

Wyoming Department of Environmental Quality
Solid and Hazardous Waste Division
Hazardous Waste Management

Chapter 7 – Special Permit Forms

2007 Rule Revision Explanation

Introduction:

The proposed revisions within Chapter 7 are being initiated by changes to federal rules that have been promulgated by the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) through the Federal Register Notice listed below. Revisions being proposed in this package are comparable to the federal Resource Conservation and Recovery Act (RCRA) regulations. Other revisions are proposed to correct editorial errors.

The authority to revise the rules contained within Chapter 7 is provided by W.S. 35-11-503(d)(i).

Applicable Federal Register Notices:

These proposed rules incorporate the final adopted EPA rule changes addressed in the following Federal Register (FR) notices:

- 1) February 12, 1997, in 62 FR 6622, *Military Munitions Rule: Hazardous Waste Identification and Management, Explosives Emergencies, Manifest Exemption for Transport of Hazardous Waste on Right-of-ways on Contiguous Properties* (hereafter referred to as Military munitions rule), and
- 2) May 16, 2001, in 66 FR 27218, *Storage, Treatment, Transportation and Disposal of Mixed Wastes* (hereafter referred to as Storage, treatment, transportation and disposal of mixed wastes);

EXPLANATION FOR PROPOSED REVISIONS

Universal editing guides pertaining to the attached rules:

Text in the margins indicates the federal citation for the rule.

Boldface type indicates that the state has added language for which there is no federal equivalent language.

A caret symbol (^) indicates that federal language has not been adopted

Editing guides pertaining to proposed changes:

Underline means language proposed to be added.

~~Strikethrough~~ means language proposed for removal.

The numbers in the left margin coincide with the page numbers on the attached pages from Chapter 7.

Changes proposed to Section 1. SPECIAL FORMS OF PERMITS.

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Sections 1(b)(ii)(F) and 1(f)(i) are proposed for revision to add a cross-reference to Chapter 12, Sections 19 and 20. These are two new sections (Military Munitions and Conditional Exemptions for Low-Level Mixed Waste Storage, Treatment, Transportation and Disposal Terms, respectively) being proposed for inclusion within Chapter 12 in accordance with new federal rules adopted as part of 62 FR 6622, (February 12, 1997 - Military munitions rule); and 66 FR 27218 (May 16, 2001- Storage, treatment, transportation and disposal of mixed wastes).

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Section 1(g)(iv)(C) is proposed for revision to add the phrase “units of” which was inadvertently excluded from this rule in the previous rulemaking. The counterpart federal rule contained this phrase when made final as part of 60 FR 63433 (December 11, 1995).