

**CLARK COUNTY**

**AIR QUALITY REGULATIONS**

**SECTION 45 - IDLING OF DIESEL POWERED MOTOR VEHICLES**

**45.1 Diesel Powered Motor Vehicle Idling**

Except as otherwise provided in this subsection, a person shall not idle the engine of a diesel truck or a diesel bus for more than 15 consecutive minutes. The provisions of this subsection do not apply to a diesel truck or a bus:

- (a) For which the Clark County Air Pollution Control Hearing Board has issued a variance from the requirements of this subsection. A variance is not effective during an air pollution emergency episode stage declared by the Department of Air Quality and Environmental Management.
- (b) Which is an emergency vehicle.
- (c) Used to repair or maintain other MOTOR VEHICLES.
- (d) Which is stopped because of traffic congestion while in transit on a highway, roadway or street.
- (e) The EMISSION from which is contained and treated by a method approved by the CONTROL OFFICER.
- (f) The engine of which must idle to perform a specific task for which is it designed such as well drilling, trenching or hoisting. Such an engine may not idle for more than 15 consecutive minutes during an air quality emergency episode stage declared by the Department of Air Quality and Environmental Management.
- (g) Which is idling while maintenance procedures are being performed at a repair facility.

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