

Summary of Regulation 6, Rule 3 Amendments

	Rule Amendment	Description of Requirements	Effective Date
Exemptions	Sole Source of Heat Exemption <i>(no permanently-installed gas-fueled or electric devices)</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Must replace to an EPA certified wood-burning device Requires registration of EPA certified Device <i>(5-year registration renewal)</i> 	Nov. 1, 2016
	Non-functional, Permanently-Installed Heaters Exemption	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Temporary 30-day exemption Requires a non-functional heater to be repaired within 30 days Upon request, repair documentation must be submitted to the District within 10 days 	Nov. 1, 2015
	Loss of Natural Gas and/or Electric Power Exemption	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Utility service outage must be verifiable by a local utility service provider 	Nov. 1, 2015
Standards	New EPA Emission Standards for Wood Heaters	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Emissions standards apply to the sale and manufacturing of new wood heaters <i>(does not affect existing devices already installed in homes)</i> 	2015 & 2020 (per NSPS requirements)
	Visible Emissions Limitation	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Shortens the duration of visible emissions allowed Visible emissions standard consistent with Regulation 6, Rule 1, General Sources of Particulate Matter 	Nov. 1, 2015
	Real Estate and Rental Disclosure	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Requires disclosure of PM_{2.5} health hazards 	June 1, 2016
	Fireplace or Chimney Remodel	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Applies to remodels costing >\$15,000 and requiring a local building permit Gas-fueled, electric devices or EPA certified devices only 	Nov. 1, 2016
	New Building Construction	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> No wood-burning devices may be installed 	Nov. 1, 2016
	Rental Properties in Natural Gas Service Areas	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Requires a permanently-installed source of heat that does not burn wood Rental properties in areas with natural gas may no longer qualify for Sole Source of Heat Exemption 	Nov. 1, 2018