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MEMORANDUM

TO: Gary Mendivil, Department of Environmental Conservation

FROM: Scott Meriwether, Office of the Lieutenant Governor - 465.4081

DATE: October 7, 2016

RE: Filed Permanent Regulations: Department of Environmental Conservation

Regulations re: contaminated site cleanup procedures and soil and groundwater cleanup levels (18 AAC 75.325(g),(h); 18 AAC 75.340 - 18 AAC 75.345; 18 AAC 75.370(a)(2); 18 AAC 75.990)

Attorney General File:JU2015200567Regulation Filed:October 07, 2016Effective Date:November 06, 2016Print:220, January 2017

cc with enclosures:

Linda Miller, Department of Law Dianne Blumer, Administrative Regulation Review Committee Judy Herndon, LexisNexis

ORDER ADOPTING CHANGES TO REGULATIONS OF THE DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL CONSERVATION

The attached 51 pages of regulations, dealing with cleanup levels for soil and groundwater and how they are calculated at contaminated sites under 18 AAC 75 (Oil and Other Hazardous Substances Pollution Control), are adopted and certified to be a correct copy of the regulation changes that the Department of Environmental Conservation adopts under the authority of AS 46.03 and AS 46.04 after compliance with the Administrative Procedure Act (AS 44.62), specifically including notice under AS 44.62.190 and 44.62.200 and opportunity for public comment under AS 44.62.210.

This action is not expected to require an increased appropriation.

In considering public comments, the Department of Environmental Conservation paid special attention to the cost to private persons of the regulatory action being taken. Public comments were received from 23 parties and responses were provided to those comments. Changes were made to address many of the comments. In addition, the Department of Environmental Conservation also gave special attention to alternate practical methods in this regulatory action, as required by AS 46.03.024.

The regulation changes adopted under this order take effect on the 30th day after they have been filed by the lieutenant governor, as provided in AS 44.62.180.

DATE: September 16, 2016

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Larry Hartig, Commissioner Department of Environmental Conservation

FILING CERTIFICATION

I, Byron Mallott, Lieutenant Governor for the State of Alaska, certify that on 2016, at 11: A.m., I filed the attached regulations according to the provisions of AS 44.62.040 -44.62.120.

Mallott, Lieutenant Governor

Effective:

November 6, 2016. 220, January 2017

Register:

18 AAC 75.325(g) is amended to read:

(1) Header and footer should be one inch from top and botton, all "Jages))) (g) If using method two or method three for determining the applicable soil cleanup levels as described in 18 AAC 75.340 and 18 AAC 75.341, or if applying the groundwater cleanup levels at Table C in 18 AAC 75.345, a responsible person shall ensure that, after completing site cleanup, the risk from hazardous substances does not exceed a cumulative carcinogenic risk standard of 1 in 100,000 across all exposure pathways and does not exceed a cumulative noncarcinogenic risk standard at a hazard index of one, reported to one significant figure, across all exposure pathways. Instructions for determining [GUIDANCE ON] cumulative risk are [DETERMINATIONS IS] provided in the department's Procedures for (is and Calculating Cumulative Risk, dated May 15, 2016 CUMULATIVE RISK GUIDANCE, JUNE 9, 2008 The department's Procedures for Calculating Cumulative Risk, dated May 15, 2016 CUMULATIVE RISK GUIDANCE, JUNE 9, 2008 is adopted by reference.

18 AAC 75.325(h) is amended to read:

(h) If proposing an alternative cleanup level for soil or groundwater, based on a sitespecific risk assessment under method four in 18 AAC 75.340(f) or under the provisions of 18 AAC 75.345(b)(2), a responsible person shall ensure that the risk from hazardous substances does not exceed the cumulative carcinogenic risk standard of 1 in 100,000 across all exposure pathways and does not exceed the cumulative noncarcinogenic risk standard at a hazard index of determining one, reported to one significant figure, across all exposure pathways. Instructions for are [GUIDANCE ON] cumulative risk determinations is provided in the department's *Procedures* ~)1) (by reference) for Calculating Cumulative Risk [CUMULATIVE RISK GUIDANCE], adopted in (g) of this section. (Eff. 1/22/99, Register 149; am 8/27/2000, Register 155; am 1/30/2003, Register 165; am 10/9/2008, Register 188; am 11/6/2016, Register 220) am 1/1/2016, Register 214 am 1/1/2016, Register 217; ۸

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Authority:	AS 46.03.020	AS 46.03.740	AS 46.04.020
	AS 46.03.050	AS 46.03.745	AS 46.04.070
	AS 46.03.710	AS 46.03.822	AS 46.09.020

Editor's note: The department's Procedures for Calculating Cumulative Risk

[CUMULATIVE RISK GUIDANCE], adopted by reference in 18 AAC 75.325 may be viewed at or obtained from the department's offices in Anchorage, Fairbanks, Juneau, and Soldotna or the department's Internet website at

http://dec.alaska.gov/spar/csp/guidance_forms/csguidance.htm.

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18 AAC 75.340(d) is amended to read:

(d) The soil cleanup levels provided under method one and method two apply at a (d) The soil cleanup levels provided under method one and method two apply at a (d) The soil cleanup level proves an alternative cleanup level that the responsible person has proposed under method three or method four. To obtain approval for an alternative cleanup level, a responsible person must demonstrate that an alternative cleanup level proposed under method three or method four is protective of human health, safety, and welfare, and of the environment, and must demonstrate compliance with the applicable institutional control requirements under 18 AAC 75.375. The cleanup level that applies at a site is the most (alternative cleanup) stringent of either the affe-specific calculated level or, for a pathway where no affe-specific value was calculated, the listed value for a hazardous substance in Table B1 of 18 AAC 75.341(c) or Table B2 of 18 AAC 75.341(d).

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18 AAC 75.340(e) is amended to read:

(e) Under method three, a responsible person may propose <u>for the department's</u> <u>approval or the department may set a site-specific alternative cleanup level for a hazardous</u> <u>substance listed in Table B1 of 18 AAC 75.341(c) or Table B2 of 18 AAC 75.341(d)</u> that <u>the levels for the</u> modifies

(1) [the levels for the migration to groundwater or human health pathways [INHALATION LEVELS] in Table B1 [OF 18 AAC 75.341(c)] or the levels for the migration to groundwater or inhalation pathways in Table B2 [OF 18 AAC 75.341(d)], based on the use of approved site-specific soil data, and the equations set out in the department's <u>Procedures for</u> <u>Calculating Cleanup Levels</u> dated May 15, 2016 [CLEANUP LEVELS GUIDANCE, JUNE 9, 2008] adopted by reference; [THE ALTERNATIVE CLEANUP LEVEL THAT THEN APPLIES AT THE SITE FOR A HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE IS THE MOST STRINGENT OF THE TABLE B1 DIRECT CONTACT OR TABLE B2 INGESTION LEVEL AND THE SITE-SPECIFIC CALCULATED LEVELS FOR INHALATION OR MIGRATION TO GROUNDWATER?;]

(2) [the] levels for the migration to groundwater pathway [LEVELS] in Table B1 or Table B2] based on approved site-specific soil and groundwater data and an approved fate and transport model that demonstrates that alternative soil cleanup levels are protective of the applicable groundwater cleanup levels under 18 AAC 75.345 [IF THE ALTERNATIVE MIGRATION TO GROUNDWATER CLEANUP LEVEL DOES NOT EXCEED

(A) THE DIRECT CONTACT LEVEL IN TABLE B1 OR THE INGESTION LEVEL IN TABLE B2;

(B) THE INHALATION LEVEL IN TABLE B1 OR TABLE B2; OR

(C) A SITE-SPECIFIC INHALATION LEVEL CALCULATED UNDER (1) OF THIS SUBSECTION; THE LEVEL THAT APPLIES AT THE SITE IS THE MOST ((delate me (excess) space))) STRINGENT LEVEL]; or THE (3) the level for the human health pathway [DIRECT CONTACT OR THE INHALATION LEVEL] in Table B1 or the levels for ingestion [LEVEL] or [THE] inhalation pathways [LEVEL] in Table B2 based on use of commercial or industrial exposure parameters listed in Appendix B of the Procedures for Calculating Cleanup Levels [CLEANUP LEVELS GUIDANCE] adopted by reference in (1) of this subsection, if the department determines that the site serves a commercial or industrial land use [AND IF THE ALTERNATIVE DIRECT CONTACT LEVEL OR INHALATION LEVEL DOES NOT EXCEED THE MIGRATION TO GROUNDWATER CLEANUP LEVEL IN TABLE B1, THE ALTERNATIVE INGESTION LEVEL OR INHALATION LEVEL DOES NOT EXCEED THE MIGRATION TO GROUNDWATER CLEANUP LEVEL IN TABLE B2 OR THE ALTERNATIVE LEVEL DOES NOT EXCEED A SITE-SPECIFIC MIGRATION TO GROUNDWATER LEVEL CALCULATED UNDER (2) OF THIS SUBSECTION]; the department will base a land use determination under this paragraph upon

(A) consultation with the public, including the local zoning authority, if

any;

(B) a determination that the site does not serve a residential land use;

(C) a determination that the site will not serve a future residential land use based on consideration of the factors in EPA's *Land Use in the CERCLA Remedy Selection Process*, OSWER Dir. No. 9355.7-04, dated May 25, 1995, adopted by reference; land in an undeveloped area for which it would be difficult to determine a

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future use pattern is capable of being a residential area, unless demonstrated otherwise; and

(D) consent of each landowner who is affected by the contamination at the site that a cleanup level less stringent than a cleanup level appropriate to residential land use is appropriate for the site.

Existing 18 AAC 75. 340(F)(2) is unchanged.)

18 AAC 75.340(f)(2) is amended to read?

(2) obtains the consent of each landowner who is affected by the contamination at -the site that a cleanup level less stringent than a cleanup level appropriate to residential land use -is appropriate for the site.

18 AAC 75.340(g) is amended to read:

(g) The department will develop a site-specific cleanup level for a hazardous substance not listed under 18 AAC 75.341(c) using the **procedures** [EQUATIONS] set out in the department's <u>*Risk Assessment Procedures Manual*</u> [CLEANUP LEVELS GUIDANCE], $(f) \in (f) \in (f) \in (f)$ adopted by reference in $\frac{18 \text{ AAC} 75.340(f)(1)}{18 \text{ AAC} 75.340(e)(1)}$ of this section, unless the responsible person demonstrates that a site-specific cleanup level is not necessary to ensure protection of human health, safety, and welfare, and of the environment.

18 AAC 75.340(i)(2) is repealed and readopted to read:

(2) a site-specific analysis is necessary due to

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(A) exposure pathways such as the potential for the accumulation of

vapors in buildings or other structures at levels that threaten human health;

(B) sediment contamination;

(C) impacts to ecological receptors;

- (D) other site uses such as recreational, agricultural, or subsistence use; or
- (E) the presence of sensitive subpopulations who respond biologically to

lower levels of exposure to a hazardous substance.

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18 AAC 75.340(j)(2) is amended to read:

(2) human exposure from ingestion dermal DIRECT CONTACT of inhalation

[, DIRECT] contact with soil, or From

of **particulates or** a volatile hazardous substance must be attained in the surface soil and the subsurface soil to a depth of [AT LEAST] 15 feet, unless an institutional control or site conditions prevent human exposure to the subsurface soil; and

(Eff. 1/22/99, Register 149; am 8/27/2000, Register 155; am 1/30/2003, Register 165; am $\frac{11/2016}{10/9/2008}$, Register 188; am $\frac{11/6}{2016}$, Register 220)

Authority:	AS 46.03.020	AS 46.03.740	AS 46.04.070
	AS 46.03.050	AS 46.03.745	AS 46.09.020
	AS 46.03.710	AS 46.04.020	

Editor's note: The documents adopted by reference in 18 AAC 75.340 may be reviewed

2t, or requested from, the department's offices in Anchorage, Fairbanks, Juneau, and Soldotnas,

The documents adopted by reference may also be viewed through the department's

Internet website at http://dec.alaska.gov/spar/csp/guidance-forms/csguidance.htm. (K. Publishen: The existing editor's note that follows 18 AAC 75.340 is unchanged; what is displayed as "new" was already added effective Ganwary 1, 2016 (Register 217), as fourt of Def't of have file U2015200171.)))

The introductory language of 18 AAC 75.341(a) is amended to read:

(a) If a responsible person uses method one <u>for petroleum hydrocarbons</u> for a non-Arctic zone under 18 AAC 75.340, the soil cleanup levels must be based on Table A1 in this subsection.

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The introductory language of 18 AAC 75.341(b) is amended to read:

(b) If a responsible person uses method one <u>for petroleum hydrocarbons</u> for an Arctic zone under 18 AAC 75.340, the soil cleanup levels must be based on Table A2 in this subsection.

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18 AAC 75.341(c) is repealed and readopted to read:

(c) If a responsible person uses method two for chemicals other than petroleum hydrocarbons under 18 AAC 75.340, the soil cleanup levels must be based on Table B1 in this subsection.

Hazardous Substance	CAS Number ¹	health effect that drives risk: (#(ca); carcinogen(c);	Arctic Zone ²	Under 40 Inch Zone ³	Over 40 Inch Zone ⁴	Migration to Groundwater ⁶ (mg/kg)
		noncarcinogen(nc); # mutagen(m) #	Human Health ⁵ (mg/kg)	Human Health ⁵ (mg/kg)	Human Health ⁵ (mg/kg)	
Acenaphthene ⁷	83-32-9	nc	6300	4600	3800	37
Acenaphthylene ^{7,8}	208-96-8	nc	3100	2300	1900	18
Acetone	67-64-1	nc	1.0 x 10 ^{5;9}	81000	65000	38
Aldrin	309-00-2	ca	0.67	0.49	0.40	0.0099
Ammonium Perchlorate	7790-98-9	nc	96	71	58	0.037
Anthracene ⁷	120-12-7	nc	31000	23000	19000	390
Antimony (metallic)	7440-36-0	nc	55	41	33	4.6
Arsenic, Inorganic ¹¹	7440-38-2	ca	12	8.8	7.2	0.20
Barium	7440-39-3	nc	25000	20000	17000	2100
Benz[a]anthracene ⁷	56-55-3	m	2.7	2.0	1.7	0.28
Benzaldehyde	100-52-7	nc	77010	770 ¹⁰	77010	0.52

Hazardous Substance	CAS Number ¹	health effect that drives risk: carcinogen(c); noncarcinogen(nc); mutagen(m) #	Arctic Zone ² Human Health ⁵ (mg/kg)	Under 40 Inch Zone ³ Human Health ⁵ (mg/kg)	Over 40 Inch Zone ⁴ Human Health ⁵ (mg/kg)	Migration to Groundwater ⁶ (mg/kg)
Benzene ⁷	71-43-2	ca	16	11	8.1	0.022
Benzo[a]pyrene ⁷	50-32-8	m	0.28	0.20	0.17	0.27
Benzo[b]fluoranthene ⁷	205-99-2	m	2.8	2.0	1.7	2.7
Benzo[g,h,i]perylene ^{7.8}	191-24-2	nc	3100	2300	1900	15000
Benzo[k]fluoranthene ⁷	207-08-9	m	28	20	17	27
Benzoic Acid	65-85-0	nc	1.0 x 10 ⁵ ;	1.0 x 10 ⁵ ;	1.0 x 10 ⁵ ;9	200
Benzyl Alcohol	100-51-6	nc	11000	8200	6700	5.7
Beryllium and compounds	7440-41-7	nc	270	200	170	260
Bis(2-chloroethyl)ether	111-44-4	ca	4.0	2.8	2.1	0.00043
Bis(2-ethylhexyl)phthalate	117-81-7	ca	680	500	410	88
Bromobenzene	108-86-1	nc	16010	16010	16010	0.30

Hazardous Substance	CAS Number ¹	health effect that drives risk: (#(ca);) carcinogen(c);	Arctic Zone ² Human	Under 40 Inch Zone ³ Human	Over 40 Inch Zone ⁴ Human	Migration to Groundwater
		noncarcinogen(nc); # mutagen(m) { #:	Health ⁵ (mg/kg)	Health ⁵ (mg/kg)	Health ⁵ (mg/kg)	(mg/kg)
Bromodichloromethane	75-27-4	ca	5.3	3.6	2.6	0.0043
Bromoform	75-25-2	ca	340	240	170	0.10
Bromomethane	74-83-9	nc	15	10	7.4	0.024
Butadiene, 1,3-	106-99-0	ca	1.2	0.86	0.64	0.0012
Butanol, N-	71-36-3	nc	650010	6500 ¹⁰	6500 ¹⁰	5.3
Butyl Benzyl Phthalate	85-68-7	ca	5000	3700	3000	16
Butylbenzene, n-	104-51-8	nc	2010	2010	2010	23
Butylbenzene, sec-	135-98-8	nc	2810	2810	2810	42
Butylbenzene, tert-	98-06-6	nc	3510	3510	3510	11
Cadmium (Diet)	7440-43-9	nc	120	92	76	9.1
Carbon Disulfide	75-15-0	nc	500 ¹⁰	50010	50010	2.9

Hazardous Substance	CAS Number ¹	health effect that drives risk: carcinogen(c); noncarcinogen(nc);	Arctic Zone ² Human Health ⁵	Under 40 Inch Zone ³ Human Health ⁵	Over 40 Inch Zone ⁴ Human Health ⁵	Migration to Groundwater (mg/kg)
		mutagen(m)	(mg/kg)	(mg/kg)	(mg/kg)	
Carbon Tetrachloride	56-23-5	ca	13	9.1	6.6	0.021
Chlordane	12789-03-6	ca	29	22	17	0.18
Chlordecone (Kepone)	143-50-0	ca	0.95	0.70	0.58	0.0083
Chloroaniline, p-	106-47-8	ca	47	35	29	0.015
Chlorobenzene	108-90-7	nc	18010	18010	18010	0.46
Chloroform	67-66-3	ca	5.8	4.0	2.9	0.0071
Chloromethane	74-87-3	nc	250	170	120	0.61
Chloronaphthalene, Beta-	91-58-7	nc	8400	6200	5100	26
Chlorophenol, 2-	95-57-8	nc	680	510	410	0.71
Chromium(III), Insoluble Salts ¹²	16065-83-1	nc	1.0 x 10 ⁵ ;	1.0 x 10 ⁵ ;	1.0 x 10 ⁵ ;	1.0 x 10 ⁵ ;
Chromium(VI) ¹²	18540-29-9	m	4.9	# 3.9	3.2	0.089

Hazardous Substance	CAS Number ¹	health effect that drives risk: carcinogen(c);	Arctic Zone ² Human	Under 40 Inch Zone ³ Human	Over 40 Inch Zone ⁴ Human	Migration to Groundwater ⁶
		noncarcinogen(nc); # mutagen(m) #	Health ⁵ (mg/kg)	Health ⁵ (mg/kg)	Health ⁵ (mg/kg)	(mg/kg)
Chrysene ⁷	218-01-9	m	280	200	170	82
Copper	7440-50-8	nc	5500	4100	3300	370
Cresol, m-	108-39-4	nc	5500	4100	3400	6.1
Cresol, o-	95-48-7	nc	5500	4100	3400	6.2
Cresol, p-	106-44-5	nc	11000	8200	6700	12
Cumene	98-82-8	nc	54 ¹⁰	5410	5410	5.6
Cyanide (CN-) ¹³	57-12-5	nc	48	34	26	0.20
Cyclohexane	110-82-7	nc	77 ¹⁰	7710	77 ¹⁰	150
DDD	72-54-8	ca	40	29	24	0.49
DDE, p,p'-	72-55-9	ca	34	25	20	0.72
DDT	50-29-3	ca	33	24	20	5.1

Hazardous Substance	CAS ca Number ¹ non	health effect that drives risk: carcinogen(c);	Arctic Zone ² Human	Under 40 Inch Zone ³ Human	Over 40 Inch Zone ⁴ Human	Migration to Groundwater ⁶ (mg/kg)
		noncarcinogen(nc); mutagen(m) #	Human Health ⁵ (mg/kg)	Health ⁵ (mg/kg)	Health ⁵ (mg/kg)	
Dibenz[a,h]anthracene ⁷	53-70-3	m	0.28	0.20	0.17	0.87
Dibenzofuran	132-64-9	nc	130	95	77	0.97
Dibromochloromethane	124-48-1	ca	140	110	88	0.0027
Dibromoethane, 1,2- (Ethylene Dibromide)	106-93-4	ca	0.62	0.42	0.31	0.00024
Dibromomethane (Methylene Bromide)	74-95-3	nc	45	31	22	0.025
Dibutyl Phthalate	84-74-2	nc	11000	8200	6700	16
Dichlorobenzene, 1,2-	95-50-1	nc	7810	7810	7810	2.4
Dichlorobenzene, 1,3-8	541-73-1	nc	6210	6210	6210	2.3
Dichlorobenzene, 1,4-	106-46-7	ca	31	21	15	0.037
Dichlorobenzidine, 3,3'-	91-94-1	ca	21	16	13	0.056
Dichlorodifluoromethane	75-71-8	nc	220	150	110	3.9

Hazardous Substance	CAS Number ¹	health effect that drives risk: carcinogen(c); noncarcinogen(nc); # mutagen(m)	Arctic Zone ² Human Health ⁵ (mg/kg)	Under 40 Inch Zone ³ Human Health ⁵ (mg/kg)	Over 40 Inch Zone ⁴ Human Health ⁵ (mg/kg)	Migration to Groundwater (mg/kg)
Dichloroethane, 1,1-	75-34-3	ca	67	46	33	0.092
Dichloroethane, 1,2-	107-06-2	ca	7.9	5.5	3.9	0.005:
Dichloroethylene, 1,1-	75-35-4	nc	480	330	240	1.3
Dichloroethylene, 1,2-cis-	156-59-2	nc	270	200	170	0.12
Dichloroethylene, 1,2-trans-	156-60-5	nc	960 ¹⁰	960 ¹⁰	96010	1.3
Dichlorophenol, 2,4-	120-83-2	nc	330	250	200	0.2
Dichlorophenoxy Acetic Acid, 2,4-	94-75-7	nc	1200	910	740	0.53
Dichloropropane, 1,2-	78-87-5	ca	16	11	8.0	0.010
Dichloropropene, 1,3-	542-75-6	ca	29	21	15	0.018
Dieldrin	60-57-1	ca	0.59	0.44	0.36	0.0047
Diethyl Phthalate	84-66-2	nc	88000	66000	54000	60

Hazardous Substance		health effect that drives risk: (#(ca); carcinogen(c);	Arctic Zone ²	Under 40 Inch Zone ³	Over 40 Inch Zone ⁴	Migration to Groundwater ⁶ (mg/kg)
		noncarcinogen(nc); # mutagen(m) #	Human Health ⁵ (mg/kg)	Human Health ⁵ (mg/kg)	Human Health ⁵ (mg/kg)	
Dimethylphenol, 2,4-	105-67-9	nc	2200	1600	1300	3.2
Dimethylphthalate ⁸	131-11-3	nc	88000	66000	54000	48
Dinitrobenzene, 1,2-	528-29-0	nc	11	8.2	6.7	0.014
Dinitrobenzene, 1,3-	99-65-0	nc	11	8.2	6.7	0.014
Dinitrobenzene, 1,4-	100-25-4	nc	11	8.2	6.7	0.014
Dinitrophenol, 2,4-	51-28-5	nc	220	160	130	0.34
Dinitrotoluene, 2,4-	121-14-2	ca	30	23	18	0.024
Dinitrotoluene, 2,6-	606-20-2	ca	6.3	4.7	3.8	0.0050
Dinitrotoluene, 2-Amino-4,6-	35572-78-2	nc	270	200	160	0.25
Dinitrotoluene, 4-Amino-2,6-	19406-51-0	nc	270	200	160	0.25
Dioxane, 1,4-	123-91-1	ca	100	73	58	0.012

Hazardous Substance	CAS Number ¹	health effect that drives risk: carcinogen(c); noncarcinogen(nc); # mutagen(m)	Arctic Zone ² Human Health ⁵ (mg/kg)	Under 40 Inch Zone ³ Human Health ⁵ (mg/kg)	Over 40 Inch Zone ⁴ Human Health ⁵ (mg/kg)	Migration to Groundwater ⁶ (mg/kg)
Diphenylamine	122-39-4	# nc	2800	2000	(ing/ kg)	4.3
Dipitenyianine	122-39-4	ne	2000	2000	1700	4
Endosulfan	115-29-7	nc	820	610	500	9.3
Endrin	72-20-8	nc	33	25	20	0.61
Ethyl Chloride	75-00-3	nc	140010	140010	140010	72
Ethylbenzene ⁷	100-41-4	ca	72	49	35	0.13
Ethylene Glycol	107-21-1	nc	1.0 x 10 ⁵ ; ⁹	1.0 x 10 ⁵ ;	1.0 x 10 ⁵ ;⁰	110
Fluoranthene ⁷	206-44-0	nc	4200	3100	2500	590
Fluorene ⁷	86-73-7	nc	4200	3100	2500	30
Formaldehyde	50-00-0	ca	430	290	210	0.01
Heptachlor	76-44-8	ca	2.2	1.6	1.3	0.0076
Heptachlor Epoxide	1024-57-3	ca	1.2	0.86	0.69	0.0019

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		noncarcinogen(nc); # mutagen(m) #	Human Health ⁵ (mg/kg)	Human Health ⁵ (mg/kg)	Human Health ⁵ (mg/kg)	(mg/kg)
Hexachlorobenzene	118-74-1	ca	2.8	2.0	1.5	0.0082
Hexachlorobutadiene	87-68-3	nc	3.310	3.310	3.310	0.020
Hexachlorocyclohexane, Alpha-	319-84-6	ca	1.5	1.1	0.91	0.0029
Hexachlorocyclohexane, Beta-	319-85-7	ca	5.3	3.9	3.2	0.010
Hexachlorocyclohexane, Gamma- (Lindane)	58-89-9	ca	9.9	7.4	6.0	0.016
Hexachlorocyclopentadiene	77-47-4	nc	2.0	1.4	1.0	0.0093
Hexachloroethane	67-72-1	ca	24	17	12	0.018
Hexahydro-1,3,5-trinitro-1,3,5-triazine (RDX)	121-82-4	ca	110	79	64	0.027
Hexane, N-	110-54-3	nc	13010	13010	13010	13010
Hexanone, 2-	591-78-6	nc	380	270	210	0.11
Hydrazine	302-01-2	ca	0.79	0.55	0.40	2.9 x 10 ⁻⁵

Hazardous Substance	CAS	health effect that drives risk: carcinogen(c);	Arctic Zone ²	Under 40 Inch Zone ³	Over 40 Inch Zone ⁴	Migration to Groundwater ⁶	
	Number ¹	noncarcinogen(nc);	Human Health ⁵ (mg/kg)	Human Health ⁵ (mg/kg)	Human Health ⁵ (mg/kg)	(mg/kg)	
Indeno[1,2,3-cd]pyrene ⁷	193-39-5	m	2.8	2.0	1.7	8.8	
Isophorone	78-59-1	ca	10000	7400	6100	2.7	
Isopropanol	67-63-0	nc	14000	9500	6800	1.1	
Lead and Compounds ¹⁴	7439-92-1	nc	400	400	400	7/2.5	
Mercuric Chloride ⁸	7487-94-7	nc	41	30	25	3.9	
Mercury (elemental)	7439-97-6	nc	3.110	3.110	3.110	0.36	
Methanol	67-56-1	nc	1.0 x 10 ⁵ ;	1.0 x 10 ⁵ ;	1.0 x 10 ⁵ ; ⁹	54	
Methoxychlor	72-43-5	nc	550	410	340	13	
Methyl Ethyl Ketone (2-Butanone)	78-93-3	nc	2300010	2300010	2300010	15	
Methyl Isobutyl Ketone (4-methyl-2-pentanone)	108-10-1	nc	220010	220010	2200 ¹⁰	18	
Methyl Mercury	22967-92-6	nc	14	10	8.3	180	

Hazardous Substance	CAS Number ¹	health effect that drives risk: carcinogen(c); noncarcinogen(nc);	Arctic Zone ² Human Health ⁵ (mg/kg)	Under 40 Inch Zone ³ Human Health ⁵ (mg/kg)	Over 40 Inch Zone ⁴ Human Health ⁵ (mg/kg)	Migration to Groundwater ⁶ (mg/kg)	
Methyl tert-Butyl Ether (MTBE)	1634-04-4	ca	970	670	480	0.40	
	1001011	*			100	0.10	
Methylene Chloride	75-09-2	nc	630	460	360	0.33	
Methylnaphthalene, 1-	90-12-0	ca	68 ¹⁰	68 ¹⁰	68 ¹⁰	0.41	
Methylnaphthalene, 2-	91-57-6	nc	420	310	250	1.3	
Naphthalene ⁷	91-20-3	ca	42	29	20	0.038	
Nickel Soluble Salts	7440-02-0	nc	2600	2000	1700	340	
Nitrobenzene	98-95-3	ca	63	43	31	0.0079	
Nitroglycerin	55-63-0	nc	11	8.2	6.7	0.0082	
Nitroguanidine	556-88-7	nc	11000	8200	6700	5.8	
Nitrosodimethylamine, N-	62-75-9	m	0.036	0.026	0.020	3.3 x 10 ⁻⁶	
Nitroso-di-N-propylamine, N-	621-64-7	ca	1.4	1.00	0.82	0.00068	

Hazardous Substance	CAS Number ¹	health effect that drives risk: carcinogen(e); noncarcinogen(nc); mutagen(m)	Arctic Zone ² Human Health ⁵ (mg/kg)	Under 40 Inch Zone ³ Human Health ⁵ (mg/kg)	Over 40 Inch Zone ⁴ Human Health ⁵ (mg/kg)	Migration to Groundwater ⁶ (mg/kg)	
Nitrosodiphenylamine, N-	86-30-6	ca	1900	1400	1200	4.6	
Nitrotoluene, m-	99-08-1	nc	11	8.2	6.7	0.013	
Nitrotoluene, o-	88-72-2	ca	55	41	34	0.024	
Nitrotoluene, p-	99-99-0	nc	440	330	270	0.32	
Octahydro-1,3,5,7-tetranitro-1,3,5,7-tetrazocine (HMX)	2691-41-0	nc	6700	5000	4100	9.7	
Octyl Phthalate, di-N-	117-84-0	nc	1100	820	670	370	
Pentachlorophenol	87-86-5	ca	18	13	11	0.0043	
Pentaerythritol tetranitrate (PETN)	78-11-5	nc	220	160	130	0.43	
Perfluorooctane <u>Sulphonic Acid</u> (PFOS)	1763-23-1	nc	2.2	1.6	1.3	0.0030	
Perfluorooctanoic Acid (PFOA)	335-67-1	nc	2.2	1.6	1.3	0.0017	
Phenanthrene ^{7,8}	85-01-8	nc	3100	2300	1900	39	

Hazardous Substance	CAS	health effect that drives risk: (#(ca.); carcinogen(c);	Arctic Zone ²	Under 40 Inch Zone ³	Over 40 Inch Zone ⁴	Migration to Groundwater ⁶	
	Number ¹	noncarcinogen(nc);	Human Health ⁵ (mg/kg)	Human Health ⁵ (mg/kg)	Human Health ⁵ (mg/kg)	(mg/kg)	
Phenol	108-95-2	nc	33000	25000	20000	29	
Phosphorus, White	7723-14-0	nc	2.7	2.0	1.7	0.020	
Polychlorinated Biphenyls (total) ¹⁵	1336-36-3	ca	1.0	1.0	1.0	r/a)6	
Propyl benzene	103-65-1	nc	5210	5210	5210	9.1	
Pyrene ⁷	129-00-0	nc	3100	2300	1900	87	
Selenium	7782-49-2	nc	680	510	410	6.9	
Silver	7440-22-4	nc	680	510	410	11	
Styrene	100-42-5	nc	18010	18010	18010	10	
TCDD, 2,3,7,8- ¹⁶	1746-01-6	ca	8.2 x 10 ⁻⁵	6.0 x 10 ⁻⁵	4.9 x 10 ⁻⁵	3.9 x 10 ⁻⁶	
Tetrachloroethane, 1,1,1,2-	630-20-6	ca	30	21	15	0.022	
Tetrachloroethane, 1,1,2,2-	79-34-5	ca	8.8	6.1	4.4	0.0030	

Hazardous Substance	CAS Number ¹	health effect that drives risk: (#(ca.);) carcinogen(c); noncarcinogen(nc); # mutagen(m)	Arctic Zone ² Human Health ⁵ (mg/kg)	Under 40 Inch Zone ³ Human Health ⁵ (mg/kg)	Over 40 Inch Zone ⁴ Human Health ⁵ (mg/kg)	Migration to Groundwater (mg/kg)
Terrendelaurertealaure	127-18-4	4	68 ¹⁰	(Ing/ ing) 68 ¹⁰	(mg/ ng) 68 ¹⁰	0.19
Tetrachloroethylene	127-18-4	nc	08	08.	08-	0.19
Tetryl (Trinitrophenylmethylnitramine)	479-45-8	nc	270	200	170	2.5
Thallium (Soluble Salts)	7440-28-0	nc	1.4	1.00	0.83	0.19
Toluene ⁷	108-88-3	nc	20010	20010	20010	6.
Toxaphene	8001-35-2	ca	8.6	6.4	5.2	0.72
Trichloro-1,2,2-trifluoroethane, 1,1,2-	76-13-1	nc	74010	74010	74010	1700
Trichlorobenzene, 1,2,3-	87-61-6	пс	110	81	66	0.1
Trichlorobenzene, 1,2,4-	120-82-1	nc	65	45	32	0.08
Trichloroethane, 1,1,1-	71-55-6	nc	36010	36010	360 ¹⁰	3
Trichloroethane, 1,1,2-	79-00-5	nc	2.3	1.6	1.1	0.001
Trichloroethylene	79-01-6	nc	7.1	4.9	3.5	0.01

Hazardous Substance	CAS Number ¹	health effect that drives risk: (#(ca);) carcinogen(c); noncarcinogen(nc);	Arctic Zone ² Human	Under 40 Inch Zone ³ Human	Over 40 Inch Zone ⁴ Human	Migration to Groundwater (mg/kg)
		$ \begin{array}{c} & & & \\ mutagen(m) \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ \end{array} $	Health ⁵ (mg/kg)	Health ⁵ (mg/kg)	Health ⁵ (mg/kg)	
Trichlorofluoromethane	75-69-4	nc	980 ¹⁰	980 ¹⁰	98010	41
Trichlorophenol, 2,4,5-	95-95-4	nc	11000	8200	6700	28
Trichlorophenol, 2,4,6-	88-06-2	nc	110	82	67	0.092
Trichlorophenoxyacetic Acid, 2,4,5-	93-76-5	nc	1100	820	670	0.66
Trichlorophenoxypropionic acid, -2,4,5	93-72-1	nc	880	660	540	0.55
Trichloropropane, 1,2,3-	96-18-4	m	0.089	0.066	0.054	3.1 x 10 ⁻⁵
Trimethylbenzene, 1,2,4-	95-63-6	nc	4310	4310	33	0.16
Trimethylbenzene, 1,3,5-	108-67-8	nc	3710	3710	3710	1.3
Tri-n-butyltin	688-73-3	nc	41	30	25	0.68
Trinitrobenzene, 1,3,5-	99-35-4	nc	3900	2900	2400	15
Trinitrotoluene, 2,4,6-	118-96-7	nc	64	47	39	0.39

Hazardous Substance	CAS	health effect that drives risk: carcinogen(e);	Arctic Zone ²	Under 40 Inch Zone ³	Over 40 Inch Zone ⁴	Migration to Groundwater ⁶ (mg/kg)
	Number ¹	noncarcinogen(nc); # mutagen(m) #	Human Health ⁵ (mg/kg)	Human Health ⁵ (mg/kg)	Human Health ⁵ (mg/kg)	
Vanadium and Compounds	7440-62-2	nc	680	510	420	1100
Vinyl Acetate	108-05-4	nc	2100	1400	1000	1.1
Vinyl Chloride	75-01-4	ca	0.69	0.65	0.61	0.00080
Xylenes ⁷	1330-20-7	nc	5710	5710	57 ¹⁰	1.5
Zinc and Compounds	7440-66-6	nc	41000	30000	25000	4900

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NOTES TO TABLE BI FOLLOW TABLE BZ IN (d) OF THIS SECTION. } (bold) 18 AAC 75.341(d) is repealed and readopted to read:

(d) If a responsible person uses method two for petroleum hydrocarbons under

18 AAC 75.340, the soil cleanup levels must be based on Table B2 in this subsection.

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TABLE Petroleum Hydrocarbon Range	B2. MET	HOD TW(Arctic Zon mg/kg		<u></u>	YDROCA	NRBON SO	<u></u>	NUP LEN	Maximum Allowable Concentrations ¹⁷	
	Ingestion (mg/kg) ¹⁸	Inhalation (mg/kg) ¹⁹	Migration to Groundwater (mg/kg) ⁶	Ingestion (mg/kg) ¹⁶	Inhalation (mg/kg) ¹⁷	Migration to groundwater (mg/kg) ⁶	Ingestion (mg/kg) ¹⁶	Inhalation (mg/kg) ¹⁷	Migration to Groundwater (mg/kg) ⁶	mg/kg
	1	For	Laboratory	Analysis	using AK	Methods 1	01, 102, a	nd 103		
C6-C10 GRO using AK 101	1400	1400	n/a	1400	1400	300	1400	1400	260	1400
C ₁₀ -C ₂₅ DRO using AK 102	12500	12500	n/a	10250	12500	250	8250	12500	230	12500

C25-C36 RRO using AK 103	13700	22000	n/a	10000	22000	11000	8300	22000	9700	22000	
	For Laboratory Analysis using AK Aliphatic and Aromatic Fraction Methods 101AA, 102AA, and 103AA										
C ₆ -C ₁₀ Aliphatics	1000	1000	n/a	1000	1000	270	1000	1000	240	1000	
C6-C10 Aromatics	1000	1000	n/a	1000	1000	150	1000	1000	130	1000	
C ₁₀ -C ₂₅ Aliphatics	10000	10000	n/a	10000	10000	7200	8300	10000	6400	10000	
C ₁₀ -C ₂₅ Aromatics	5000	5000	n/a	4100	5000	100	3300	5000	90	5000	

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C ₂₅ -C ₃₆ Aliphatics										
	20000	20000	n/a	20000	20000	20000	20000	20000	20000	20000
C ₂₅ -C ₃₆ Aromatics	4100	10000	n/a	3000	10000	3300	2500	10000	2900	10000
See notes to table for	See notes to table for further requirements. "n/a" means not applicable.									

Notes to Tables B1 and B2:

(alternative)

If applicable, site specific cleanup levels must be protective of migration to surface water.

Concentrations of hazardous substances in soil must be calculated and presented on a per dry

weight basis. For volatile organic hazardous substances for which toxicity data are not currently

available or calculated levels exceed the calculated saturation concentration, the cleanup level

that applies at a site is the calculated saturation concentration determined using the equations set

out in the Procedures for Calculating Cleanup Levels, adopted by reference in 18 AAC 75.340.

The cleanup level from Table B1 or B2 that applies at a site is the most stringent of the

applicable exposure pathway-specific cleanup levels based on human health, ingestion,

where the superscript figure "9" follows the exponent "10" separated by a semicolons the figure "9" inhalation, or migration to groundwater. (refers to Note 9.

1. "CAS Number" means the Chemical Abstract Service (CAS) registry number uniquely

assigned to chemicals by the American Chemical Society and recorded in the CAS Registry

System.

2. "Arctic zone" is defined at 18 AAC 75.990.

3. "Under 40 inch zone" means a site that receives mean annual precipitation of less than 40

inches each year.

4. "Over 40 inch zone" means a site that receives mean annual precipitation of 40 or more inches

each year. The 5. "Human Health" means the cumulative exposure pathway through dermal contact, ingestion, and inhalation of volatile and particulate compounds from hazardous substances in the soil but the excludes vapor intrusion pathway of indoor air inhalation. The 6. "Migration to groundwater" ineans the potential for hazardous substances to leach to $\equiv iacap$ groundwater where they may result in a completed human exposure pathway through dermal

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contact, ingestion, or inhalation of contaminants at or above levels listed in Table C at 18 AAC 75.345(b)(1); soil cleanup levels protective of migration to surface water must be determined on a site-specific basis.

7. If using method two or method three, the applicable petroleum hydrocarbon cleanup levels must be met in addition to the applicable chemical-specific cleanup levels for benzene, ethylbenzene, toluene, and total xylenes; the chemical-specific cleanup levels for the polynuclear aromatic hydrocarbons acenaphthene, acenapthylene, anthracene, benz[a]anthracene, benzo[a]pyrene, benzo[b]fluoranthene, benzo[k]fluoranthene, benzo[g,h,i]pyrene, chrysene, dibenz[a,h]anthracene, fluoranthene, fluorene, indeno[1,2,3-c,d]pyrene, naphthalene, phenanthrene, and pyrene must also be met unless the department determines that those cleanup levels need not be met to protect human health, safety, and welfare, and the environment.
8. Where one or more toxicological values were unavailable, toxicity values from surrogate compounds or other sources were used as follows:

(A) pyrene is a toxicity surrogate for acenaphthylene, benzo(g,h,i) perylene, and phenanthrene;

(B) 1,2-dichlorobenzene is a toxicity surrogate for 1,3-dichlorobenzene;

(C) diethylphthalate is a toxicity surrogate for dimethylphthalate;

(D) elemental mercury is a toxicity surrogate for mercuric chloride

(E) EPA's May 2016 Drinking Water Health Advisories for Perfluorooctonoic

Acid (PFOA) and Perfluorooctane Sulfonate (PFOS). > 9. The ceiling limit of 100,000 mg/kg is equivalent to a chemical representing 10% by weight of the soil sample. At this contaminant concentration and higher, the assumptions for soil contact may be violated (for example, soil adherence and wind-borne dispersion assumptions) due to the presence of the foreign substance itself.

10. These levels are based on soil saturation level (Csat) using the equations set out in

Procedures for Calculating Cleanup Levels, adopted by reference in 18 AAC 75.340. Refer to the *Procedures for Calculating Cumulative Risk*, adopted by reference in 18 AAC 75.325

11. Due to the prevalence of naturally occurring arsenic throughout the state, arsenic at a site will be considered background arsenic unless anthropogenic contribution from a source, activity, or mobilization via another introduced contaminant is known or suspected.
12. Due to the prevalence of naturally occurring chromium III throughout Alaska, sample results reported for total chromium detected at a site will be considered background chromium III unless anthropogenic contribution of chromium III or VI from a source, activity, or mobilization via another introduced contaminant is known or suspected. The calculated chromium III migration to groundwater cleanup level exceeds (million parts per million.

13. Cyanide expressed as free, or physiologically available cyanide.

14. Lead cleanup levels are based on land use; for residential land use, the soil cleanup level is 400 mg/kg. For commercial or industrial land use, as applied in 18 AAC 75.340(e)(3), the soil cleanup level is 800 mg/kg; through an approved site-specific risk assessment, conducted according to the *Risk Assessment Procedures Manual*, adopted by reference at 18 AAC 75.340, approved exposure models may be used to evaluate exposure to a child resident or an adult worker; a responsible person may also propose an alternative cleanup level, through a sitespecific risk assessment conducted according to the *Risk Assessment Procedures Manual*, and based on a chemical speciation of the lead present at the site. For soils contaminated with lead more than 15 feet below ground surface, lead cleanup levels will be determined on a site-specific basis.

15. For unrestricted land use, polychlorinated biphenyls (PCBs) in soil shall be cleaned up to the listed value, unless the department determines that a different cleanup level is necessary as provided in 18 AAC 75.340(i); with the prior approval of the department, PCBs in soil may be cleaned up to

(A) between 1 and 10 mg/kg if the responsible person

(i) caps each area containing PCBs in soil at levels between 1 and 10 mg/kg; for purposes of this Note , "caps" means covering an area of PCB contaminated soil with an appropriate material to prevent exposure of humans and the environment to PCBs; to be approved, a cap must be designed and constructed of a material acceptable to the department and of sufficient strength and durability to withstand the use of the surface that is exposed to the environment; within 72 hours after discovery of a breach to the integrity of a cap, the responsible person or the landowner shall initiate repairs to that breach; and

(ii) provides the department within 60 days after completing the cleanup, documentation that the responsible person has recorded a deed notation in the appropriate land records, or on another instrument that is normally examined during a title search, documenting that PCBs remain in the soil, that the contaminated soil has been capped, and that subsequent interest holders may have legal obligations with respect to the cap and the contaminated soil; or

(B) an alternative PCB soil cleanup level developed through an approved site-specific risk assessment, conducted according to the *Risk Assessment Procedures Manual*, adopted by reference at 18 AAC 75.340.

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16. This cleanup level is for 2,3,7,8-Tetrachlorordibenzo-*p*-Dioxin (TCDD) only; all cleanup levels for polychlorinated dibenzo-*p*-dioxin (PCDD) and polychlorinated dibenzofuran (PCDF) congeners must be determined on a site-specific basis.

17. This level is the concentration of C₆ - C₁₀, C₁₀ - C₂₅, or C₂₅ - C₃₆ petroleum hydrocarbon
range in surface and subsurface soil that if exceeded, indicates an increased potential for
hazardous substance migration or for risk to human health, safety or welfare, or to the
environment; the level of a petroleum hydrocarbon may not remain at a concentration above the
maximum allowable concentration unless a responsible person demonstrates that the petroleum
hydrocarbon will not migrate and will not pose a significant risk to human health, safety, or
welfare, or to the environment; free product must be recovered as required by 18 AAC 75.325(f).
18. "Ingestion" means a potential pathway of exposure to hazardous substances through direct

19. "Inhalation" means a potential pathway to volatile organic hazardous substances in the soil 20. Toxicity values for PFOS and PFOA were sourced from EPA's Health through volatilization. Effects Support Document (am 1/30/2003, Register 165; for (Eff. 1/22/99, Register 149; am 8/27/2000, Register 155; am 10/9/2008, Register 188; am Perfluorooctane Sulfonate (PFOS) 11/6/2016, Register 220) (EPA 822-R-16-002), dated May 2016, and Health Effects Authority: AS 46.03.020 AS 46.03.740 AS 46.04.070 upport Document For Perfluorooctanoic Acid AS 46.03.050 AS 46.03.745 AS 46.09.020 (PFOA) (EPA 322-R-16-003) hated May 2016. AS 46.03.710 AS 46.04.020 " Publisher: Existing editor's note after 18 AAC 75. 341 is unchanged

Editor's note: The applicable EPA rule governing disposal and cleanup of PCB

contaminated facilities under 40 C.F.R. Part 761.61 (PCB remediation waste) may apply to PCB cleanup at a contaminated site. The PCB cleanup levels listed in Table B1 are based on cleanup levels referred to in 40 C.F.R. 761.61 for high occupancy areas with no cap.

18 AAC 75.345 is repealed and readopted to read:

18 AAC 75.345. Groundwater and surface water cleanup levels. (a) Except as

otherwise provided in this section, cleanup of a discharge or release of a hazardous substance to

groundwater or surface water must meet the requirements of this section.

(b) Contaminated groundwater must meet

(1) the cleanup levels in Table C if the current use or the reasonably expected

potential future use of the groundwater, determined under 18 AAC 75.350, is a drinking water

source;

Hazardous Substance	CAS Number ¹	Health effect that drives risk: carcinogen(ca); noncarcinogen(nc); mutagen(m)	Groundwater Human Health Cleanup Level ² (mic rograms/ 2(µg/L) liter)
Acenaphthene	83-32-9	nc	530
Acenaphthylene ³	208-96-8	nc	260
Acetone	67-64-1	nc	14000
Aldrin	309-00-2	ca	0.0092
Ammonium Perchlorate	7790-98-9	nc	14
Anthracene	120-12-7	nc	434
Antimony (metallic)	7440-36-0	nc	7.8
Arsenic, Inorganic ⁵	7440-38-2	ca	0.52
Barium	7440-39-3	nc	3800
Benz[a]anthracene	56-55-3	m	0.12
Benzaldehyde	100-52-7	nc	1900

Hazardous Substance	CAS Number ¹	Health effect that drives risk: carcinogen(ca); noncarcinogen(nc); mutagen(m)	Groundwater Human Health Cleanup Level ² (microgroung) (hicrogroung) (hicrogroung) (hicrogroung) (hicrogroung) (hicrogroung)
Benzene	71-43-2	ca	4.6
Benzo[a]pyrene	50-32-8	m	0.034
Benzo[b]fluoranthene	205-99-2	m	0.34
Benzo[g,h,i]perylene ³	191-24-2	nc	0.264
Benzo[k]fluoranthene	207-08-9	m	0.804
Benzoic Acid	65-85-0	nc	75000
Benzyl Alcohol	100-51-6	nc	2000
Beryllium and compounds	7440-41-7	nc	25
Bis(2-chloroethyl)ether	111-44-4	ca	0.14
Bis(2-ethylhexyl)phthalate	117-81-7	ca	56
Bromobenzene	108-86-1	nc	62
Bromodichloromethane	75-27-4	ca	1.3
Bromoform	75-25-2	са	33
Bromomethane	74-83-9	nc	7.5
Butadiene, 1,3-	106-99-0	ca	0.18
Butanol, N-	71-36-3	nc	2000
Butyl Benzyl Phthalate	85-68-7	са	160
Butylbenzene, n-	104-51-8	nc	1000
Butylbenzene, sec-	135-98-8	nc	2000
Butylbenzene, tert-	98-06-6	nc	690
Cadmium (Diet)	7440-43-9	nc	9.2

Hazardous Substance	CAS Number ¹	Health effect that drives risk: carcinogen(ca); noncarcinogen(nc); mutagen(m)	Groundwater Human Health Cleanup Level ² (microgravus) -(µg/L) Liter)
Carbon Disulfide	75-15-0	nc	810
Carbon Tetrachloride	56-23-5	ca	4.6
Chlordane	12789-03-6	ca	0.20
Chlordecone (Kepone)	143-50-0	ca	0.035
Chloroaniline, p-	106-47-8	ca	3.7
Chlorobenzene	108-90-7	nc	78
Chloroform	67-66-3	ca	2.2
Chloromethane	74-87-3	nc	190
Chloronaphthalene, Beta-	91-58-7	nc	750
Chlorophenol, 2-	95-57-8	nc	91
Chromium(III), Insoluble Salts ⁶	16065-83-1	nc	22000
Chromium(VI) ⁶	18540-29-9	m	0.35
Chrysene	218-01-9	m	2.04
Copper	7440-50-8	nc	800
Cresol, m-	108-39-4	nc	930
Cresol, o-	95-48-7	nc	930
Cresol, p-	106-44-5	nc	1900
Cumene	98-82-8	nc	450
Cyanide (CN-)	57-12-5	nc	1.5
Cyclohexane	110-82-7	nc	13000
DDD	72-54-8	ca	0.32

Hazardous Substance	CAS Number ¹	Health effect that drives risk: carcinogen(ca); noncarcinogen(nc);	Groundwater Human Health Cleanup Level ² (Micrograves) (mg/L) (iter)
DDE, p,p'-	72-55-9	ca	0.46
DDT	50-29-3	ca	2.3
Dibenz[a,h]anthracene	53-70-3	m	0.034
Dibenzofuran	132-64-9	nc	7.9
Dibromochloromethane	124-48-1	ca	8.7
Dibromoethane, 1,2- (Ethylene Dibromide)	106-93-4	ca	0.075
Dibromomethane (Methylene Bromide)	74-95-3	nc	8.3
Dibutyl Phthalate	84-74-2	nc	900
Dichlorobenzene, 1,2-	95-50-1	nc	300
Dichlorobenzene, 1,3-3	541-73-1	nc	300
Dichlorobenzene, 1,4-	106-46-7	ca	4.8
Dichlorobenzidine, 3,3'-	91-94-1	ca	1.3
Dichlorodifluoromethane	75-71-8	nc	200
Dichloroethane, 1,1-	75-34-3	ca	28
Dichloroethane, 1,2-	107-06-2	ca	1.7
Dichloroethylene, 1,1-	75-35-4	nc	280
Dichloroethylene, 1,2-cis-	156-59-2	nc	36
Dichloroethylene, 1,2-trans-	156-60-5	nc	360
Dichlorophenol, 2,4-	120-83-2	nc	46
Dichlorophenoxy Acetic Acid, 2,4-	94-75-7	nc	170
Dichloropropane, 1,2-	78-87-5	ca	4.4

Hazardous Substance	CAS Number ¹	Health effect that drives risk: carcinogen(ca); # noncarcinogen(nc); # mutagen(m)	Groundwater Human Health Cleanup Level ² (micrograms (ug/L)
Dichloropropene, 1,3-	542-75-6	ca	4.7
Dieldrin	60-57-1	ca	0.018
Diethyl Phthalate	84-66-2	nc	15000
Dimethylphenol, 2,4-	105-67-9	nc	360
Dimethylphthalate ³	131-11-3	nc	16000
Dinitrobenzene, 1,2-	528-29-0	nc	1.9
Dinitrobenzene, 1,3-	99-65-0	nc	2.0
Dinitrobenzene, 1,4-	100-25-4	nc	2.0
Dinitrophenol, 2,4-	51-28-5	nc	39
Dinitrotoluene, 2,4-	121-14-2	ca	2.4
Dinitrotoluene, 2,6-	606-20-2	са	0.49
Dinitrotoluene, 2-Amino-4,6-	35572-78-2	nc	39
Dinitrotoluene, 4-Amino-2,6-	19406-51-0	nc	39
Dioxane, 1,4-	123-91-1	са	4.6
Diphenylamine	122-39-4	nc	310
Endosulfan	115-29-7	nc	100
Endrin	72-20-8	nc	2.3
Ethyl Chloride	75-00-3	nc	21000
Ethylbenzene	100-41-4	ca	15
Ethylene Glycol	107-21-1	nc	40000
Fluoranthene	206-44-0	nc	260 ⁴

Hazardous Substance	CAS Number ¹	Health effect that drives risk: carcinogen(ca); # noncarcinogen(nc); # mutagen(m) #	Groundwater Human Health Cleanup Level ² (microground) =(ug/L)- liter)
Fluorene	86-73-7	nc	290
Formaldehyde	50-00-0	ca	4.3
Heptachlor	76-44-8	ca	0.014
Heptachlor Epoxide	1024-57-3	ca	0.014
Hexachlorobenzene	118-74-1	ca	0.098
Hexachlorobutadiene	87-68-3	nc	1.4
Hexachlorocyclohexane, Alpha-	319-84-6	ca	0.072
Hexachlorocyclohexane, Beta-	319-85-7	ca	0.25
Hexachlorocyclohexane, Gamma- (Lindane)	58-89-9	ca	0.42
Hexachlorocyclopentadiene	77-47-4	nc	0.41
Hexachloroethane	67-72-1	ca	3.3
Hexahydro-1,3,5-trinitro-1,3,5-triazine (RDX)	121-82-4	ca	7.0
Hexane, N-	110-54-3	nc	1500
Hexanone, 2-	591-78-6	nc	38
Hydrazine	302-01-2	ca	0.011
Indeno[1,2,3-cd]pyrene	193-39-5	m	0.194
Isophorone	78-59-1	са	780
Isopropanol	67-63-0	nc	410
Lead and Compounds ⁷	7439-92-1	nc	15
Mercuric Chloride ³	7487-94-7	nc	5.7
Mercury (elemental)	7439-97-6	nc	0.52

Hazardous Substance	CAS Number ¹	Health effect that drives risk: carcinogen(ca); # noncarcinogen(nc); # mutagen(m) #	Groundwater Human Health Cleanup Level ² (Microgroms 2(ug/L) (i+2r)
Methanol	67-56-1	nc	20000
Methoxychlor	72-43-5	nc	37
Methyl Ethyl Ketone (2-Butanone)	78-93-3	nc	5600
Methyl Isobutyl Ketone (4-methyl-2-pentanone)	108-10-1	nc	6300
Methyl Mercury	22967-92-6	nc	2.0
Methyl tert-Butyl Ether (MTBE)	1634-04-4	ca	140
Methylene Chloride	75-09-2	nc	110
Methylnaphthalene, 1-	90-12-0	са	11
Methylnaphthalene, 2-	91-57-6	nc	36
Naphthalene	91-20-3	са	1.7
Nickel Soluble Salts	7440-02-0	nc	390
Nitrobenzene	98-95-3	са	1.4
Nitroglycerin	55-63-0	nc	2.0
Nitroguanidine	556-88-7	nc	2000
Nitrosodimethylamine, N-	62-75-9	m	0.0011
Nitroso-di-N-propylamine, N-	621-64-7	ca	0.11
Nitrosodiphenylamine, N-	86-30-6	са	120
Nitrotoluene, m-	99-08-1	nc	1.7
Nitrotoluene, o-	88-72-2	ca	3.1
Nitrotoluene, p-	99-99-0	nc	43
Octahydro-1,3,5,7-tetranitro-1,3,5,7-tetrazocine (HMX)	2691-41-0	nc	1000

Hazardous Substance	CAS Number ¹	Health effect that drives risk: carcinogen(ca); noncarcinogen(nc);	Groundwater Human Health Cleanup Level ² (micrograms) (ng/I) liter)
Octyl Phthalate, di-N-	117-84-0	nc	224
Pentachlorophenol	87-86-5	ca	0.41
Pentaerythritol tetranitrate (PETN)	78-11-5	nc	39
Perfluorooctane Sulphonic Acid (PFOS) 929	1763-23-1	nc	0.40
Perfluorooctanoic Acid (PFOA)	335-67-1	nc	0.40
Phenanthrene ³	85-01-8	nc	170
Phenol	108-95-2	nc	5800
Phosphorus, White	7723-14-0	nc	0.40
Polychlorinated Biphenyls (PCBs)	1336-36-3	ca	0.50
Propyl benzene	103-65-1	nc	660
Pyrene	129-00-0	nc	120
Selenium	7782-49-2	nc	100
Silver	7440-22-4	nc	94
Styrene	100-42-5	nc	1200
TCDD, 2,3,7,8- ⁸	1746-01-6	ca	1.2 x 10 ⁻⁶
Tetrachloroethane, 1,1,1,2-	630-20-6	ca	5.7
Tetrachloroethane, 1,1,2,2-	79-34-5	ca	0.76
Tetrachloroethylene	127-18-4	nc	41
Tetryl (Trinitrophenylmethylnitramine)	479-45-8	nc	39
Thallium (Soluble Salts)	7440-28-0	nc	0.20
Toluene	108-88-3	nc	1100

Hazardous Substance	CAS Number ¹	Health effect that drives risk: carcinogen(ca); noncarcinogen(nc); mutagen(m)	Groundwater Human Health Cleanup Level ² (Micrograms/ 2(ug/L)- liter)
Toxaphene	8001-35-2	ca	0.71
Trichloro-1,2,2-trifluoroethane, 1,1,2-	76-13-1	nc	55000
Trichlorobenzene, 1,2,3-	87-61-6	nc	7.0
Trichlorobenzene, 1,2,4-	120-82-1	nc	4.0
Trichloroethane, 1,1,1-	71-55-6	nc	8000
Trichloroethane, 1,1,2-	79-00-5	nc	0.41
Trichloroethylene	79-01-6	nc	2.8
Trichlorofluoromethane	75-69-4	nc	5200
Trichlorophenol, 2,4,5-	95-95-4	nc	1200
Trichlorophenol, 2,4,6-	88-06-2	nc	12
Trichlorophenoxyacetic Acid, 2,4,5-	93-76-5	nc	160
Trichlorophenoxypropionic acid, -2,4,5	93-72-1	nc	110
Trichloropropane, 1,2,3-	96-18-4	m	0.0075
Trimethylbenzene, 1,2,4-	95-63-6	nc	15
Trimethylbenzene, 1,3,5-	108-67-8	nc	120
Tri-n-butyltin	688-73-3	nc	3.7
Trinitrobenzene, 1,3,5-	99-35-4	nc	590
Trinitrotoluene, 2,4,6-	118-96-7	nc	9.8
Vanadium and Compounds	7440-62-2	nc	86
Vinyl Acetate	108-05-4	nc	410
Vinyl Chloride	75-01-4	ca	0.19

TABLE C. GROU	NDWATER CLEANUP LE	VELS	
Hazardous Substance	CAS Number ¹	Health effect that drives risk: carcinogen(ca); noncarcinogen(nc);	Groundwater Human Health Cleanup Level ² (micrograms/ X(µg/L). liter)
Xylenes	1330-20-7	nc	190
Zinc and Compounds	7440-66-6	nc	6000
PETROLE	CUM HYDROCARBONS		
C ₆ -C ₁₀ GRO		nc	2200
C10-C25 DRO		nc	1500
C ₂₅ -C ₃₆ RRO		nc	1100

Notes to Table C:

1. "CAS Number" means the Chemical Abstract Service (CAS) registry number uniquely

assigned to chemicals by the American Chemical Society and recorded in the CAS Registry

System.

exposure pathway is the

2. "Human Health" means cumulative exposure pathway through dermal contact, ingestion, and inhalation of volatile compounds from hazardous substances in the water.

3. Where one or more toxicological values were unavailable, toxicity values from surrogate compounds or other sources were used as follows:

(A) pyrene is a toxicity surrogate for acenaphthylene, benzo(g,h,i) perylene, and

phenanthrene;

(B) 1,2-dichlorobenzene is a toxicity surrogate for 1,3-dichlorobenzene;

(C) diethylphthalate is a toxicity surrogate for dimethylphthalate;

(D) elemental mercury is a toxicity surrogate for mercuric chloride.

(É) EPA's May 2016 Drinking Water Health Advisories for Perfluorooctonoie

Acid (PFOA) and Perfluorooctane Sulfonate (PFOS).

4. These levels are based on water solubility using the data set out in Procedures for Calculating

Cleanup Levels, adopted by reference in 18 AAC 75.340.

5. Due to the prevalence of naturally occurring arsenic throughout the state, arsenic at a site will

be considered background arsenic unless anthropogenic contribution from a source, activity, or mobilization the another introduced contaminant is known or suspected.

6. Due to the prevalence of naturally occurring chromium III throughout Alaska, sample results

reported for total chromium detected at a site will be considered background chromium III unless

anthropogenic contribution of chromium III or VI from a source, activity, or mobilization via

another introduced contaminant is known or suspected. (a 200000001) 7. Lead cleanup level is taken from EPA's action level for lead in water. 8. This cleanup level is for 2,3,7,8-Tetrachlorordibenzo-p-Dioxin (TCDD) only; all cleanup dated May levels for polychlorinated dibenzo-p-dioxin (PCDD) and polychlorinated dibenzofuran (PCDF) Health congeners must be determined on a site-specific basis. 2016, and Effects Support For 822-R-16-002), deted May 2016, and 201

(2) an approved cleanup level based on an approved site-specific risk assessment

conducted under the Risk Assessment Procedures Manual, adopted by reference in

18 AAC 75.340;

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(3) site-specific cleanup level for a hazardous substance not listed under

18 AAC 75.345(b)(1) proposed by the responsible party and approved by the department, using

the procedures set out in the department's Risk Assessment Procedures Manual, adopted by

reference in 18 AAC 75.340, unless the responsible person demonstrates that a site-specific cleanup level is not necessary to ensure protection of human health, safety, and welfare, and of the environment; or

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(4) a site-specific cleanup level for a hazardous substance not listed under (1) of this subsection 18 AAC 75.345(b)(1) set by the department using the procedures set out in the department's *Risk*

Assessment Procedures Manual, adopted by reference in 18 AAC 75.340.

(c) The department may set a more stringent cleanup level than the applicable level under (b) of this section, if the department determines that a more stringent cleanup level is necessary to ensure protection of human health, safety, or welfare, or of the environment, and based on actual onsite and actual or likely offsite uses of the groundwater that are likely to be affected by the hazardous substance. In making a determination under this subsection, the department may consider

(1) the risks to current or potential future users of the groundwater as a drinking water source, as determined under 18 AAC 75.350;

(2) the presence of sensitive subpopulations who respond biologically to lower levels of exposure to a hazardous substance;

(3) the groundwater use classifications other than for drinking water, as set out

under 18 AAC 70.020(a)(1)(A) and 18 AAC 70.050(2);

(4) the primary or secondary maximum contaminant levels in 18 AAC 80.300 for actual or likely drinking water supplies;

(5) a health advisory value developed by the Environmental Protection Agency's. Office of Water; and

(6) the cleanup levels in this section for groundwater contaminated with petroleum, the contamination may not exceed, for each petroleum hydrocarbon range applicable, including the gasoline range, the diesel range, and the residual range,

(A) a threshold odor number (TON) of 1 for odor, as measured by

Method 2150B, Standard Methods for the Examination of Water and Wastewater, 71 (22nd) edition, American Public Health Association (2005), adopted by reference; or

(B) a flavor threshold number (FTN) of 1 for flavor, as measured by Method 2160B, *Standard Methods for the Examination of Water and Wastewater*,

adopted by reference in (A) of this paragraph.

(d) Where the department determines that toxicity information is insufficient to establish a cleanup level for a hazardous substance or a pollutant as defined under AS 46.03.900(20) that ensures protection of human health, safety, and welfare, and of the environment, the department may require a responsible person to provide an alternative source of drinking water for the affected parties or implement other institutional controls under 18 AAC 75.375 until a cleanup (b)(2), (3), or (4) of this section.

(e) Toxic substances in sediment may not cause, and may not be reasonably be expected to cause, a toxic or other deleterious effect on aquatic life, except as authorized under 18 AAC 70. For purposes of this subsection, "toxic substances" has the meaning given in 18 AAC 70.990.

(f) The point of compliance where groundwater cleanup levels must be attained is throughout the site from each point extending vertically from the uppermost level of the zone of saturation to the lowest possible depth that could potentially be affected by the discharge or release of a hazardous substance, unless the department approves an alternative point of

compliance as part of the cleanup action under 18 AAC 75.360. For the department to approve an alternative point of compliance under this subsection, the

(1) alternative point of compliance must be within the existing groundwater contamination plume; and

(2) cleanup levels established in (b) and (c) of this section must be met at the property boundary in an area where the current use or reasonably expected potential future use of groundwater in the neighboring property is determined to be a source of drinking water, unless a responsible person

(A) demonstrates that attainment of the applicable groundwater cleanup levels is not practicable; and

(B) provides an alternative source of water for affected persons.

(g) Groundwater that is closely connected hydrologically to nearby surface water may not cause a violation of the water quality standards in 18 AAC 70 for surface water or sediment. The department will, in consultation with local, state, and federal officials and the public, establish points of compliance with this subsection, taking into account the following factors.

(1) groundwater travel time and distance from sources of hazardous substances to surface water;

(2) the contribution of the groundwater to the chemical and physical quantity and quality of the surface water;

(3) organisms living in or dependent upon the groundwater to surface water ecosystems;

(4) climatic, tidal, or seasonal variations;

(5) feasibility of attaining applicable water quality standards to support the designated uses of the surface water;

(6) presence of sediment contamination;

(7) if conducted for the site, the conclusions of a site-specific risk assessment conducted under the *Risk Assessment Procedures Manual*, adopted by reference in 18 AAC 75.340.

(h) If the groundwater point of compliance is established at or near a property boundary or if groundwater is closely connected hydrologically to a surface waterbody, the department will, if the department determines that sentinel monitoring is necessary to ensure protection of human health, safety, or welfare, or the environment, require a responsible person to develop sentinel monitoring wells that monitor for any hazardous substances likely to migrate to the applicable point of compliance at concentrations that exceed the cleanup levels.

(i) The department will require long-term monitoring if the department determines that monitoring is necessary to ensure protection of human health, safety, or welfare, or of the environment and if groundwater, surface water, soil, or sediment contains residual concentrations of a hazardous substance that exceed the applicable cleanup levels. If long-term monitoring is required under this subsection, a responsible person shall submit a plan and schedule for monitoring as part of the requirements for cleanup operations under 18 AAC 75.360. Unless otherwise approved by the department, a responsible person shall conduct monitoring quarterly for at least one year to establish the concentration trend. The department will evaluate the monitoring program yearly. If the monitoring indicates that the concentration trend

(1) is increasing, the department will require additional follow-up monitoring and assess the need for additional cleanup; or

(2) is stable or decreasing, and that hazardous substance migration is not occurring, the department will decrease or discontinue the monitoring frequency and locations, if the responsible person demonstrates that continued monitoring is not necessary to ensure protection of human health, safety, and welfare, and of the environment.

(j) The department will require groundwater, surface water, soil, or sediment monitoring to estimate contaminant flux rates and to address potential bioaccumulation of each hazardous substance at the site, if the department determines that monitoring is necessary to ensure protection of human health, safety, or welfare, or of the environment. If monitoring is required under this subsection, a responsible person shall submit a plan and schedule for monitoring as part of the cleanup operation requirements under 18 AAC 75.360.

(k) Groundwater monitoring wells must be installed, developed, and decommissioned in accordance with an approved method that is protective of human health, safety, and welfare, and of the environment.

(*l*) For a cleanup conducted under (b)(1) of this section, a chemical that is detected at one-tenth or more of the Table C value must be included when calculating cumulative risk under 18 AAC 75.325(g). (Eff. 1/22/99, Register 149; am 8/27/2000, Register 155; am 1/30/2003, Register 165; am 10/9/2008, Register 188; am 6/17/2015, Register 214; am <u>11/6</u>/2016, Register 220)

Authority:	AS 46.03.020	AS 46.03.745	AS 46.04.070
	AS 46.03.050	AS 46.03.755	AS 46.09.010
	AS 46.03.710	AS-46:03:900	AS 46.09.020
	AS 46.03.740	AS 46.04.020	

Editor's note: Standard Methods for the Examination of Water and Wastewater, (1) 12 AAC 75.345) adopted by reference in this section, may be purchased from the American Water Works Association Bookstore, 6666 West Quincy Avenue, Denver, Colorado 80235, or may be viewed at the department's Anchorage, Fairbanks, Juneau, and Soldotna offices.

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at http://www.auwa.org/store.aspx or by contacting the organization at service@awwa.org or (800) 926-7337. The document also

18 AAC 75.370(a)(2) is amended to read:

(2) store contaminated soil

(A) 100 feet or more from surface water, a private water system, [A

CLASS C PUBLIC WATER SYSTEM AS DEFINED IN 18 AAC 80.1990,] or a fresh

water supply system that uses groundwater for a use designated in 18 AAC

70.020(a)(1)(A) and

18 AAC 70.050(2) [18 AAC 70.050(a)(2)]; and

(B) 200 feet or more from a water source serving a community water

system, a non-transient non-community water system, or a transient non-

community water system [CLASS A OR CLASS B PUBLIC WATER SYSTEM], as

defined in 18 AAC 80.1990;

(Eff. 1/22/99, Register 149; am 8/27/2000, Register 155; am 10/9/2008, Register 188; am

6/17/2015, Register 214; am <u>11/6/2016</u>, Register <u>220</u>)

Authority:	AS 46.03.020	AS 46.03.740	AS 46.04.070
	AS 46.03.050	AS 46.03.745	AS 46.09.020
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18 AAC 75.990 is amended by adding new paragraphs to read:

(190) "mutagen" means a hazardous substance capable of inducing change to genetic

material

(191) "mutagenic" means of or relating to a mutagen?"

(192) "sensitive subpopulation" means a group of individuals that is at increased risk of

some adverse health event or outcome after exposure to a contaminant. 4-

(Eff. 5/14/92, Register 122; am 9/25/93, Register 127; am 4/4/97, Register 142; am 4/11/97,

Register 142; am 1/22/99, Register 149; am 8/27/2000, Register 155; am 10/28/2000, Register

156; am 11/27/2002, Register 164; am 12/14/2002, Register 164; am 1/30/2003, Register 165;

am 8/8/2003, Register 167; am 5/26/2004, Register 170; am 12/30/2006, Register 180; am

 $\frac{10/9/2008, \text{ Register 188; am 4/8/2012, Register 202; am 9/4/2014, Register 211; am 6/17/2015,}{\text{Register 218;}}$ Register 214; $\text{fam } \frac{11/6}{2016}$, Register 220)

Authority:	AS 46.03.020	AS 46.03.755	AS 46.04.055
	AS 46.03.050	AS 46.03.822	AS 46.04.070
	AS 46.03.710	AS 46.04.020	AS 46.08.140
	AS 46.03.740	AS 46.04.030	AS 46.09.010
	AS 46.03.745	AS 46.04.035	AS 46.09.020

MEMORANDUM

To: Hon. Byron Mallott Lieutenant Governor

From: Steven C. Weaver

Sr. Assistant Attorney General and Assistant Regulations Attorney Legislation and Regulations Section

State of Alaska Department of Law

Date: October 7, 2016

File No.: JU2015200567

Tel. No.: 465-3600

Re: Regulations re: contaminated site cleanup procedures and soil and groundwater cleanup levels (18 AAC 75.325(g), (h); 18 AAC 75.340 -18 AAC 75.345; 18 AAC 75.370(a)(2); 18 AAC 75.990)

We have reviewed the attached regulations from the Department of Environmental Conservation against the statutory standards of the Administrative Procedure Act. I have reviewed this project under a specific delegation dated October 6, 2016 from the Regulations Attorney. The regulations update contaminated site cleanup procedures regarding soil and groundwater cleanup levels.

We find no legal problems. This memorandum constitutes the written statement of approval under AS 44.62.060(b) and (c) that authorizes your office to file the attached regulations.

One of the documents adopted by reference in these regulations, the American Public Health Association's *Standard Methods for the Examination of Water and Wastewater*, 22nd edition (2012), was previously filed with a recent Department of Environmental Conservation regulations project. The document was filed with the department's update to regulations in 18 AAC 80 regarding drinking water, adopted-by-reference material, and lead content of pipes and other products (Department of Law file number JU2013200738), the first part of which was filed November 13, 2014, took effect December 13, 2014, and appeared in print in Register 212 (January 2015).

The August 26, 2015 public notice, the October 4, 2015 supplemental public notice, the October 25, 2015 second supplemental public notice, the May 19, 2016 public notice, the June 21, 2016 supplemental public notice, and the September 16, 2016 adoption order all state that this action is not expected to require an increased appropriation. Therefore, a fiscal note under AS 44.62.195 is not required.

We have made some technical corrections to conform the regulations in accordance with AS 44.62.125. The corrections are shown on the attached copy of the regulations. Because a few

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of those technical corrections were to a chemical name set out in the regulations, we made handwritten conforming changes in two of the documents that the department adopted by reference. The conforming changes are located in the following places:

In the department's *Procedures for Calculating Cleanup Levels*, dated September 15, 2016: Appendix B, pages 47 and 52.

In the department's *Procedures for Calculating Cumulative Risk*, dated September 15, 2016: Appendix B, pages 18, 24, 30, and 36.

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cc w/enc: (via email)

Hon. Larry Hartig, Commissioner Department of Environmental Conservation

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MEMORANDUM

Chief Assistant Attorney General & Regulations Attorney

Legislation/Regulations Section-Juneau

TO: Hon. Byron Mallott Lieutenant Governor

State of Alaska

Department of Law

DATE: October 6, 2016

FILE NO.: JU2015200567

TELEPHONE NO.: 465-3600

SUBJECT: Specific delegation of authority regarding regulations review on Department of Environmental Conservation regulations re: contaminated site cleanup procedures and soil and groundwater cleanup levels (18 AAC 75.325(g), (h); 18 AAC 75.340 - 18 AAC 75.345; 18 AAC 75.370(a)(2); 18 AAC 75.990)

By this memorandum, I am delegating my authority as Regulations Attorney under AS 44.62 to Assistant Attorney General Steven C. Weaver for the above-referenced regulations project. Under this delegation of authority, Steven Weaver has my full authority under AS 44.62 to conduct the legal review under AS 44.62 and take necessary actions on this regulations project.

If you have questions, please let me know.

SCW

cc w/enc:

Scott C. Meriwether, AAC Coordinator Office of the Lieutenant Governor

Steven C. Weaver Sr. Assistant Attorney General & Assistant Regulations Attorney Legislation/Regulations Section—Juneau

Susan R. Pollare FROM:

STATE OF ALASKA

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1st JUDICIAL DISTRICT)

AFFIDAVIT OF NOTICE OF PROPOSED ADOPTION OF REGULATIONS AND FURNISHING OF ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

I, Sally Schlichting, Environmental Program Manager I, of Department of Environmental Conservation, being sworn, state the following:

As required by AS 44.62.190, notice of the proposed adoption of changes to 18 AAC 75 Oil and Other Hazardous Substances Pollution Control dealing with cleanup levels for soil and groundwater and how they are calculated at contaminated sites, has been given by being

- (1) published in a newspaper or trade publication;
- (2) furnished to interested persons;
- (3) furnished to appropriate state officials;
- (4) furnished to the Department of Law, along with a copy of the proposed regulations;
- (5) electronically transmitted to incumbent State of Alaska legislators;
- (6) furnished to the Legislative Affairs Agency, Division of Legal and Research Services;
- (7) posted on the Alaska Online Public Notice System as required by AS 44.62.175(a)(1) and (b) and 44.62.190(a)(1);
- (8) furnished electronically, along with a copy of the proposed regulations, to the Legislative Affairs Agency, the chair of the Resources Committee of the Alaska Senate and House of Representatives, the Administrative Regulation Review Committee, and the legislative council.

As required by AS 44.62.190, additional regulations notice information regarding the proposed adoption of the regulation changes described above has been furnished to interested persons and those in (5) and (6) of the list above. The additional regulations notice information also has been posted on the Alaska Online Public Notice System.

DATE: 9/16/16

Sally Schlichting, Environmental Program Manager

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AFFIDAVIT OF AGENCY RECORD OF PUBLIC COMMENT

I, Sally Schlichting, Environmental Program Manager for the Department of Environmental Conservation being duly sworn, state the following:

In compliance with AS 44.62.215, the Department of Environmental Conservation has kept a record of its use or rejection of factual or other substantive information that was submitted in writing as public comment and that was relevant to the accuracy, coverage, or other aspect of the Department of Environmental Conservation regulations dealing with cleanup levels in soil and groundwater and how they are calculated at contaminated sites under 18 AAC 75.

Date:

Juneau, Alaska

Sally Schliehting, Environmental Program Manager

SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN TO before me this 16 day of September

Notary Public in and for the State of Alaska My commission expires: With Work,



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SUPPLEMENTAL NOTICE OF PROPOSED CHANGES IN THE REGULATIONS-OF ALASKA DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL CONSERVATION

BRIEF DESCRIPTION

The Alaska Department of Environmental Conservation (DEC) is proposing to update cleanup levels for soil and groundwater and how they are calculated for contaminated sites.

The Alaska Department of Environmental Conservation proposes to adopt regulation changes in Title 18, Chapter 75 of the Alaska Administrative Code, updating cleanup levels for soil and groundwater, as well as amending accompanying language for how such levels are calculated on a site-specific basis and in cases where a compound is not listed in the tables. The proposed changes include the following:

- (1) Amend 18 AAC 75.325 to update the department's *Procedures for Calculating Cumulative Risk* and adopt it by reference.
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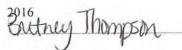
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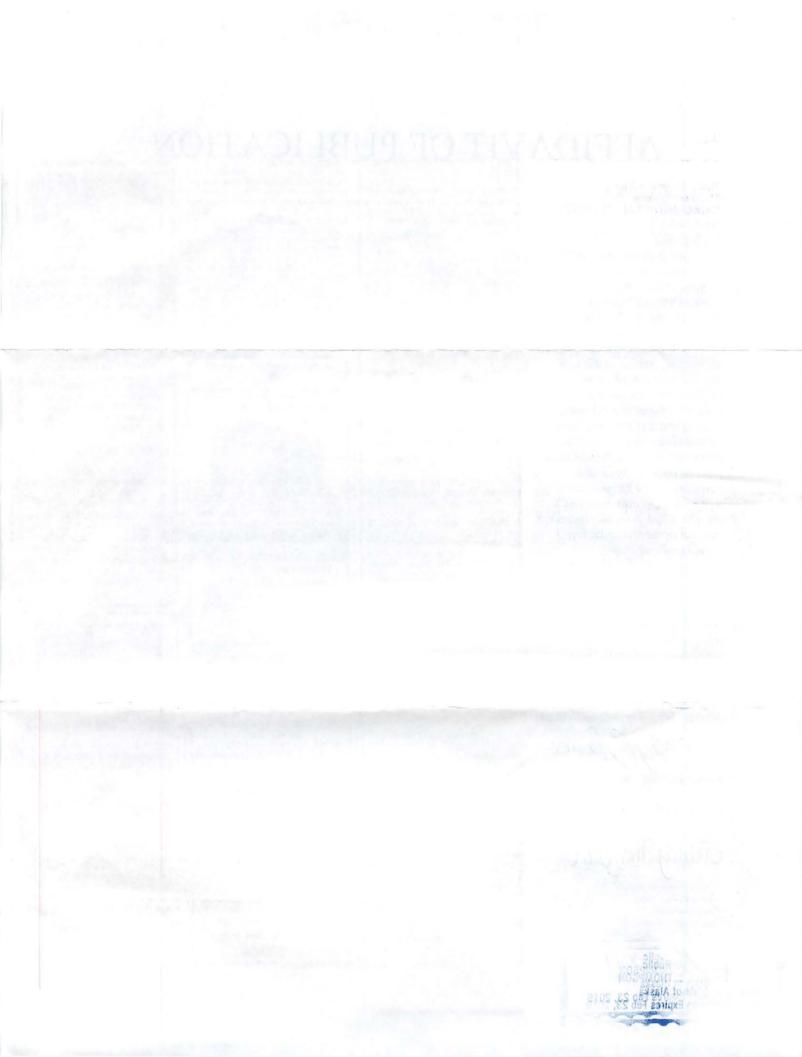
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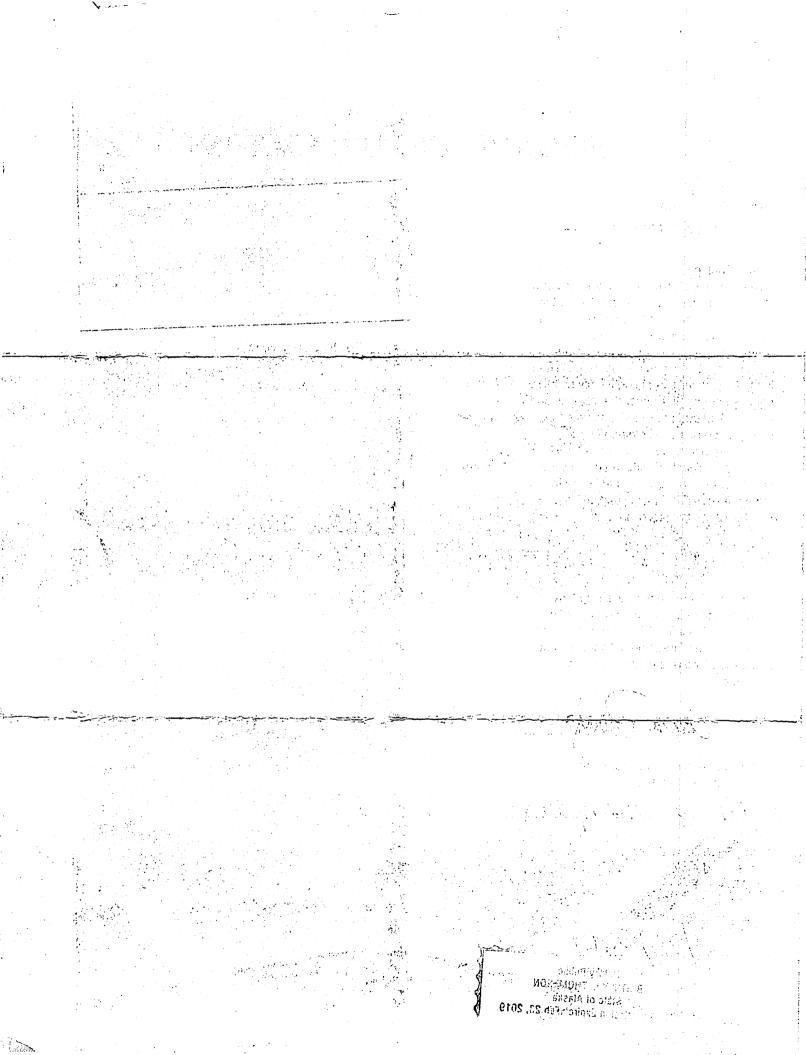
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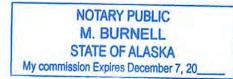
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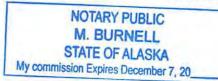
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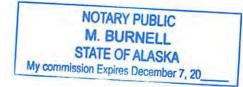
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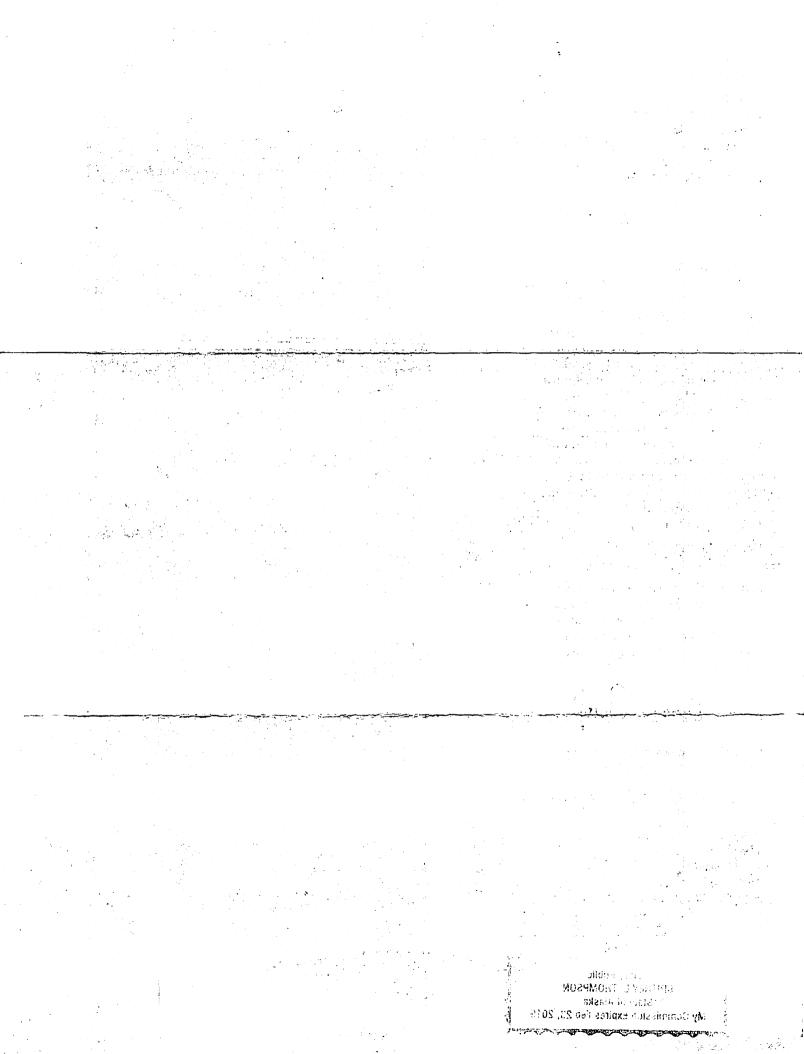
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Larry Hartig, Commissioner

Dated: August 25, 2015 Juneau, Alaska

CLEANUP LEVEL AMENDMENTS ADDITIONAL REGULATIONS NOTICE INFORMATION (AS 44.62.190(d))

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- 2. General subject of regulation: Contaminated Site Cleanup Rules
- 3. Citation of regulation (may be grouped): 18 AAC 75
- 4. Department of Law file number, if any: JU2015200567
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 - () Compliance with federal law or action (identify):
 - () Compliance with new or changed state statute
 - () Compliance with Federal or state court decision (identify)
 - (X) Development of program standards
 - () Other (identify):
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Cost of implementation to the state agency and available funding (in thousands of dollars):

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1004 General fund	\$ <u>0</u>	\$ 0	
1005 General fund/ program	\$_0	\$_0	
1037 General fund/mental health	\$_0	\$_0	
Other (Response Fund)	\$_0	\$_0	

The name of the contact person for the regulations: Name: <u>Sally Schlichting</u> Title: <u>Unit Manager for Technical Services, Policy and Regulations</u> Address: <u>ADEC, Contaminated Sites Program</u> <u>410 Willoughby Ave. Suite 303, P.O. Box 111800, Juneau, AK 99811-1800</u>

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10. The origin of the proposed action:

- _X_ Staff of state agency
- _____ Federal government
- _____ General public
- _____ Petition for regulation change
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- 11. Date: August 26, 2015

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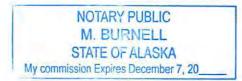
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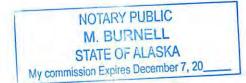
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AS 46.03.050	AS 46.04.030
AS 46.03.710	AS 46.04.035
AS 46.03.740	AS 46.04.055
AS 46.03.745	AS 46.04.070
AS 46.03.755	AS 46.08.140
AS 46.03.900	AS 46.09.010
AS 46.03.822	AS 46.09.020

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