



State of Vermont
PERMIT AND LICENSE INFORMATION

**AIR POLLUTION CONTROL CONSTRUCTION PERMIT:
 STATIONARY AIR CONTAMINANT SOURCES**

SUMMARY DESCRIPTION OF PERMIT The primary objective of the review and permitting of stationary air contaminant sources is the attainment and maintenance of such levels of air quality as will protect human health and the environment. This goal is achieved by evaluating discharges of air contaminants to the ambient air. Projects must demonstrate compliance with both state and federal pollution control requirements, emissions standards, and air quality standards. New stationary sources of air contaminants, as well as modifications to existing stationary sources are subject to these requirements.

EXAMPLE OF REGULATED ACTIVITY Projects that are classified as a stationary source of air contaminants or modifications to existing stationary sources require permits. These include: incinerators, industrial processes (furniture manufacturing, coating operations, plywood and veneer manufacturing, concrete batching, hot mix asphalt production), fuel burning equipment (diesel engines, boiler and gas turbines depending on size and fuel type), and mineral processing operations (rock crushing and/or screening operations).

CRITERIA FOR JURISDICTION The source is classified under Section 5-401 of the *Vermont Air Pollution Control Regulations*.

- INFORMATION REQUIRED**
- (i) general information regarding the project and source;
 - (ii) descriptions of processes and equipment specifications;
 - (iii) quantification of pollutant emissions;
 - (iv) control technology analysis (where required), including analysis of prevention techniques; and
 - (v) ambient air quality impact evaluations (where required), including the results of pre-construction monitoring.

WEB ADDRESS <http://www.anr.state.vt.us/air/Permitting/htm/ConstructPermits.htm>

FEES	<u>Type of Application</u>	<u>Fee</u>
	Major Source/Major Modification	\$12,500
	Administrative Amendments	\$ 100
	Non-Major Source/Non-Major Modification:Base Fee -	\$ 1,000
	Supplementary Fee	
	Engineering Review	\$1,750
	Air Quality Impact Evaluation	\$1,250
	Emission Testing Requirements	\$1,750
	Continuous Emission Monitoring Req.	\$1,750
	Public Comment Requirements	\$ 500
	Ambient Air Monitoring Requirements	\$1,750

**APPLICATION
TIME FRAME**

The performance standard for processing a complete application is
 (I) Major Source/Major Modification - 175 days
 (ii) Non-Major Source/Non-Major Modification (with public meeting) - 125 days.
 (iii) Non-Major Source/Non-Major Modification (w/out public meeting) and Minor Amendment - 80 days.

**ADMINISTERING
AGENCY**

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AUTHORITY

10 V.S.A. Section 556

**APPLICABLE
RULES**

Environmental Protection Regulations Chapter 5 Air Pollution Control Sections 5-401, 5-501, 5-502, and 5-504.

**APPEAL
PROCESS**

Effective January 31, 2005, within 30 days of the date of an act or decision, any person aggrieved by an act or decision of the secretary, or any party by right, may appeal to the environmental court in accordance with the provisions of [10 VSA Chapter 220](#).

OTHER PERMITS

Contact a [Permit Specialist](#) for a Project Review Sheet.
<http://www.anr.state.vt.us/dec/ead/pa/index.htm>