

## Summary of Changes to Bulk Pesticide Containment regulations

- 4-13-25, Definitions. Three existing definitions were removed (“**inspection port**” “**primary containment**” and “**reportable event**”), and five definitions were added or amended (“**static pressure**,” “**bulk pesticide**” “**bulk pesticide container**” “**discharge**” “**owner or operator**” and “**secondary containment**”).
- 4-13-25b, Quantities of bulk pesticide. Amendments clarify and expand the “quantity” requirements of bulk pesticides stored at a facility which cause the facility to be subject to the containment regulations.
- 4-13-25c, Location, design, and construction requirements of a bulk pesticide storage facility. Amendments include minor changes to storage facility construction to ensure the protection of containers and appurtenances, and the protection of dry pesticide from precipitation.
- 4-13-25d, Secondary containment for bulk pesticide storage. Amendments clarify construction criteria for secondary containment and the required procedure for emptying a drainage sump.
- 4-13-25e, Requirements for mixing and loading pads for bulk pesticides. Amendments restrict certain activities to mixing and loading pads, and clarify required procedures for emptying a drainage sump from a mixing and loading pad. Clarifies that the regulation only requires washing application equipment on mixing and loading pads when performed at a storage facility.
- 4-13-25f, Requirements for bulk pesticide containers and appurtenances. Amendments clarify requirements for securing shut-off valves on pesticide containers, and require transfers of pesticide to be monitored at all times by on-site operators.
- 4-13-25g, Discharge, recovery, and reporting requirements. Amendment requires the facility to notify the secretary of any pesticide discharge not contained within secondary containment.
- 4-13-25h, Submission of diagrams, plans, and specifications. Amendments clarify the procedures and timeline requirements for the submission of diagrams and plans for the construction or remodeling of a bulk pesticide storage facility.
- 4-13-25i, Compliance Dates. This regulation is being revoked because compliance dates in the regulation have expired. Substantive requirements moved to 4-13-25h, etc.
- 4-13-25j, Bulk pesticide storage facility inspection and maintenance requirements. Amendments: (1) increase the mandatory inspection frequency of a storage facility from every six months to monthly, (2) clarify a facility’s response requirements after the discovery of defects, and (3) require a facility to make and maintain records of inspection dates, discharges, and discovered defects.

- 4-13-25k, Site closure and discontinuation of operation. Amendment requires notification to the secretary within 30 days of permanent cessation of operations at a bulk pesticide storage facility.
- 4-13-25l, Penalty for noncompliance with pesticide containment. Amendment specifies that a civil penalty may be assessed against any pesticide business dealer that violates bulk pesticide containment requirements.
- 4-13-25m, Change in owner or operator of bulk pesticide storage facility; reporting requirements. This is a new regulation that allows a new owner or operator of an existing bulk pesticide storage facility to certify that the facility is in compliance with all containment regulations rather than submit all plans, diagrams and specifications otherwise required.