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96 AUTHORITY: Implementing Sections 7.2 and 22.4 and authorized by Section 27 of the  
97 Environmental Protection Act [415 ILCS 5/7.2, 22.4, and 27].

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104 Ill. Reg. 10706, effective July 19, 2004; amended in R06-5/R06-6/R06-7 at 30 Ill. Reg. 4094,  
105 effective February 23, 2006; amended in R06-16/R06-17/R06-18 at 31 Ill. Reg. 1413, effective  
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SUBPART B: APPLICABILITY

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110 **Section 739.110 Applicability**

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112 This Section identifies those materials that are subject to regulation as used oil under this Part.  
113 This Section also identifies some materials that are not subject to regulation as used oil under this  
114 Part, and indicates whether these materials may be subject to regulation as hazardous waste  
115 under 35 Ill. Adm. Code 702, 703, and 720 through 728.

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117 a) Used oil. Used oil is presumed to be recycled, unless a used oil handler disposes  
118 of used oil or sends used oil for disposal. Except as provided in Section 739.111,  
119 the regulations of this Part apply to used oil and to materials identified in this  
120 Section as being subject to regulation as used oil, whether or not the used oil or  
121 material exhibits any characteristics of hazardous waste identified in Subpart C of  
122 35 Ill. Adm. Code 721.

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124 b) Mixtures of used oil and hazardous waste.

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126 1) Listed hazardous waste.

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128 A) A mixture of used oil and hazardous waste that is listed in Subpart  
129 D of 35 Ill. Adm. Code 721 is subject to regulation as hazardous

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waste under 35 Ill. Adm. Code 702, 703, and 720 through 728, rather than as used oil under this Part.

B) Rebuttable presumption for used oil. Used oil containing more than 1,000 ppm total halogens is presumed to be a hazardous waste because it has been mixed with halogenated hazardous waste listed in Subpart D of 35 Ill. Adm. Code 721. An owner or operator may rebut this presumption by demonstrating that the used oil does not contain hazardous waste (for example, by showing that the used oil does not contain significant concentrations of halogenated hazardous constituents listed in Appendix H of 35 Ill. Adm. Code 721).

i) This rebuttable presumption does not apply to metalworking oils or fluids containing chlorinated paraffins, if they are processed, through a tolling arrangement as described in Section 739.124(c), to reclaim metalworking oils or fluids. This presumption does apply to metalworking oils or fluids if such oils or fluids are recycled in any other manner, or disposed.

ii) This rebuttable presumption does not apply to used oils contaminated with chlorofluorocarbons (CFCs) removed from refrigeration units where the CFCs are destined for reclamation. This rebuttable presumption does apply to used oils contaminated with CFCs that have been mixed with used oil from sources other than refrigeration units.

2) Characteristic hazardous waste. A mixture of used oil and hazardous waste that solely exhibits one or more of the hazardous waste characteristic identified in Subpart C of 35 Ill. Adm. Code 721 and a mixture of used oil and hazardous waste that is listed in Subpart D of this Part solely because it exhibits one or more of the characteristics of hazardous waste identified in Subpart C of 35 Ill. Adm. Code 721 is subject to the following:

A) Except as provided in subsection (b)(2)(C) of this Section, regulation as hazardous waste under 35 Ill. Adm. Code 702, 703, and 720 through 728 rather than as used oil under this Part, if the resultant mixture exhibits any characteristics of hazardous waste identified in Subpart C of 35 Ill. Adm. Code 721; or

B) Except as provided in subsection (b)(2)(C) of this Section,

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regulation as used oil under this Part, if the resultant mixture does not exhibit any characteristics of hazardous waste identified under Subpart C of 35 Ill. Adm. Code 721.

C) Regulation as used oil under this Part, if the mixture is of used oil and a waste that is hazardous solely because it exhibits the characteristic of ignitability (e.g., ignitable-only mineral spirits), provided that the resultant mixture does not exhibit the characteristic of ignitability under 35 Ill. Adm. Code 721.121.

3) Conditionally exempt small quantity generator hazardous waste. A mixture of used oil and conditionally exempt small quantity generator hazardous waste regulated under 35 Ill. Adm. Code 721.105 is subject to regulation as used oil under this Part.

c) Materials containing or otherwise contaminated with used oil.

1) Except as provided in subsection (c)(2) of this Section, the following is true of a material containing or otherwise contaminated with used oil from which the used oil has been properly drained or removed to the extent possible so that no visible signs of free-flowing oil remain in or on the material:

A) The material is not used oil, so it is not subject to this Part, and

B) If applicable, the material is subject to the hazardous waste regulations of 35 Ill. Adm. Code 702, 703, and 720 through 728.

2) A material containing or otherwise contaminated with used oil that is burned for energy recovery is subject to regulation as used oil under this Part.

3) Used oil drained or removed from materials containing or otherwise contaminated with used oil is subject to regulation as used oil under this Part.

d) Mixtures of used oil with products.

1) Except as provided in subsection (d)(2) of this Section, mixtures of used oil and fuels or other fuel products are subject to regulation as used oil under this Part.

2) Mixtures of used oil and diesel fuel mixed on-site by the generator of the

- 216 used oil for use in the generator's own vehicles are not subject to this Part  
 217 once the used oil and diesel fuel have been mixed. Prior to mixing, the  
 218 used oil is subject to the requirements of Subpart C of this Part.  
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- 220 e) Materials derived from used oil.
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- 222 1) The following is true of materials that are reclaimed from used oil, which  
 223 are used beneficially, and which are not burned for energy recovery or  
 224 used in a manner constituting disposal (e.g., re-refined lubricants):  
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- 226 A) The materials are not used oil and thus are not subject to this Part,  
 227 and  
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- 229 B) The materials are not solid wastes and are thus not subject to the  
 230 hazardous waste regulations of 35 Ill. Adm. Code 702, 703, and  
 231 720 through 728, as provided in 35 Ill. Adm. Code 721.103(e)(1).  
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- 233 2) Materials produced from used oil that are burned for energy recovery (e.g.,  
 234 used oil fuels) are subject to regulation as used oil under this Part.  
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- 236 3) Except as provided in subsection (e)(4) of this Section, the following is  
 237 true of materials derived from used oil that are disposed of or used in a  
 238 manner constituting disposal:  
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- 240 A) The materials are not used oil and thus are not subject to this Part,  
 241 and  
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- 243 B) The materials are solid wastes and thus are subject to the  
 244 hazardous waste regulations of 35 Ill. Adm. Code 702, 703, and  
 245 720 through 728 if the materials are listed or identified as  
 246 hazardous waste.  
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- 248 4) Used oil re-refining distillation bottoms that are used as feedstock to  
 249 manufacture asphalt products are not subject to this Part.  
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- 251 f) Wastewater. Wastewater, the discharge of which is subject to regulation under  
 252 either Section 402 or Section 307(b) of the federal Clean Water Act (including  
 253 wastewaters at facilities that have eliminated the discharge of wastewater),  
 254 contaminated with de minimis quantities of used oil are not subject to the  
 255 requirements of this Part. For purposes of this subsection, "de minimis" quantities  
 256 of used oils are defined as small spills, leaks, or drippings from pumps,  
 257 machinery, pipes, and other similar equipment during normal operations or small  
 258 amounts of oil lost to the wastewater treatment system during washing or draining

259 operations. This exception will not apply if the used oil is discarded as a result of  
 260 abnormal manufacturing operations resulting in substantial leaks, spills, or other  
 261 releases, or to used oil recovered from wastewaters.

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- 263 g) Used oil introduced into crude oil pipelines or a petroleum refining facility.
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- 265 1) Used oil mixed with crude oil or natural gas liquids (e.g., in a production  
 266 separator or crude oil stock tank) for insertion into a crude oil pipeline is  
 267 exempt from the requirements of this Part. The used oil is subject to the  
 268 requirements of this Part prior to the mixing of used oil with crude oil or  
 269 natural gas liquids.  
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  - 271 2) Mixtures of used oil and crude oil or natural gas liquids containing less  
 272 than one percent used oil that are being stored or transported to a crude oil  
 273 pipeline or petroleum refining facility for insertion into the refining  
 274 process at a point prior to crude distillation or catalytic cracking are  
 275 exempt from the requirements of this Part.  
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  - 277 3) Used oil that is inserted into the petroleum refining process before crude  
 278 distillation or catalytic cracking without prior mixing with crude oil is  
 279 exempt from the requirements of this Part, provided that the used oil  
 280 contains less than one percent of the crude oil feed to any petroleum  
 281 refining facility process unit at any given time. Prior to insertion into the  
 282 petroleum refining process, the used oil is subject to the requirements of  
 283 this Part.  
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  - 285 4) Except as provided in subsection (g)(5) of this Section, used oil that is  
 286 introduced into a petroleum refining facility process after crude distillation  
 287 or catalytic cracking is exempt from the requirements of this Part only if  
 288 the used oil meets the specification of Section 739.111. Prior to insertion  
 289 into the petroleum refining facility process, the used oil is subject to the  
 290 requirements of this Part.  
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  - 292 5) Used oil that is incidentally captured by a hydrocarbon recovery system or  
 293 wastewater treatment system as part of routine process operations at a  
 294 petroleum refining facility and inserted into the petroleum refining facility  
 295 process is exempt from the requirements of this Part. This exemption does  
 296 not extend to used oil that is intentionally introduced into a hydrocarbon  
 297 recovery system (e.g., by pouring collected used oil into the wastewater  
 298 treatment system).  
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  - 300 6) Tank bottoms from stock tanks containing exempt mixtures of used oil  
 301 and crude oil or natural gas liquids are exempt from the requirements of

this Part.

- h) Used oil on vessels. Used oil produced on vessels from normal shipboard operations is not subject to this Part until it is transported ashore.
- i) Used oil containing PCBs. Used oil containing PCBs, as defined at 40 CFR 761.3 (Definitions), incorporated by reference at 35 Ill. Adm. Code 720.111(b), at any concentration less than 50 ppm is subject to the requirements of this Part unless, because of dilution, it is regulated under federal 40 CFR 761 as a used oil containing PCBs at 50 ppm or greater. PCB-containing used oil subject to the requirements of this Part may also be subject to the prohibitions and requirements of 40 CFR 761, including 40 CFR 761.20(d) and (e). Used oil containing PCBs at concentrations of 50 ppm or greater is not subject to the requirements of this Part, but is subject to regulation under federal 40 CFR 761. No person may avoid these provisions by diluting used oil containing PCBs, unless otherwise specifically provided for in this Part or federal 40 CFR 761.

(Source: Amended at 32 Ill. Reg. \_\_\_\_\_, effective \_\_\_\_\_)

**Section 739.111 Used Oil Specifications**

Used oil burned for energy recovery, and any fuel produced from used oil by processing, blending, or other treatment, is subject to regulation under this Part unless it is shown not to exceed any of the allowable levels of the constituents and properties ~~in the specification shown~~ in the following table. Once used oil that is to be burned for energy recovery has been shown not to exceed any allowable levels~~specification~~ and the person making that showing complies with Sections 739.172, 739.173, and 739.174(b), the used oil is no longer subject to this Part.

Used Oil Allowable~~Specification~~ Levels When Burned for Energy Recovery<sup>1</sup>

| Constituent/property | Allowable level                |
|----------------------|--------------------------------|
| Arsenic              | 5 ppm maximum                  |
| Cadmium              | 2 ppm maximum                  |
| Chromium             | 10 ppm maximum                 |
| Lead                 | 100 ppm maximum                |
| Flash point          | 100 °F minimum                 |
| Total halogens       | 4,000 ppm maximum <sup>2</sup> |

FOOTNOTE: <sup>1</sup> The allowable levels~~dospecification~~ does not apply to mixtures of used oil and

334 hazardous waste that continue to be regulated as hazardous waste (see Section 739.110(b)).

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336 FOOTNOTE: <sup>2</sup> Used oil containing more than 1,000 ppm total halogens is presumed to be a  
337 hazardous waste under the rebuttable presumption provided under Section 739.110(b)(1). Such  
338 used oil is subject to Subpart H of 35 Ill. Adm. Code 726, rather than this Part, when burned for  
339 energy recovery unless the presumption of mixing can be successfully rebutted.

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341 NOTE: Applicable standards for the burning of used oil containing PCBs are imposed by 40  
342 CFR 761.20(e).

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344 (Source: Amended at 32 Ill. Reg. \_\_\_\_\_, effective \_\_\_\_\_)

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346 SUBPART E: STANDARDS FOR USED OIL TRANSPORTER  
347 AND TRANSFER FACILITIES

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349 **Section 739.143 Used Oil Transportation**

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351 a) Deliveries. A used oil transporter must deliver all used oil received to one of the  
352 following:
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354 1) Another used oil transporter, provided that the transporter has obtained a  
355 USEPA identification number and an Illinois special waste identification  
356 number;
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358 2) A used oil processing facility that has obtained a USEPA identification  
359 number and an Illinois special waste identification number;
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361 3) An off-specification used oil burner facility that has obtained a USEPA  
362 identification number and an Illinois special waste identification number; or  
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  - 364 4) An on-specification used oil burner facility.
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366 b) USDOT requirements. A used oil transporter must comply with all applicable  
367 USDOT requirements in 49 CFR 171 through 180. A person transporting used oil  
368 that meets the definition of a hazardous material in 49 CFR 171.8 (Definitions and  
369 Abbreviations), incorporated by reference in 35 Ill. Adm. Code 720.111(b), must  
370 comply with all applicable USDOT Hazardous Materials Regulations in 49 CFR  
371 171 (General Information, Regulations, and Definitions), 172 (Hazardous  
372 Materials Table, Special Provisions, Hazardous Materials Communications,  
373 Emergency Response Information, and Training Requirements), 173 (Shippers –  
374 General Requirements for Shipments and Packages), 174 (Carriage by Rail), 175  
375 (Carriage by Aircraft), 176 (Carriage by Vessel), 177 (Carriage by Public  
376 Highway), 178 (Specifications for Packagings), 179 (Specifications for Tank

Cars), and 180 (Continuing Qualification and Maintenance of Packagings),  
incorporated by reference in 35 Ill. Adm. Code 720.111(b).

c) Used oil discharges.

- 1) In the event of a discharge of used oil during transportation, the transporter must take appropriate immediate action to protect human health and the environment (e.g., notify local authorities, dike the discharge area).
- 2) If a discharge of used oil occurs during transportation and an official (State or local government or a federal agency) acting within the scope of official responsibilities determines that immediate removal of the used oil is necessary to protect human health or the environment, that official may authorize the removal of the used oil by a transporter that does not have a USEPA identification number and an Illinois special waste identification number.
- 3) An air, rail, highway, or water transporter that has discharged used oil must do the following:
  - A) Give notice, if required by federal 49 CFR 171.15 (Immediate Notice of Certain Hazardous Materials Incidents), incorporated by reference in 35 Ill. Adm. Code 720.111(b), to the National Response Center (800-424-8802 or 202-426-2675); and
  - B) Report in writing as required by federal 49 CFR 171.16 (Detailed Hazardous Materials Incident Reports), incorporated by reference in 35 Ill. Adm. Code 720.111(b), to the Director, Office of Hazardous Materials Regulations, Materials Transportation Bureau, Department of Transportation, Washington, DC 20590.
- 4) A water transporter that has discharged used oil must give notice as required by federal 33 CFR 153.203 (Procedure for the Notice of Discharge), incorporated by reference in 35 Ill. Adm. Code 720.111(b).
- 5) A transporter must clean up any used oil ~~discharged~~ that occurs during transportation or take such action as may be required or approved by federal, state, or local officials so that the used oil discharge no longer presents a hazard to human health or the environment.

(Source: Amended at 32 Ill. Reg. \_\_\_\_\_, effective \_\_\_\_\_)

**Section 739.144 Rebuttable Presumption for Used Oil**

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 421 a) To ensure that used oil is not a hazardous waste under the rebuttable presumption of  
 422 Section 739.110(b)(1)(ii), the used oil transporter must determine whether the total  
 423 halogen content of used oil being ~~transported~~transporter or stored at a transfer  
 424 facility is above or below 1,000 ppm.  
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 426 b) The transporter must make this determination by the following means:  
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 428 1) Testing the used oil; or  
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 430 2) Applying knowledge of the halogen content of the used oil in light of the  
 431 materials or processes used.  
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 433 c) If the used oil contains greater than or equal to 1,000 ppm total halogens, it is  
 434 presumed to be a hazardous waste because it has been mixed with halogenated  
 435 hazardous waste listed in Subpart D of 35 Ill. Adm. Code 721. The owner or  
 436 operator may rebut the presumption by demonstrating that the used oil does not  
 437 contain hazardous waste (for example, by showing that the used oil does not contain  
 438 significant concentrations of halogenated hazardous constituents listed in Appendix  
 439 H of 35 Ill. Adm. Code 721).  
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 441 1) The rebuttable presumption does not apply to metalworking oils and fluids  
 442 containing chlorinated paraffins, if they are processed, through a tolling  
 443 arrangement as described in Section 739.124(c), to reclaim metalworking  
 444 oils and fluids. The presumption does apply to metalworking oils and fluids  
 445 if such oils and fluids are recycled in any other manner, or disposed.  
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 447 2) The rebuttable presumption does not apply to used oils contaminated with  
 448 chlorofluorocarbons (CFCs) removed from refrigeration units if the  
 449 ~~CFCs~~CFC are destined for reclamation. The rebuttable presumption does  
 450 apply to used oils contaminated with CFCs that have been mixed with used  
 451 oil from sources other than refrigeration units.  
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 453 d) Record retention. Records of analyses conducted or information used to comply  
 454 with subsections (a), (b), and (c) of this Section must be maintained by the  
 455 transporter for at least three years.

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 457 (Source: Amended at 32 Ill. Reg. \_\_\_\_\_, effective \_\_\_\_\_)  
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459 **Section 739.145 Used Oil Storage at Transfer Facilities**  
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461 A used oil transporter is subject to all applicable Spill Prevention, Control and Countermeasures  
 462 (40 CFR 112) in addition to the requirements of this Subpart E. A used oil transporter is also

463 subject to the Underground Storage Tank (35 Ill. Adm. Code 731) standards for used oil stored in  
 464 underground tanks whether or not the used oil exhibits any characteristics of hazardous waste, in  
 465 addition to the requirements of this Subpart.  
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- 467 a) Applicability. This Section applies to used oil transfer facilities. Used oil transfer  
 468 facilities are transportation-related facilities including loading docks, parking  
 469 areas, storage areas, and other areas where shipments of used oil are held for more  
 470 than 24 hours during the normal course of transportation and not longer than 35  
 471 days. A transfer facility that store used oil for more than 35 days are subject to  
 472 regulation under Subpart F of this Part.  
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- 474 b) Storage units. An owner or operator of a used oil transfer facility may not store  
 475 used oil in units other than tanks, containers, or units subject to regulation under  
 476 35 Ill. Adm. Code 724 or 725.  
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- 478 c) Condition of units. The following must be true of containers and aboveground  
 479 tanks used to store used oil at a transfer facility:  
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  - 481 1) The containers must be in good condition (no severe rusting, apparent  
 482 structural defects or deterioration); and  
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  - 484 2) The containers may not be leaking (no visible leaks).  
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- 486 d) Secondary containment for containers. Containers used to store used oil at a  
 487 transfer facility must be equipped with a secondary containment system.  
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  - 489 1) The secondary containment system must consist of the following, at a  
 490 minimum:  
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    - 492 A) Both of the following:  
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      - 494 i) Dikes, berms, or retaining walls; and
      - 495 ii) A floor. The floor must cover the entire area within the  
 496 dikes, berms, or retaining walls; or
    - 497 B) An equivalent secondary containment system.  
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  - 499 2) The entire containment system, including walls and floors, must be  
 500 sufficiently impervious to used oil to prevent any used oil released into the  
 501 containment system from migrating out of the system to the soil,  
 502 groundwater, or surface water.  
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- 506 e) Secondary containment for existing aboveground tanks. Existing aboveground  
507 tanks used to store used oil at a transfer facility must be equipped with a  
508 secondary containment system.  
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- 510 1) The secondary containment system must consist of the following, at a  
511 minimum:  
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- 513 A) Both of the following:  
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- 515 i) Dikes, berms, or retaining walls; and  
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517 ii) A floor. The floor must cover the entire area within the  
518 dike, berm, or retaining wall except areas where existing  
519 portions of the tank meet the ground; or  
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- 521 B) An equivalent secondary containment system.  
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- 523 2) The entire containment system, including walls and floors, must be  
524 sufficiently impervious to used oil to prevent any used oil released into the  
525 containment system from migrating out of the system to the soil,  
526 groundwater, or surface water.  
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- 528 f) Secondary containment for new aboveground tanks. New aboveground tanks  
529 used to store used oil at a transfer facility must be equipped with a secondary  
530 containment system.  
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- 532 1) The secondary containment system must consist of the following, at a  
533 minimum:  
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- 535 A) Both of the following:  
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- 537 i) Dikes, berms, or retaining walls; and  
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539 ii) A floor. The floor must cover the entire area within the  
540 dike, berm, or retaining wall; or  
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- 542 B) An equivalent secondary containment system.  
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- 544 2) The entire containment system, including walls and floors, must be  
545 sufficiently impervious to used oil to prevent any used oil released into the  
546 containment system from migrating out of the system to the soil,  
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- g) Labels.
  - 1) Containers and aboveground tanks used to store used oil at transfer facilities must be labeled or marked clearly with the words "Used Oil."
  - 2) Fill pipes used to transfer used oil into underground storage tanks at transfer facilities must be labeled or marked clearly with the words "Used Oil."
  
- h) Response to releases. Upon detection of a release of used oil to the environment that is not subject to the federal requirements of subpart F of 40 CFR 280 and which has occurred after October 4, 1996, an owner or operator of a transfer facility must perform the following cleanup steps:
 

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  - 1) Stop the release;
  - 2) Contain the released used oil;
  - 3) Properly clean up and manage the released used oil and other materials; and
  - 4) If necessary, repair or replace any leaking used oil storage containers or tanks prior to returning them to service.

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SUBPART F: STANDARDS FOR USED OIL PROCESSORS

**Section 739.152 General Facility Standards**

- a) Preparedness and prevention. An owner or operator of a used oil processing or

592 re-refining facility must comply with the following requirements:  
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- 594 1) Maintenance and operation of a facility. All facilities must be maintained  
595 and operated to minimize the possibility of a fire, explosion, or any  
596 unplanned sudden or non-sudden release of used oil to air, soil, or surface  
597 water that could threaten human health or the environment.  
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- 599 2) Required equipment. All facilities must be equipped with the following,  
600 unless none of the hazards posed by used oil handled at the facility could  
601 require a particular kind of equipment specified in subsections (a)(2)(A)  
602 through (a)(2)(D) of this Section:  
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- 604 A) An internal communications or alarm system capable of providing  
605 immediate emergency instruction (voice or signal) to facility  
606 personnel;  
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- 608 B) A device, such as a telephone (immediately available at the scene  
609 of operations) or a hand-held two-way radio, capable of  
610 summoning emergency assistance from local police departments,  
611 fire departments, or State or local emergency response teams;  
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- 613 C) Portable fire extinguishers, fire control equipment (including  
614 special extinguishing equipment, such as that using foam, inert gas,  
615 or dry chemicals), spill control equipment, and decontamination  
616 equipment; and  
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- 618 D) Water at adequate volume and pressure to supply water hose  
619 streams, foam producing equipment, automatic sprinklers, or water  
620 spray systems.  
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- 622 3) Testing and maintenance of equipment. All facility communications or  
623 alarm systems, fire protection equipment, spill control equipment, and  
624 decontamination equipment, where required, must be tested and  
625 maintained as necessary to assure its proper operation in time of  
626 emergency.  
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- 628 4) Access to communications or alarm system.  
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- 630 A) Whenever used oil is being poured, mixed, spread, or otherwise  
631 handled, all personnel involved in the operation must have  
632 immediate access to an internal alarm or emergency  
633 communication device, either directly or through visual or voice  
634 contact with another employee, unless such a device is not required

- 635 in subsection (a)(2) of this Section.  
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637 B) If there is ever just one employee on the premises while the facility  
638 is operating, the employee must have immediate access to a device,  
639 such as a telephone (immediately available at the scene of  
640 operation) or a hand-held two-way radio, capable of summoning  
641 external emergency assistance, unless such a device is not required  
642 in subsection (a)(2) of this Section.  
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644 5) Required aisle space. The owner or operator must maintain aisle space to  
645 allow the unobstructed movement of personnel, fire protection equipment,  
646 spill control equipment, and decontamination equipment to any area of  
647 facility operation in an emergency, unless aisle space is not needed for any  
648 of these purposes.  
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650 6) Arrangements with local authorities.  
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652 A) The owner or operator must attempt to make the following  
653 arrangements, as appropriate for the type of used oil handled at the  
654 facility and the potential need for the services of these  
655 organizations:  
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657 i) Arrangements to familiarize police, fire departments, and  
658 emergency response teams with the layout of the facility,  
659 properties of used oil handled at the facility and associated  
660 hazards, places where facility personnel would normally be  
661 working, entrances to roads inside the facility, and possible  
662 evacuation routes;  
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664 ii) Where more than one police and fire department might  
665 respond to an emergency, agreements designating primary  
666 emergency authority to a specific police and a specific fire  
667 department, and agreements with any others to provide  
668 support to the primary emergency authority;  
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670 iii) Agreements with State emergency response teams,  
671 emergency response contractors, and equipment suppliers;  
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674 iv) Arrangements to familiarize local hospitals with the  
675 properties of used oil handled at the facility and the types  
676 of injuries or illnesses that could result from fires,  
677 explosions, or releases at the facility.

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- B) Where State or local authorities decline to enter into such arrangements, the owner or operator must document the refusal in the operating record.
  
- b) Contingency plan and emergency procedures. An owner or operator of a used oil processing or re-refining facility must comply with the following requirements:
  - 1) Purpose and implementation of contingency plan.
    - A) Each owner or operator must have a contingency plan for the facility. The contingency plan must be designed to minimize hazards to human health or the environment from fires, explosions, or any unplanned sudden or non-sudden release of used oil to air, soil, or surface water.
    - B) The provisions of the plan must be carried out immediately whenever there is a fire, explosion, or release of used oil that could threaten human health or the environment.
  - 2) Content of contingency plan.
    - A) The contingency plan must describe the actions facility personnel must take to comply with subsections (b)(1) and (b)(6) of this Section in response to fires, explosions, or any unplanned sudden or non-sudden release of used oil to air, soil, or surface water at the facility.
    - B) If the owner or operator has already prepared a Spill Prevention Control and Countermeasures (SPCC) Plan in accordance with federal 40 CFR 112 or 40 CFR 300, or some other emergency or contingency plan, the owner or operator need only amend that plan to incorporate used oil management provisions that are sufficient to comply with the requirements of this Part.
    - C) The plan must describe arrangements agreed to by local police departments, fire departments, hospitals, contractors, and State and local emergency response teams to coordinate emergency services, pursuant to subsection (a)(6) of this Section.
    - D) The plan must list names, addresses, and phone numbers (office and home) of all persons qualified to act as emergency coordinator (see subsection (b)(5) of this Section), and this list must be kept up

- 721 to date. Where more than one person is listed, one must be named  
 722 as primary emergency coordinator and others must be listed in the  
 723 order in which they will assume responsibility as alternates.  
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- 725 E) The plan must include a list of all emergency equipment at the  
 726 facility (such as fire extinguishing systems, spill control  
 727 equipment, communications and alarm systems (internal and  
 728 external), and decontamination equipment), where this equipment  
 729 is required. This list must be kept up to date. In addition, the plan  
 730 must include the location and a physical description of each item  
 731 on the list, and a brief outline of its capabilities.  
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- 733 F) The plan must include an evacuation plan for facility personnel  
 734 where there is a possibility that evacuation could be necessary.  
 735 This plan must describe signals to be used to begin evacuation,  
 736 evacuation routes, and alternate evacuation routes (in cases where  
 737 the primary routes could be blocked by releases of used oil or  
 738 fires).  
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- 740 3) Copies of contingency plan. Copies of the contingency plan and all  
 741 revisions to the plan must be disposed of as follows:  
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- 743 A) Maintained at the facility; and  
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- 745 B) Submitted to all local police departments, fire departments,  
 746 hospitals, and State and local emergency response teams that may  
 747 be called upon to provide emergency services.  
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- 749 4) Amendment of contingency plan. The contingency plan must be  
 750 reviewed, and immediately amended, if necessary, whenever one of the  
 751 following occurs:  
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- 753 A) Applicable regulations are revised;  
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- 755 B) The plan fails in an emergency;  
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- 757 C) The facility changes – in its design, construction, operation,  
 758 maintenance, or other circumstances – in a way that materially  
 759 increases the potential for fires, explosions, or releases of used oil,  
 760 or changes the response necessary in an emergency;  
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- 762 D) The list of emergency coordinators changes; or  
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- 764 E) The list of emergency equipment changes.  
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766 5) Emergency coordinator. At all times, there must be at least one employee  
767 either on the facility premises or on call (i.e., available to respond to an  
768 emergency by reaching the facility within a short period of time) with the  
769 responsibility for coordinating all emergency response measures. This  
770 emergency coordinator must be thoroughly familiar with all aspects of the  
771 facility's contingency plan, all operations and activities at the facility, the  
772 location and characteristic of used oil handled, the location of all records  
773 within the facility, and facility layout. In addition, this person must have  
774 the authority to commit the resources needed to carry out the contingency  
775 plan.  
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777 BOARD NOTE: USEPA cited the following as guidance: "The  
778 emergency coordinator's responsibilities are more fully spelled out in  
779 [subsection (b)(6) of this Section]. Applicable responsibilities for the  
780 emergency coordinator vary, depending on factors such as type and  
781 variety of used oil handled by the facility, and type and complexity of the  
782 facility."  
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- 784 6) Emergency procedures.  
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786 A) Whenever there is an imminent or actual emergency situation, the  
787 emergency coordinator (or the designee when the emergency  
788 coordinator is on call) must immediately do the following:  
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790 i) Activate internal facility alarms or communication systems,  
791 where applicable, to notify all facility personnel; and  
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793 ii) Notify appropriate State or local agencies with designated  
794 response roles if their help is needed.  
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796 B) Whenever there is a release, fire, or explosion, the emergency  
797 coordinator must immediately identify the character, exact source,  
798 amount, and ~~areal~~<sup>real</sup> extent of any released materials. He or she  
799 may do this by observation or review of facility records ~~or~~<sup>of</sup>  
800 manifests and, if necessary, by chemical ~~analyses~~<sup>analysts</sup>.  
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802 C) Concurrently, the emergency coordinator must assess possible  
803 hazards to human health or the environment that may result from  
804 the release, fire, or explosion. This assessment must consider both  
805 direct and indirect effects of the release, fire, or explosion (e.g., the  
806 effects of any toxic, irritating, or asphyxiating gases that are

- 807 generated, or the effects of any hazardous surface water run-offs  
808 from water oref chemical agents used to control fire and heat-  
809 induced explosions).
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- 811 D) If the emergency coordinator determines that the facility has had a  
812 release, fire, or explosion that could threaten human health, or the  
813 environment, outside the facility, he or she must report his findings  
814 as follows:
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- 816 i) If his assessment indicated that evacuation of local areas  
817 may be advisable, he or she must immediately notify  
818 appropriate local authorities. He or she must be available  
819 to help appropriate officials decide whether local areas  
820 should be evacuated; and
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- 822 ii) He must immediately notify either the government official  
823 designated as the on-scene coordinator for the geographical  
824 area (in the applicable regional contingency plan under  
825 federal 40 CFR 300), or the National Response Center  
826 (using their 24-hour toll free number (800) 424-8802). The  
827 report must include the following information: name and  
828 telephone number of reporter; name and address of facility;  
829 time and type of incident (e.g., release, fire); name and  
830 quantity of materials involved, to the extent known; the  
831 extent of injuries, if any; and the possible hazards to human  
832 health, or the environment, outside the facility.
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- 834 E) During an emergency, the emergency coordinator must take all  
835 reasonable measures necessary to ensure that fires, explosions, and  
836 releases do not occur, recur, or spread to other used oil or  
837 hazardous waste at the facility. These measures must include,  
838 where applicable, stopping processes and operation, collecting and  
839 containing released used oil, and removing or isolating containers.
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- 841 F) If the facility stops operation in response to a fire, explosion, or  
842 release, the emergency coordinator must monitor for leaks,  
843 pressure buildup, gas generation, or ruptures in valves, pipes, or  
844 other equipment, wherever this is appropriate.
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- 846 G) Immediately after an emergency, the emergency coordinator must  
847 provide for recycling, storing, or disposing of recovered used oil,  
848 contaminated soil or surface water, or any other material that  
849 results from a release, fire, or explosion at the facility.

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- H) The emergency coordinator must ensure that the following occur, in the affected areas of the facility:
  - i) No waste or used oil that may be incompatible with the released material is recycled, treated, stored, or disposed of until cleanup procedures are completed; and
  - ii) All emergency equipment listed in the contingency plan is cleaned and fit for its intended use before operations are resumed.
  - iii) The owner or operator must notify the Agency, and all other appropriate State and local authorities that the facility is in compliance with subsections (b)(6)(H)(i) and (b)(6)(H)(ii) of this Section before operations are resumed in the affected areas of the facility.
  
- I) The owner or operator must note in the operating record the time, date, and details of any incident that requires implementing the contingency plan. Within 15 days after the incident, it must submit a written report on the incident to USEPA Region 5. The report must include the following:
  - i) The name, address, and telephone number of the owner or operator;
  - ii) The name, address, and telephone number of the facility;
  - iii) The date, time, and type of incident (e.g., fire, explosion);
  - iv) The name and quantity of materials involved;
  - v) The extent of injuries, if any;
  - vi) An assessment of actual or potential hazards to human health or the environment, where this is applicable; and
  - vii) The estimated quantity and disposition of recovered material that resulted from the incident.

(Source: Amended at 32 Ill. Reg. \_\_\_\_\_, effective \_\_\_\_\_)

**Section 739.155 Analysis Plan**

An owner or operator of a used oil processing or re-refining facility must develop and follow a written analysis plan describing the procedures that will be used to comply with the analysis requirements of Section 739.153 and, if applicable, Section 739.172. The owner or operator must keep the plan at the facility.

- a) Rebuttable presumption for used oil in Section 739.153. At a minimum, the plan must specify the following:
  - 1) Whether sample analyses or knowledge of the halogen content of the used oil will be used to make this determination;
  - 2) If sample analyses are used to make this determination, the following requirements must be fulfilled:
    - A) The sampling method used to obtain representative samples to be analyzed. A representative sample may be obtained using either of the following:
      - i) One of the sampling methods in Appendix I of 35 Ill. Adm. Code 721; or
      - ii) A method shown to be equivalent under 35 Ill. Adm. Code 720.120 and 720.121;
    - B) The frequency of sampling to be performed, and whether the analysis will be performed on-site or off-site; and
    - C) The methods used to analyze used oil for the parameters specified in Section 739.153; and
  - 3) The type of information that will be used to determine the halogen content of the used oil.
- b) On-specification used oil fuel in Section 739.172. At a minimum, the plan must specify the following if Section 739.172 is applicable:
  - 1) Whether sample analyses or other information will be used to make this determination;
  - 2) If sample analyses are used to make this determination, the following must be specified:

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  - B) Whether used oil will be sampled and analyzed prior to or after any processing;
  - C) The frequency of sampling to be performed, and whether the analysis will be performed on-site or off-site; and
  - D) The methods used to analyze used oil for the parameters specified in Section 739.172; and
- 3) The type of information that will be used to make the on-specification used oil fuel determination.

959 (Source: Amended at 32 Ill. Reg. \_\_\_\_\_, effective \_\_\_\_\_)  
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961 **Section 739.159 Management of Residues**  
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963 An owner or operator that generates residues from the storage, processing, or ~~re-refining~~ re-refining  
964 of used oil must manage the residues as specified in Section 739.110(e).  
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966 (Source: Amended at 32 Ill. Reg. \_\_\_\_\_, effective \_\_\_\_\_)  
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968 **SUBPART G: STANDARDS FOR USED OIL BURNERS THAT BURN**  
969 **OFF-SPECIFICATION USED OIL FOR ENERGY RECOVERY**  
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971 **Section 739.164 Used Oil Storage**  
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973 A used oil burner is subject to all applicable Spill Prevention, Control and Countermeasures  
974 (federal 40 CFR 112) in addition to the requirements of this Subpart G. A used oil burner is also  
975 subject to the Underground Storage Tank (35 Ill. Adm. Code 731) standards for used oil stored in  
976 underground tanks whether or not the used oil exhibits any characteristics of hazardous waste, in  
977 addition to the requirements of this Subpart G.  
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- 979 a) Storage units. A used oil burner may not store used oil in units other than tanks,  
980 containers, or units subject to regulation under 35 Ill. Adm. Code 724 or 725.  
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- 982 b) Condition of units. The following must be true of containers and aboveground  
983 tanks used to store used oil at a burner facility:  
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- 985 1) The containers must be in good condition (no severe rusting, apparent  
986 structural defects or deterioration); and  
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- 988 2) The containers may not be leaking (no visible leaks).  
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- 990 c) Secondary containment for containers. Containers used to store used oil at a  
991 burner facility must be equipped with a secondary containment system.  
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- 993 1) The secondary containment system must consist of the following, at a  
994 minimum:  
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- 996 A) Dikes, berms, or retaining walls; and  
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- 998 B) A floor. The floor must cover the entire area within the dike,  
999 berm, or retaining wall.
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- 1001 2) The entire containment system, including walls and floor, must be  
1002 sufficiently impervious to used oil to prevent any used oil released into the  
1003 containment system from migrating out of the system to the soil,  
1004 groundwater, or surface water.  
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- 1006 d) Secondary containment for existing aboveground tanks. Existing aboveground  
1007 tanks used to store used oil at burner facilities must be equipped with a secondary  
1008 containment system.  
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- 1010 1) The secondary containment system must consist of the following, at a  
1011 minimum:  
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- 1013 A) Both of the following:  
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- 1015 i) Dikes, berms, or retaining walls; and  
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- 1017 ii) A floor. The floor must cover the entire area within the  
1018 dike, berm, or retaining wall except areas where existing  
1019 portions of the tank meet the ground; or  
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- 1021 B) An equivalent secondary containment system.

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- 2) The entire containment system, including walls and floor, must be sufficiently impervious to used oil to prevent any used oil released into the containment system from migrating out of the system to the soil, groundwater, or surface water.
  - e) Secondary containment for newexisting aboveground tanks. A new aboveground tank used to store used oil at burner facilities must be equipped with a secondary containment system.
    - 1) The secondary containment system must consist of the following, at a minimum:
      - A) Both of the following:
        - i) Dikes, berms, or retaining walls; and
        - ii) A floor. The floor must cover the entire area within the dike, berm, or retaining wall; or
      - B) An equivalent secondary containment system.
    - 2) The entire containment system, including walls and floor, must be sufficiently impervious to used oil to prevent any used oil released into the containment system from migrating out of the system to the soil, groundwater, or surface water.
  - f) Labels.
    - 1) A container or aboveground tank used to store used oil at a burner facility must be labeled or marked clearly with the words "Used Oil."
    - 2) Fill pipes used to transfer used oil into underground storage tanks at burner facilities must be labeled or marked clearly with the words "Used Oil."
  - g) Response to releases. Upon detection of a release of used oil to the environment that is not subject to the federal requirements of subpart F of 40 CFR 280 and which has occurred after October 4, 1996, a burner must perform the following cleanup steps:

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1065 in which the release is located." The Board adopted the used oil standards in  
 1066 docket R93-4 at 17 Ill. Reg. 20954, effective November 22, 1993. USEPA  
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 1073 have used the November 22, 1993 effective date of the Illinois used oil standards.

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- 1075 1) Stop the release;
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  - 1077 2) Contain the released used oil;
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  - 1079 3) Properly clean up and manage the released used oil and other materials;
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  - 1082 4) If necessary, repair or replace any leaking used oil storage containers or
  - 1083 tanks prior to returning them to service.
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