

OSFM INTERPRETATIONS

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RESCINDED, REFER TO OUFCA, 1998 EDITION, ARTICLE 29

TITLE: Waste/Recycle oil tanks in B-2 occupancies

RULE or CODE SECTION: Uniform Fire Code Article 29, 1994 edition.

CONCERN or ISSUE: Waste oil or recycle oil is returned to a B-2 Occupancy for collection in indoor tanks to await pickup by a recycle company.

HISTORY or BACKGROUND: The UFC has historically classified crankcase drainings as Class-I flammable liquid due to the potential contamination by Class-I flammable liquids.

CONCLUSION: The new 1994 UFC Article 29, will classify crankcase drainings as Class-III combustible liquid. With the safety provisions outlined in policy for indoor recycle oil tanks, protection of life and property can be accomplished. Note: See attached policy.

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