

(A) REQUIREMENTS AT TIME OF APPLICATION.

AN APPLICANT FOR A SEWAGE SLUDGE UTILIZATION PERMIT SHALL:

(1) SUBMIT AN APPLICATION TO THE DEPARTMENT ON THE FORM THAT THE DEPARTMENT REQUIRES;

(2) CERTIFY BY SIGNATURE THE TRUTH AND ACCURACY OF THE COMPLETED APPLICATION;

(3) PAY THE APPLICATION FEE SET BY THE DEPARTMENT TO COVER THE COST OF PROCESSING THE APPLICATION;

(4) OBTAIN THE WRITTEN CONSENT OF THE OWNER OF THE LAND WHERE THE SEWAGE SLUDGE WILL BE APPLIED, INCLUDING AN AGREEMENT THAT THE OWNER WILL NOT VIOLATE THE PERMIT; AND

(5) AGREE TO PERMIT OR SECURE ACCESS TO THE SEWAGE SLUDGE UTILIZATION SITE FOR THE PURPOSE OF ANY INSPECTION PERMITTED UNDER § 9-243 OF THIS SUBTITLE.

(B) REQUIREMENTS BEFORE PERMIT IS ISSUED.

BEFORE A SEWAGE SLUDGE UTILIZATION PERMIT IS ISSUED, THE APPLICANT FOR THE PERMIT SHALL:

(1) FILE WITH THE DEPARTMENT ACCEPTABLE EVIDENCE OF A BOND OR OTHER SECURITY THAT THE DEPARTMENT REQUIRES UNDER § 9-240 OF THIS SUBTITLE; AND

(2) SATISFY EVERY OTHER REQUIREMENT OF THIS PART III OF THIS SUBTITLE.

REVISOR'S NOTE: This section is new language derived without substantive change from former HE § 9-210.1(e)(3) and (4).

In subsection (a)(3) of this section, the reference to the application fee being "set by the Department" is new language added for clarity.

In subsection (a)(5) of this section, the words "or secure" are added to cover the possibility that an applicant for a sewage sludge utilization permit is not the owner of the sewage sludge utilization site.

9-233. COMPLIANCE WITH COUNTY REQUIREMENTS; APPROVAL OF GOVERNING BODY.

THE DEPARTMENT MAY NOT ISSUE A PERMIT TO INSTALL, MATERIALLY ALTER, OR MATERIALLY EXTEND A SEWAGE SLUDGE COMPOSTING FACILITY UNTIL: