Southeast Missouri Flooding Victims

ASBESTOS

REGULATIONS

The Missouri Department of Natural Resources must be notified about:

- All demolition projects regardless of whether asbestos is present or not. For buildings damaged by the recent flooding, the department has waived the 10-day notice requirement. However, notice should still be sent to the department within 24 hours of starting a regulated abatement or demolition project. In general, the demolition of single family residence that is not part of a larger project is not considered a regulated demolition project.
- All asbestos abatement projects that involve greater than 160 square feet, 260 linear feet or 35 cubic feet of friable asbestos-containing materials.

Send demolition notices to the Air Pollution Control Program at P.O. Box 176, Jefferson City, MO 65102 and the department's Southeast Regional Office at 2155 Westwood Blvd., Poplar Bluff, MO 63901. To speed the process you may also fax notices to 573-840-9754 or email shanon.reineke@dnr.mo.gov. Faxed or emailed notices must be followed up with the original signed notice mailed to the address above.

If an inspection reveals asbestos is present, the owner should contact the Air Pollution Control Program at 573-751-4817 or a registered asbestos abatement contractor for information regarding asbestos project regulatory requirements.

Federal regulations governing asbestos removal are also still in place.

For more information on asbestos requirements, contact the Air Pollution Control Program at 573-751-4817, or visit the department's Asbestos Information Web page at dnr.mo.gov/env/apcp/asbestos.htm.

Additional disaster related information is available on the department's Natural Disaster Resources Web page at dnr.mo.gov/disaster.htm.

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