



United States Region 5
 Environmental Protection Oil Planning and
 Agency Response Section

Spill Prevention, Control and Countermeasure (SPCC) Regulation Seminar

January 13, 2009
 9:00 am – 1:00 pm (CST)

Background

The U.S. EPA's Oil Pollution Prevention regulation (SPCC) became effective on January 10, 1974. It was published under the authority of Section 311(j) of the Federal Water Pollution Control Act (the Clean Water Act – CWA). The regulation is found at Title 40, Code of Federal Regulations, Part 112 (40 CFR Part 112).

The purpose of the regulation is to prevent the discharge of oil into navigable waters of the United States or adjoining shorelines. The purpose of this seminar is to give you a better understanding of the regulation and prevent discharges of oil.

A facility must meet three criteria to become subject to the regulation:

- 1) it must be a non-transportation-related facility;
- 2) it must have an aggregate aboveground storage tank (AST) capacity greater than 1,320 gallons or a completely buried storage capacity greater than 42,000 gallons; and
- 3) due to geographic location, the facility can reasonably be expected to discharge oil into or upon waters of the U.S. or adjoining shorelines.

If your facility meets these three criteria, you are required to prepare and implement an SPCC Plan.

Seminar Contents

This 4-hour seminar will cover major topics like SPCC plan basics, Integrity Testing, Applicability, Secondary Containment, recent rule revisions, and include a 1-hour live Question and Answer session at the end. This will not be a comprehensive review of the regulation because of time constraints.

Registration and Course Fees

The seminar is FREE but you are required to register in advance so that you can be contacted with details of the broadcast location or Dish Network channel. Please fill out the registration information and return, or fax to the KSU address listed on the enrollment form, or register online. Indicate which location you wish to attend.

Registration Options

- 1) You can register on the Web site at
<http://www.k-state.tv/epa/>
- 2) Fax your registration form to
 785.532.7355
- 3) Mail your registration form to:
 Susan Jagerson,
 Kansas State University
 128 Dole Hall
 Manhattan, KS 66506-6902

Instructors and Certificates

Ward Burns, P.E. (Region 7) and Dr. Barbara Carr (Region 5) will be the presenters.

Certificates* will be available for printing only from the Web site after the seminar. For conservation purposes, no handouts will be available at the broadcast locations. Participants will be responsible for printing and bringing their own handouts to the seminar location. All handouts will be available on the Web site.

*CEU credits are not available for this seminar

Seminar Questions?

For seminar questions only (no registrations), contact Dr. Barbara Carr, 312.886.7187 or carr.barbara@epa.gov

Registration Questions?

For registration questions, contact Susan Jagerson at KSU, 785.532.3105 or sdj@ksu.edu at the Educational Communications Center.



Locations

The seminar will be offered via satellite at locations throughout Region 5 (Illinois, Indiana, Michigan, Wisconsin, Minnesota, and Ohio). Classroom location information, directions and parking instructions will be sent with your registration confirmation. Walk-ins are welcome, but preference will be given to pre-registered participants. Some sites have limited seating so register early. For those who cannot attend at one of the broadcast locations, you may view the seminar over the Dish Network or via a high-speed-Internet connection. The seminar will also be available to view from the Web site for up to three months after the broadcast.

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