## STATE OF VERMONT Agency of Natural Resources Department of Environmental Conservation Air Quality & Climate Division



## **Permitting and Registration Fee Schedules**

Permit to Construct Application Fees <sup>1</sup>		
Minor Administrative Amendment to an Existing Permit to Construct	\$150	
Transfer of Permit Ownership	\$150	
New Major Source or Major Modification	\$15,000	
New Minor Source or Minor Modification (see also supplemental fees below)	\$2000	
Engineering Review	\$2,000	
Review of Air Quality Impact Evaluation (Modeling)	\$2,000	
Review and Observation of Stack Emission Testing	\$2,000	
Review and Audit of Stack Continuous Emissions Monitors (CEMS)	\$2,000	
Review and Audit Performance of Ambient Air Monitors	\$2,000	
Implement Public Comment Requirements	\$500	

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> All permit application fees are set forth in 3 V.S.A. 2822(j)(1)(A) and were last amended/effective July 1, 2012. All permit application fees are due at time of application submittal except the supplemental fees for new minor source and minor source modifications which are determined, billed and due prior to permit issuance. All permit application fees are non-refundable once submitted. The fees in effect at time of submittal of an administratively complete application shall apply for all supplemental fees for that application.

Annual Point Source Registration Fees <sup>2</sup>		
For facilities with actual annual aggregate emissions of all air contaminants of less than 5 tons.	Select facilities may be required to register but may not be required to pay any fees. Select facilities in certain categories of sources, as to be determined by regulations, may be required to register and pay a \$500 base fee only.	
For facilities with actual annual aggregate emissions of all air contaminants of 5 tons or greater but less than 10 tons.	\$1,000 base fee, <u>plus</u> \$0.0335 per pound (\$67/ton) of emissions of SO <sub>2</sub> , PM, CO, NOx, and Hydrocarbons.	
For facilities with actual annual aggregate emissions of all air contaminants of <b>10 tons or greater</b> .	\$1,500 base fee, <u>plus</u> \$0.0335 per pound (\$67/ton) of emissions of SO <sub>2</sub> , PM, CO, NOx, and Hydrocarbons.	
	* For plants producing renewable energy as defined in 30 V.S.A. § 8002 the per pound fee shall not exceed \$64,000.00 on those emissions from renewable energy sources.	
Hazardous Air Contaminant Surcharge by Category of Contaminant:  Fees assessed based on the total actual pounds of each contaminant emitted.  Excludes emissions from combustion of fuels listed below. Hazardous Air Contaminants are categorized with regard to public health, and are as listed in App.  C of the VAPCRs.	Carcinogens (Category I): \$0.95 per lb Chronic (Category II): \$0.04 per lb Irritant (Category III): \$0.02 per lb	
Hazardous Air Contaminant Surcharge by Fuel Combustion:  Fees assessed based on actual amount of respective fuel burned annually. Fuels not listed here are instead assessed fees based on the Hazardous Air Contaminant Surcharge by category listed above.	#2 fuel oil: \$0.0005/gal* Diesel engines/generators: \$0.0055/gal Gas turbine (fuel oil fired): \$0.0022/gal #4,#5,#6 fuel oil and used oil: \$0.0015/gal Propane/LPG: \$0.0003 Natural gas/CNG: \$2.745/MMCF** Wood: \$0.1915/ton*** Wood utility unit: \$0.0607/ton***  *except diesel engines/generators and gas turbines which are listed separately.  **MMCF equals million cubic feet. Includes compressed natural gas (CNG).  ***tons of wood as-fired, including moisture.	

All fees are to be made payable to the "State of Vermont – Air Quality & Climate Division" and mailed to:

Air Quality & Climate Division Davis 2, One National Life Drive Montpelier, VT 05620-3802

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Annual point source registration fees are as set forth in 3 V.S.A. §2822(j)(1)(B), §2822(k) and §2822(l) and were last amended/effective July 1, 2015. The fees in effect at time of billing shall apply.