

South Carolina Department of Health and Environmental Control

R. 61-107.4 Compost and Mulch Production

The South Carolina Department of Health and Environmental Control

Timeline Timeline	
Notice of Drafting Comment Period	May 22 to June 22, 2020
External Stakeholder Meeting #1	August 24, 2020
Additional Stakeholder Meetings	TBD
DHEC Board Meeting #1 Notice of Proposed Regulation	October
DHEC Board Meeting #2 Notice of Final Regulation	December



Revision Goals:

Clarify permitting requirements
Clarify operating requirements
Address financial assurance requirements
Corrections for clarity and readability, grammar, punctuation, and numbering



General Changes

Removed references to "registered" facilities

Updated definitions

"Visual Marker" requirements

Reorganized and renumbered

Fire prevention and response plan requirements



Exempt Facilities

Removed ownership requirements

Annual grinding or incorporation into compost mass

Concurrence letter for CE facilities



Permitted Facilities

Temperature readings for mulch piles

Visual Marker requirements

Pile height, temperature readings

Annual grinding or incorporation into compost mass

Financial Assurance requirements Reduced noticing for Type One facilities



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DHEC Board Meeting #2 Request Finding of Need and Reasonableness	December 10



Next Steps

- Review today's comments
- Outreach as needed to draft changes
- Prepare Notice of Proposed Regulation
- Request Board approval to publish NPR
- 30-day comment period Oct. 23-Nov. 23
- Prepare Board request for Finding of Need and Reasonableness



QUESTIONS?



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