTH ORGANIZATION, COMP.  
ENGLISH 00/00/55 PGS 264 EPA  
ID# 01649A

THESE REGULATIONS, APPLICABLE TO ALL WATERS INTENDED FOR PUBLIC OR DOMESTIC USE, WHETHER NATIONAL OR PRIVATE, DEAL WITH THE SURVEY, STUDY, PLANNING, CONSTRUCTION, AND OPERATION OF POTABLE WATER SUPPLY WORKS. THESE REGULATIONS SPECIFY THE PHYSICAL, CHEMICAL, AND BACTERIOLOGICAL PROPERTIES FOR DRINKING WATER. THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND PUBLIC ASSISTANCE SHALL REQUIRE WATER SUPPLY WORKS ALREADY IN EXISTENCE TO GUARANTEE THE POTABILITY OF WATER DISTRIBUTED. THAT DEPARTMENT AND THE DEPARTMENT OF HYDRAULIC RESOURCES ARE JOINTLY RESPONSIBLE FOR SETTING REQUIREMENTS TO BE MET BY PROPOSED POTABLE-WATER WORKS. FURTHER, THE REGULATIONS REQUIRE THAT ALL SOURCES OF POTABLE WATER SUPPLY HAVE A WELL DEFINED PROTECTION ZONE, WITHIN WHICH CERTAIN POLLUTING ESTABLISHMENTS ARE BANNED. PERSONS OR CORPORATE BODIES WHO CONTAMINATE SOURCES OF WATER SUPPLY OR THEIR DISTRIBUTION NETWORKS OR WHO ALTER OR INTERFERE WITH THE CHEMICAL COMPOSITION OF SUCH WATERS ARE SUBJECT TO PUNISHMENT.

LRA/WATER

"MAR 28, 1973 REGULATIONS FOR THE PREVENTION AND CONTROL OF WATER POLLUTION."  
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SPANISH 03/29/73 PGS 5-13 EPA  
ID# 01650A

THESE REGULATIONS, ISSUED IN PURSUANCE OF THE MARCH 11, 1973 FEDERAL LAW FOR THE PREVENTION AND CONTROL OF ENVIRONMENTAL POLLUTION, DEAL WITH THE PREVENTION AND CONTROL OF WATER POLLUTION. THE ENFORCEMENT OF THE REGULATIONS IS ASSIGNED TO THE FEDERAL EXECUTIVE THROUGH THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND WELFARE IN COORDINATION WITH THE MINISTRY OF HYDRAULIC RESOURCES. CHAPTER II OF THESE REGULATIONS CITES PROCEDURES TO BE CARRIED OUT TO PRESERVE AND RESTORE THE QUALITY OF WATER RECEIVING BODIES. CHAPTER III DEALS WITH ORIENTATION AND EDUCATIONAL MEASURES; CHAPTER IV, WITH MONITORING AND INSPECTION; CHAPTER V, WITH PENALTIES; CHAPTER VI, WITH PROCEDURES FOR THE ENFORCEMENT OF PENALTIES; AND THE REMAINING CHAPTERS, WITH ADMINISTRATIVE RECOURSE IN CASES OF NON-CONFORMITY, DENOUNCEMENTS BY THIRD PARTIES, AND DEFINITIONS. INCLUDED ARE TABLES ON DISCHARGE CONSTITUENTS, WATER BODY CLASSIFICATIONS, AND MAXIMUM PERMISSIBLE VALUES OF TOXIC SUBSTANCES.

TRINIDAD AND TOBAGO

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LRA/WATER

"AUG 19, 1955 WATER AND SEWERAGE ACT." INT. DIS. OF HLTH. LEGIS., V. 2L.  
WORLD HEALTH ORGANIZATION, COMP. EPA  
ENGLISH 00/00/70 PGS 204-05 ID# 01711A

THIS ACT ESTABLISHES THE WATER AND SEWERAGE AUTHORITY, WHICH IS EMPOWERED, INTER ALIA, TO MAKE BYLAWS FOR PREVENTING THE CONTAMINATION OF WATER SUPPLIED BY IT OR BY WATER PURVEYORS, AS WELL AS TO ESTABLISH PROTECTION AREAS IN WHICH CERTAIN ACTIVITIES HARMFUL TO SURFACE WATERS OR GROUNDWATER MAY BE PROHIBITED OR REGULATED. THE ACT ALSO MAKES IT AN OFFENSE TO CAUSE THE POLLUTION OF ANY WATER SOURCE USED DIRECTLY OR INDIRECTLY FOR HUMAN CONSUMPTION. THE AUTHORITY IS FURTHER CHARGED WITH ENSURING THAT PREMISES IN SEWERAGE AREAS CONTAIN WATER CLOSETS AND THAT EVERY WATER CLOSET, SINK, OR OTHER SEWAGE-DISCHARGING RECEPTACLE IS CONNECTED WITH THE SEWERAGE SYSTEM. SCHEDULES APPENDED TO THE ACT CONTAIN AMENDMENTS TO THOSE SECTIONS OF THE PUBLIC HEALTH ORDINANCE DEALING WITH WATER AND SEWERAGE. (THE ORIGINAL TEXT OF THIS ACT APPEARS IN THE ACTS OF TRINIDAD AND TOBAGO, 1965, PP. 151-271.)

UNITED STATES

LRA/AIR

THE CLEAN AIR ACT, 42 U.S.C. 1857-1857E. CURRENT LAWS, STATUTES AND EXECUTIVE ORDERS, V. 1.

U.S. ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY, COMP.

ENGLISH

EPA

01/00/72 PGS 1-42

ID# 00477A

CITED SECTIONS ARE DESIGNED TO PROTECT & ENHANCE AIR RESOURCES TO PROMOTE THE HEALTH, WELFARE & PRODUCTIVE CAPACITY OF THE POPULATION; TO INITIATE & ACCELERATE A NATIONAL R&D PROGRAM FOR THE PREVENTION & CONTROL OF AIR POLLUTION; TO PROVIDE TECHNICAL & FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE TO STATE & LOCAL GOVERNMENTS; AND TO ENCOURAGE REGIONAL PROGRAMS. THE SECTIONS COVER: COOPERATIVE ACTIONS; RESEARCH & TRAINING ACTIVITIES; GRANTS FOR PLANNING & CONTROL PROGRAMS; INTERSTATE AIR QUALITY AGENCIES & CONTROL REGIONS; AIR QUALITY CRITERIA & CONTROL TECHNIQUES; AMBIENT AIR QUALITY STANDARDS & THEIR PROMULGATION; STATE IMPLEMENTATION OF NATIONAL PRIMARY & SECONDARY AMBIENT AIR QUALITY STANDARDS; STANDARDS OF PERFORMANCE BY NEW STATIONARY SOURCES; NATIONAL EMISSION STANDARDS FOR HAZARDOUS AIR POLLUTANTS; FEDERAL ENFORCEMENT PROCEDURES; RECORDING, INSPECTIONS, MONITORING & ENTRY; ABATEMENT OF AIR POLLUTION; STANDARDS TO ATTAIN A HIGHER LEVEL OF AIR QUALITY; & THE AIR QUALITY ADVISORY BOARD & ADVISORY COMMITTEES.

LRA/GENERAL

ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY IMPROVEMENT ACT OF 1970, 42 U.S.C. 4271-4374. CURRENT LAWS, STATUTES AND EXECUTIVE ORDERS, V. 1.

U.S. ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY, COMP.

ENGLISH

EPA

01/00/72 PGS 1-3

ID# 00471A

THIS ACT SEEKS TO ASSURE THAT EACH FEDERAL DEPARTMENT AND AGENCY CONDUCTING OR SUPPORTING PUBLIC WORKS ACTIVITIES WHICH AFFECT THE ENVIRONMENT SHALL IMPLEMENT POLICIES ALREADY ESTABLISHED BY LAW AND AUTHORIZES AN OFFICE OF ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY WHICH, ASIDE FROM OTHER PROVISIONS OF LAW, SHALL PROVIDE THE PROFESSIONAL AND ADMINISTRATIVE STAFF FOR THE COUNCIL OF ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY. ITS PROVISIONS COVER THE COMPENSATION OF THE DEPUTY DIRECTOR AND THE EMPLOYMENT AND PAY OF SUCH OFFICERS, EMPLOYEES, EXPERTS AND CONSULTANTS AS ARE REQUIRED; SPECIFIES THE DUTIES AND FUNCTIONS OF THE DIRECTOR; AUTHORIZES THE LATTER TO CONTRACT WITH PUBLIC AND PRIVATE AGENCIES; DIRECTS THE REFERRAL OF ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY REPORTS TO THE COMPETENT STANDING COMMITTEES; AND AUTHORIZES APPROPRIATIONS THROUGH FISCAL YEAR 1973.

UNITED STATES

LRA/GENERAL

NATIONAL ENVIRONMENTAL POLICY ACT OF 1969, 42 U.S.C. 4321 ET SEQ. CURRENT LAWS,  
STATUTES AND EXECUTIVE ORDERS, V. 1.  
U.S. ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY, COMP.  
ENGLISH 01/00/72 PGS 1-7 EPA ID# 00476A  
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THIS ACT SETS FORTH A POLICY DESIGNED TO ENCOURAGE PRODUCTIVE AND ENJOYABLE HARMONY BETWEEN MAN AND HIS ENVIRONMENT; PROMOTE EFFORTS TO PREVENT OR ELIMINATE DAMAGE TO THE ENVIRONMENT AND THE BIOSPHERE AND TO STIMULATE THE HEALTH AND WELFARE OF MAN; TO ENRICH THE UNDERSTANDING OF THE ECOLOGICAL SYSTEMS AND NATURAL RESOURCES IMPORTANT TO THE NATION; AND TO ESTABLISH A COUNCIL ON ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY. THE ACT PROVIDES FOR INTERAGENCY COOPERATION, ACCESSIBILITY OF INFORMATION, AND THE MAXIMIZATION OF INTERNATIONAL COLLABORATION. IT CALLS FOR AN ANNUAL REPORT BY THE PRESIDENT TO CONGRESS ON THE STATE OF THE ENVIRONMENT.

LRA/NOISE

NOISE CONTROL ACT OF 1972, 42 U.S.C. 4901 ET SEQ. PUBLIC LAW 92-575, 92ND CONGRESS, H.R. 11021.

ENGLISH 10/27/72 PGS 1-17 EPA ID# 00467A

THIS ACT SEEKS TO ABATE NOISE EMISSION BY ESTABLISHING A MEANS FOR EFFECTIVE COORDINATION OF FEDERAL RESEARCH AND ACTIVITIES, BY AUTHORIZING THE ESTABLISHMENT OF FEDERAL NOISE EMISSION STANDARDS FOR PRODUCTS DISTRIBUTED IN COMMERCE AND BY PROVIDING INFORMATION TO THE PUBLIC ON NOISE-EMISSION AND NOISE-REDUCTION CHARACTERISTICS OF SUCH PRODUCTS. THE LAW REQUIRES STANDARDS TO BE SET FOR PRODUCTS IN THE NATURE OF CONSTRUCTION AND TRANSPORTATION EQUIPMENT (EXCEPT AIRCRAFT), MOTORS AND ENGINES, AND ELECTRICAL AND ELECTRONIC EQUIPMENT. IT GIVES EPA THE AUTHORITY TO REQUIRE THE LABELING OF CONSUMER PRODUCTS AS TO THEIR NOISE-GENERATION AND ABATEMENT FEATURES. THE LAW DIRECTS ALL FEDERAL AGENCIES TO INSURE THAT THEIR PURCHASING AND OPERATING PROCEDURES CONFORM TO THE ACT'S PROVISIONS.

LRA/PESTICIDES

FEDERAL ENVIRONMENTAL PESTICIDE CONTROL ACT OF 1972, 7 U.S.C. 136-1364. PUBLIC LAW 95-516, 92ND CONGRESS, H.R. 10729.

ENGLISH 10/21/72 PGS 1-27 EPA ID# 00469A

THIS ACT EXTENDS FEDERAL CONTROLS TO THE ACTUAL APPLICATION OF PESTICIDES BY THE USER BY REGULATING BOTH INTRASTATE AND INTERSTATE MARKETING OF PESTICIDE PRODUCTS, THUS COMPLETELY REVISING THE EARLIER FEDERAL INSECTICIDE, FUNGICIDE AND RODENTICIDE ACT. THE MAJOR PROVISIONS OF THE NEW ACT ARE TO PROHIBIT THE USE OF ANY REGISTERED PESTICIDE IN A MANNER INCONSISTENT WITH LABELING INSTRUCTIONS, TO CLASSIFY PESTICIDES FOR GENERAL OR RESTRICTED USE, TO REQUIRE CERTIFICATION OF PESTICIDE APPLICATORS IN THE USE OF RESTRICTED PESTICIDES, TO PROVIDE PENALTIES FOR VIOLATION, TO AUTHORIZE THE EPA ADMINISTRATOR TO ISSUE A "STOP SALE, USE AND REMOVAL" ORDER IN EVENT OF APPARENT VIOLATION, TO RENDER FEDERAL ASSISTANCE TO THE STATES TO ENFORCE THE LAW AND DEVELOP AN APPLICATOR CERTIFICATION PROGRAM AND TO ALLOW EPA TO ISSUE EXPERIMENTAL USE PERMITS.



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LRA/RADIATION

THE ATOMIC ENERGY ACT AS AMENDED. CURRENT LAWS, STATUTES AND EXECUTIVE ORDERS.  
U.S. ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY, COMP. EPA  
ENGLISH 01/00/72 PGS 1-35 ID# 00475A

CITED SECTIONS OF THIS ACT PROVIDE FOR A PROGRAM TO ENCOURAGE WIDESPREAD PARTICIPATION IN THE DEVELOPMENT AND UTILIZATION OF ATOMIC ENERGY FOR PEACEFUL PURPOSES TO THE MAXIMUM EXTENT CONSISTENT WITH THE COMMON DEFENSE AND SECURITY AND WITH THE HEALTH AND SAFETY OF THE PUBLIC. THE CITED PROVISIONS DEAL WITH COOPERATION WITH THE STATES; RESEARCH ASSISTANCE IN SPECIFIED FIELDS; CRITERIA AND CONDITIONS FOR OBTAINING LICENSES TO TRANSPORT AND ACQUIRE NUCLEAR MATERIALS; FOREIGN DISTRIBUTION OF BYPRODUCTS AND COOPERATION WITH OTHER NATIONS; UTILIZATION AND PRODUCTION FACILITIES FOR INDUSTRIAL AND COMMERCIAL PURPOSES; COMMERCIAL, MEDICAL AND R&D LICENSING; EXPORT LICENSES AND PREREQUISITES FOR COOPERATION WITH OTHER NATIONS; THE GENERAL DUTIES OF THE COMMISSION; AND WITH INDEMNIFICATION AND THE LIMITATION OF LIABILITY.

LRA/SOLID WASTE

SOLID WASTE DISPOSAL ACT, 42 U.S.C. 3251 ET SEQ. CURRENT LAWS, STATUTES AND EXECUTIVE ORDERS, V. 2.  
U.S. ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY, COMP. EPA  
ENGLISH 01/00/72 PGS 1-16 ID# 00472A

THE PROVISIONS OF THIS ACT ARE DESIGNED TO PROMOTE THE DEMONSTRATION, CONSTRUCTION, AND APPLICATION OF SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT AND RESOURCE RECOVERY SYSTEMS; TO PROVIDE TECHNICAL AND FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE TO STATES AND LOCAL GOVERNMENTS AND TO INTERSTATE AGENCIES IN THE PLANNING AND DEVELOPMENT OF RESOURCE RECOVERY AND SOLID WASTE DISPOSAL PROGRAMS; TO PROMOTE A NATIONAL R&D PROGRAM FOR IMPROVED MANAGEMENT TECHNIQUES AND BETTER METHODS OF COLLECTION, SEPARATION, RECOVERY AND RECYCLING OF SOLID WASTE AND THE ENVIRONMENTALLY SAFE DISPOSAL OF NONRECOVERABLE RESIDUES; TO PROVIDE FOR THE PROMULGATION OF GUIDELINES FOR SOLID WASTE COLLECTION, TRANSPORTATION, SEPARATION, RECOVERY AND DISPOSAL SYSTEMS; AND TO PROVIDE FOR TRAINING GRANTS IN OCCUPATIONS INVOLVING THE DESIGN, OPERATION AND MANUFACTURE AND MAINTENANCE OF SOLID WASTE DISPOSAL SYSTEMS.

LRA/WATER

FEDERAL WATER POLLUTION CONTROL ACT AMENDMENTS OF 1972. PUBLIC LAW 92-500,  
92ND CONGRESS S 2770.

ENGLISH 10/18/72 PGS 1-89 ID# 00468A

THE LAW PROCLAIMS TWO GENERAL GOALS: TO ATTAIN WHEREVER POSSIBLE BY 1983 WATER CLEAN ENOUGH FOR RECREATIONAL USE & FOR THE PROTECTION & PROPAGATION OF FISH & WILDLIFE & BY 1985 TO HAVE NO DISCHARGES OF POLLUTANTS INTO THE NATION'S WATERS. THE LAW EXTENDS FEDERAL POLLUTION CONTROL PROGRAMS TO ALL U.S. WATERS & AUTHORIZES THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT TO SEEK COURT INJUNCTIONS AGAINST POLLUTERS WHEN WATER POLLUTION BECOMES AN IMMINENT DANGER TO HEALTH OR LIVELIHOOD. FURTHER, THE LAW SETS DEADLINES FOR ACTIONS TO CONTROL WATER POLLUTION FROM INDUSTRIAL SOURCES, PROVIDES FOR MORE FEDERAL AID TO LOCAL GOVERNMENTS, & SETS STRICTER CONTROL MEASURES. IT CONTINUES & EXTENDS THE WATER-QUALITY STANDARDS PROGRAM SET UP UNDER EARLIER LEGISLATION. A NEW SYSTEM OF PERMITS FOR DISCHARGES OF POLLUTANTS INTO THE NATION'S WATERS IS ESTABLISHED. ELIMINATING AN EARLIER SYSTEM OF HEARINGS & CONFERENCES TO COMPEL COMPLIANCE, THE NEW LAW HAS STRINGENT ENFORCEMENT MACHINERY, WITH HEAVY PENALTIES FOR VIOLATION.

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LRA/WATER

MARINE PROTECTION, RESEARCH AND SANCTUARIES ACT OF 1972 (OCEAN DUMPING).  
PUBLIC LAW 92-532, 92ND CONGRESS, H.R. 9727.

ENGLISH  
RADIATION

10/23/72 PGS 1-12

EPA  
ID# 00470A

THIS ACT REGULATES THE TRANSPORTATION OF MATERIAL FROM THE UNITED STATES FOR DUMPING INTO OCEAN WATERS OR MATERIAL FROM OUTSIDE THE UNITED STATES IF THE DUMPING OCCURS IN OCEAN WATERS OVER WHICH THE UNITED STATES EXERCISES JURISDICTION. THE LAW THUS PROHIBITS THE UNAUTHORIZED DUMPING OF RADIOLOGICAL, CHEMICAL OR BIOLOGICAL WAR AGENTS AND HIGH-LEVEL RADIOACTIVE WASTES. WITH THE EXCEPTION OF FISH WATERS, PERMITS ARE REQUIRED FOR TRANSPORTING AND DUMPING MATERIALS. THE EPA ADMINISTRATOR MAY DESIGNATE DUMPING SITES, TO BE LOCATED WHERE POSSIBLE BEYOND THE CONTINENTAL SHELF. THE ACT ASSIGNS TO THE SECRETARY OF COMMERCE A PROGRAM OF BASIC RESEARCH AIMED AT ENDING ALL DUMPING WITHIN FIVE YEARS. HE IS ALSO AUTHORIZED TO DESIGNATE AS MARINE SANCTUARIES THOSE AREAS THAT SHOULD BE PRESERVED OR RESTORED FOR THEIR CONSERVATION, RECREATIONAL, ECOLOGICAL OR ESTHETIC VALUES.

LRA/WATER

RIVERS AND HARBORS ACT OF 1899, 33 U.S.C. 403, 407, 411. CURRENT LAWS,  
STATUTES AND EXECUTIVE ORDERS, V. 2.

U.S. ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY, COMP.

ENGLISH

01/00/72 PGS 1-2

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ID# 00473A

THIS ACT BANS THE OBSTRUCTION OF U.S. NAVIGABLE WATERS BY CONSTRUCTION, EXCAVATION OR FILLING ACTIVITIES UNLESS THE ACTIVITY HAS BEEN RECOMMENDED BY THE CHIEF OF ENGINEERS AND AUTHORIZED BY THE SECRETARY OF THE ARMY. IT FURTHER BANS THE DEPOSIT OF REFUSE IN THESE WATERS, OR ON THEIR BANKS OR ON THOSE OF THEIR TRIBUTARIES SHOULD THE REFUSE BE LIKELY TO BE WASHED INTO THE NAVIGABLE WATERS, UNLESS AUTHORIZED BY THE SECRETARY OF THE ARMY. PENALTIES ARE PROVIDED FOR THE WRONGFUL DEPOSIT OF REFUSE, ABUSE OF OR DAMAGE TO HARBOR IMPROVEMENTS, AND FOR THE OBSTRUCTION OF NAVIGABLE WATERS GENERALLY.

LRA/WATER

POLLUTION OF THE SEA BY OIL ACT, 33 U.S.C. 1001-1015. CURRENT LAWS, STATUTES  
AND EXECUTIVE ORDERS, V. 2.

U.S. ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY, COMP.

ENGLISH

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THIS ACT PROHIBITS THE DISCHARGE OF OIL OR OILY MIXTURES FROM TANKERS, SHIPS OR VESSELS OVER 20,000 TONS GROSS TONNAGE TO BE CONSTRUCTED AFTER THE EFFECTIVE DATE OF THIS LAW, INTO A PROHIBITED ZONE. ALL SEA AREAS WITHIN 50 MILES FROM THE NEAREST LAND ARE CONSIDERED TO BE PROHIBITED ZONES. EXCEPTED CIRCUMSTANCES INCLUDE: ACTIONS TO SECURE THE SAFETY OF THE SHIP, PREVENT DAMAGE TO SHIP OR CARGO; TO SAVE LIVES; UNAVOIDABLE LEAKAGE, OR THE OUTFLOW OF RESIDUE FROM PURIFICATION OR CLARIFICATION. EXCEPTED DISCHARGES INCLUDE THOSE, FROM THE BILGES OF A SHIP, CONSTITUTING AN OILY MIXTURE CONTAINING NO OIL OTHER THAN LUBRICATING OIL WHICH HAS DRAINED OR LEAKED FROM MACHINERY SPACES. OTHER PROVISIONS DEAL WITH PENALTIES FOR VIOLATION, LIABILITY OF VESSELS, SUSPENSION OR REVOCATION OF LICENSES OF OFFICERS OF OFFENDING VESSELS, ENFORCEMENT PERSONNEL, AND THE MAINTENANCE OF THE OIL RECORD BOOK.