



START ACTION NOTICE # 2019-08

1. TYPE OF ACTION: Department of Natural Resources and Environmental Control (DNREC) to begin developing regulations (7 Del. Admin. Code 1151) for the use and manufacturing of Hydrofluorocarbons (HFCs) in Delaware.
2. PURPOSE OF ACTION: This regulation will support the Governor's directive to the Department of Natural Resources and Environmental Control to propose regulations for the use and manufacturing of Hydrofluorocarbons by March 30, 2020.
3. STATUTORY BASIS: 7 Del. C. Chapter 60 Environmental Control. §§ 6001(c) & 6010.
4. IS THIS PROPOSED REGULATORY ACTION REQUIRED AS A RESULT OF FEDERAL STATUTE OR REGULATION? IF SO, PROVIDE LINK TO FEDERAL MANDATE. No.
5. DATE OF MOST RECENT REVIEW/AMENDMENT: New Regulation.
6. LIKELY AFFECTED PUBLIC: Manufacturers and end-users of HFCs in Delaware, which include (but are not limited to) aerosols/foams manufacturers, refrigeration industry, retail food and cold storage operators.
7. PROPOSED SCHEDULE OF ACTIVITIES: Review Committee Meetings & Workshops: Fall-Winter 2019
Public Hearing: Spring 2020
8. REVIEW COMMITTEE: The review committee will be composed of key stakeholders of potential HFCs regulations in Delaware, including (but not limited to) refrigerant and equipment/product manufacturers, trade/industry associations, end-users organizations (e.g. supermarket chains), and non-governmental organizations representatives.
9. RESPONSIBLE STAFF MEMBER:

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