

### **COMPLIANCE ADVISORY**

## **UPDATE**

Making You Aware of Incentives and Compliance Assistance Opportunities

**Compliance & Enforcement** 

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### DEP to Present a Free Seminar on the EPA's Newly-Amended Definition of Solid Waste Rule

### Who would benefit from attending this event?

Hazardous Waste Generators, Transporters, Treatment Storage and Disposal Facilities and Environmental Consultants should find this presentation on the Definition of Solid Waste Rule informative.

#### What is this seminar about?

This seminar will provide a thorough overview of the EPA's Definition of Solid Waste Rule. The Definition of Solid Waste Rule (DSW) will become effective on the federal level on July 13, 2015. Under this rule some materials that generators handle as hazardous waste may be eligible for handling as Hazardous Secondary Materials (HSMs). HSMs are not counted toward a facility's Hazardous Waste Generator status. This may enable your facility to go from a status of Large Quantity Generator to Small Quantity Generator or even to Conditionally Exempt Small Quantity Generator, depending on the type of hazardous waste(s) you generate.

This DSW Rule was first revised in 2008. However, the EPA has been working on further revisions since then. There were facilities that chose to classify some of their wastes as HSMs under the 2008 rule. Others chose not to make the change for one reason or another. If you are currently handling hazardous wastes as HSMs or are thinking about making the change you should attend this seminar. The EPA staff who wrote the rule will be the presenters, so it should be packed with information that you will find helpful.

### When and where is this compliance assistance event taking place?

The Bureau of Hazardous Waste Compliance & Enforcement is providing this FREE seminar on **May 21, 2015**. It will be held from **8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.** in the auditorium at:

New Jersey Forensic Science Technology Center 1200 Negron Drive Hamilton, NJ 08691

**Directions to the New Jersey Forensic Science Technology Center:** http://www.nj.gov/agriculture/divisions/fn/about/NJForensicScienceCtr.pdf

Seats are limited. Please reserve your seat by completing the online registration at: <a href="http://events.constantcontact.com/register/event?llr=soqviyhab&oeidk=a07eaveg6wm4dbcef7c">http://events.constantcontact.com/register/event?llr=soqviyhab&oeidk=a07eaveg6wm4dbcef7c</a>

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### Where can I get more information?

C&E Training Opportunities: <a href="http://www.state.nj.us/dep/enforcement/cetraining.html">http://www.state.nj.us/dep/enforcement/cetraining.html</a>
Definition of Solid Waste Rule: <a href="http://www.epa.gov/epawaste/hazard/dsw/index.htm">http://www.epa.gov/epawaste/hazard/dsw/index.htm</a>

#### Visit the following Web site for general information:

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