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Small Quantity Generator (SQG) Re-Notification Fact Sheet

When must a Small Quantity Generator (SQG) re-notify?

An SQG is required to re-notify every four years starting in 2021. The re-notification must be submitted by Sept. 1 of the year that re-notification is required.

The first re-notification is due Sept. 1, 2021.

How does an SQG re-notify?

SQGs must re-notify using form 8700-12FL Florida Notification of Regulated Waste Activity.

How early can I submit a notification and have it count toward the re-notification requirement? The re-notification requirement has been fulfilled if an SQG has submitted a notification anytime within the four years before the deadline to meet this requirement.

For example, if an SQG submitted a notification in November 2017, the initial re-notification requirement has been met. However, even if an SQG has submitted a notification in the four years prior to Sept. 1, 2021, it is highly recommended that the SQG review information for accuracy and make any necessary updates to site information whenever it changes.

What is an SQG of hazardous waste?

A site that generates greater than 100 kg (220 pounds) but less than 1,000 kg (2,200 pounds) of non-acute hazardous waste, and less than or equal to 1 kg (2.2 pounds) of acute hazardous waste, and less than or equal to 100 kg (220 pounds) of residues from a cleanup of acute hazardous waste must notify and operate as an SQG of hazardous waste.

Additionally, as an SQG, the quantity of the hazardous waste accumulated onsite must never exceed 6,000 kg (13,200 pounds). More information on the categories of hazardous waste generators can be found on the EPA website.

What regulation requires SQGs to re-notify?

Title 40 Code of Federal Regulations (CFR) 262.18(d), as adopted and incorporated by reference in subsection 62-730.160(1) Florida Administrative Code (F.A.C.).

Where can I find more information about the federal SQG re-notification requirement? Further information on the SQG re-notification requirements can be found on the EPA website.