

Overview of Incorporations by Reference for the DEQ Hazardous Waste Program - Docket No. 58-0105-2401, IDAPA 58.01.05

Required by Idaho Code § 67-5223(4)

Rulemaking Docket No. 58-0105-2401 describes incorporation by reference of final federal hazardous waste regulations promulgated with effective dates through June 30, 2024.

Incorporation by reference of federal hazardous waste regulations is a routine procedure that DEQ performs annually to: 1) satisfy the consistency and stringency requirements of the Hazardous Waste Management Act (HWMA – Idaho Code § 39-4404); 2) meet the legislative intent to avoid the existence of duplicative, overlapping or conflicting state and federal regulatory systems; and 3) provide for DEQ to maintain primacy and authorization to operate the federal Resource Conservation and Recovery Act (RCRA) program in lieu of EPA.

This proposed rule is neither broader in scope nor more stringent than federal regulations and does not regulate an activity that is not regulated by the federal government.

The following table summarizes the Code of Federal Regulations sections the DEQ Hazardous Waste Program incorporates by reference. References are listed in the order listed in IDAPA 58.01.05, Rules and Standards for Hazardous Waste. Excluded provisions are specifically identified in the rules.

40 CFR Part	Title	Changes During Past Year?	Impact on Idaho
124	Procedures for Decision Making (State Procurement for RCRA or HMWA Permit Applications)	No	No
260	Hazardous Waste Management System	Yes	Yes
261	Identification and Listing of Hazardous Waste	Yes	Yes
262	Standards Applicable to Generators of Hazardous Waste	Yes	Yes
263	Standards Applicable to Transporters of Hazardous Waste	No	No
264	Standards for Owners and Operators of Hazardous Waste Treatment, Storage and Disposal Facilities	Yes	Yes
265	Interim Status Standards for Owners and Operators of Hazardous Waste Treatment, Storage and Disposal Facilities	Yes	Yes
266	Standards for the Management of Specific Hazardous Wastes and Specific Types of Hazardous Waste Facilities	Yes	Yes
267	Standards for Owners and Operators of Hazardous Waste Facilities Operating Under a Standardized Permit	No	No
268	Land Disposal Restrictions	No	No
270	Hazardous Waste Permit Program	No	No
273	Standards for Universal Waste Management	No	No
278	Criteria for the Management of Granular Mine Tailings (CHAT) in Asphalt Concrete and Portland Cement Concrete in Transportation Construction Projects Funded in Whole or in Part by Federal Funds	No	No
279	Standards for the Management of Used Oil	No	No

These changes are discussed in more detail below. Links to the pdf files associated with the Federal Register notices are denoted in parentheses as hyperlinks.

The following parts were revised and may have minimal or no impact on Idaho facilities:

40 CFR Part 266

[88 FR 16732, March 20, 2023, EPA Method 23-Determination of Polychlorinated Dibenzo-p-Dioxins and Polychlorinated Dibenzofurans From Stationary Sources](#): EPA has amended existing regulations regarding editorial and technical revisions to the Environmental Protection Agency's (EPA's) Method 23 (Determination of Polychlorinated Dibenzo-p-Dioxins, Polychlorinated Dibenzofurans, and Polycyclic Aromatic Hydrocarbons from Stationary Sources). Final revisions include incorporating true, comprehensive, and stable isotope dilution for quantifying target compounds using corresponding carbon-13 labeled compounds for each target compound including most of the polycyclic aromatic hydrocarbons (PAH) and changing the method quality control from the current prescriptive format to a more flexible performance-based approach with specified performance criteria. We are also finalizing revisions that expand the list of target compounds of Method 23 to include PAH and polychlorinated biphenyls (PCB). The final revisions allow facilities and their test teams flexibility when sampling and measuring polychlorinated dibenzo-p-dioxins and polychlorinated dibenzofurans (PCDD/PCDF), PAH, and PCB from stationary sources with a comprehensive isotope dilution method while ensuring that the stack testing community can consistently implement the method across emissions sources and facilities.

40 CFR Parts 261, 262, and 266

[88 FR 84710, December 6, 2023, Hazardous Waste Generator Improvements Rule, the Hazardous Waste Pharmaceuticals Rule, and the Definition of Solid Waste Rule; Technical Corrections](#): EPA has amended existing regulations on a number of technical corrections that correct or clarify several parts of the Resource Conservation and Recovery Act (RCRA) hazardous waste regulations. These technical corrections correct or clarify specific provisions in the existing hazardous waste regulations that were promulgated in the Hazardous Waste Generator Improvements rule, the Hazardous Waste Pharmaceuticals rule, and the Definition of Solid Waste rule. This rule also makes other minor corrections that fall within the same sections of the hazardous waste regulations but are independent of these three rules.