

TITLE 35: ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION

SUBTITLE B: AIR POLLUTION

CHAPTER 1: POLLUTION CONTROL BOARD

**SUBCHAPTER 1: AIR QUALITY STANDARDS
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Section 244.101. Definitions

All terms which appear in this Part have the
definitions specified by this Part and 35 III.
Adm. Code 201 and 211.

"Air Stagnation Advisory": a special bulletin
issued by the National Weather Service entitled
"Air Stagnation Advisory," which is used to warn
air pollution control agencies that stagnant
atmospheric conditions are expected which could
cause increased concentrations of air
contaminants near the ground.

"btu": British thermal unit.

"COH": Coefficient of Haze (per 1,000 linear
feet). Particulate matter as measured by the
automatic paper tape sampler method and reported
as COH's. When particulate matter is recorded
on a weight per unit volume basis, the
conversion 1 COH equals 125 micrograms per cubic
meter shall be employed.

"Episode": the period of time at a location in
which an air pollution watch, yellow alert, red
alert or emergency has been declared.

"Fleet Vehicle": any one of three or more
vehicles operated for the transportation of
persons or property in the furtherance of any
commercial or industrial enterprise, for-hire or
not-for-hire.

"Indirect Source": any building, facility,
plant, auditorium or other structure or
combination thereof, or any street, road, or
highway or airport, which causes or contributes
to air pollution through the attraction of
mobile air pollution emission sources.

"Level": the magnitude of pollution (expressed
as average concentration, COH or product) during
a specified time period.

"Low Sulfur Fuel": any fuel containing 1.0% or
less sulfur by weight.

"Parking Lots": parking lots shall include all
lots, areas, buildings or facilities or portions
of lots, areas, buildings or facilities whose
primary purpose is for the temporary parking of
motor vehicles.

"Product": the arithmetic product of the
average sulfur dioxide concentration in parts
per million (ppm) during a specified time period
and the average particulate concentration in
COH's during that same specified time period.