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DIVISION OF AIR QUALITY

Notice of Administrative Change and Announcement of Availability of a New General Permit (GP-019A) for Temporary Equipment

N.J.A.C. 7:27-8.8

Take notice that the Department of Environmental Protection (Department) is announcing the availability of a new General Permit (GP) GP-019A for Temporary Equipment for minor facilities. This GP is replacing the current general permit GP-019 (Portable Equipment).

This general permit is available beginning on April 6, 2020, and is being included in the list of sources at N.J.A.C. 7:27-8.8(c) for which general permits are available.

GP-019A allows for the construction, installation, reconstruction, modification, and operation of a single temporary diesel engine 2014 model year and later used solely for mechanical work, that is directly or indirectly connected to another functional equipment, including, but not limited to, cutter, compressor, pump, tub grinder, rock crusher, elevator, conveyor, and/or screener.

A general permit is a pre-approved permit to construct and certificate to operate, issued pursuant to N.J.A.C. 7:27-8.8, for one or more types of similar sources at a minor facility. A minor facility operator with a qualifying source may register for, and operate under, the conditions of the general permit, rather than submit a case-by-case permit application.

The Department published notice of the proposed general permit in the September 16, 2019, New Jersey Register at 51 N.J.R. 1476(c) pursuant to the Air Pollution Control Act, N.J.S.A. 26:2C-9.2. No public comments were received during the 30-day comment period.

The general permit continues to provide for inspections and evaluations to ensure conformance with all provisions of N.J.A.C.7:27. This general permit is issued under the authority of N.J.S.A. 26:2C-9.2 and N.J.A.C. 7:27-8.

How to Obtain a General Permit

To view the requirements of General Permit GP-019A, Temporary Equipment, go to <http://www.state.nj.us/dep/aqpp/gp.html>. To register for an available general permit, click on the online application hyperlink under the general permit and follow the directions.

For technical questions, please contact the Bureau of Stationary Sources Help Desk at 609-633-2829 or 609-633-7259.

Full text of the changed rule follows (additions indicated in boldface **thus**; deletions indicated in brackets [thus]):

SUBCHAPTER 8. PERMITS AND CERTIFICATES FOR MINOR FACILITIES (AND MAJOR FACILITIES WITHOUT AN OPERATING PERMIT)

7:27-8.8 General permits

(a)-(b) (No change.)

(c) A general permit is available for the following source:

1.-17. (No change.)

[18. Portable Equipment consisting of an engine with a maximum rated power output of 1,400 HP and associated process equipment, which may include ancillary equipment that have the potential to emit particulates only, and is operated for up to 90 calendar days per calendar year per site. The process equipment shall be directly driven by the engine or the electrical generating capacity of the engine, provided it is designed and used to power the engine associated process equipment only; and]

18. Temporary Equipment (GP-019A); and

19. (No change.)

(d)-(o) (No change.)