



FAQS ABOUT GSP REGISTRATION FEE

Transition from Emission-Based Fee to GSP Registration Fee

Air Resources Division/Permitting and Environmental Health Bureau

The NHDES has prepared this FAQ document to assist sources during the transition to the reissued GSP. The conditions and assumptions used to develop this interim guidance are presented at the end of the document.

REGISTERING UNDER THE 2020 GSP - EXISTING FACILITIES COVERED BY 2015 GSP

What fees/reports do existing sources that are currently registered under the 2015 GSP have to submit and when?

- 1) No annual emissions report due April 15, 2021. This is based on Env-A 900, effective 7/18/2015.
- 2) No annual emission-based fee due May 15, 2021. This is based on Env-A 700, effective 10/24/2018.
- 3) GSP re-registration packages due by Friday, **September 11, 2020** (within 90 days of date NHDES established new GSP)
 - a. During the re-registration period (June – September, 2020), there will be approximately 5 years remaining on 2020 GSP.
 - b. Fee of \$1,500.00 due with re-registration (\$300.00 X 5 years remaining).

EXISTING FACILITY ADDING MORE DEVICES

What fee does a facility with existing emergency engines covered under 2020 GSP pay when they want to install new emergency engines after 2020 GSP reestablished (after June 2020)?

- 1) Must register the new emergency engine (add it to the list of devices covered) under the 2020 GSP **prior to installation** of the new emergency engine.
- 2) No registration fee for adding the device to the 2020 GSP.

EXISTING FACILITY REMOVING DEVICES

What fee does a facility with existing emergency engines covered under 2020 GSP pay when they want to remove an existing emergency engine from their 2020 GSP?

- 1) No registration fee for removing devices listed in the 2020 GSP.
- 2) Update can be done electronically using OneStop Data and Information Air E-Permitting Application System or submitting a letter to NHDES with the date device was removed and specifics about the device so it can be properly identified.

NEW FACILITY

What fee does a facility pay if they have never registered under the GSP and they want to install new emergency engine(s) after GSP reestablished (after June 15, 2020)?

- 1) Must register the new emergency engine(s) under the 2020 GSP **prior to installation** of the new emergency engine(s).
- 2) Pay registration fee as follows:
 - a. Registration received June 15, 2020 – May 31, 2021: 5 yr X \$300.00 = \$1,500.00
 - b. Registration received June 1, 2021 – May 31, 2022: 4 yr X \$300.00 = \$1,200.00
 - c. Registration received June 1, 2022 – May 31, 2023: 3 yr X \$300.00 = \$900.00
 - d. Registration received June 1, 2023 – May 31, 2024: 2 yr X \$300.00 = \$600.00
 - e. Registration received June 1, 2024 – May 31, 2025: 1 yr X \$300.00 = \$300.00

Example: Registration received February 15, 2023. 2 years and ~2 months remaining until 2020 GSP expires. 2 years + 1 (“*portion thereof*”) = 3. Therefore, the GSP registration fee is \$900.00.

Registration fees based upon date of **registration**. Date of installation irrelevant for the registration fee.

EXISTING FACILITY THAT SWITCHES FROM A STATE PERMIT TO OPERATE TO A GSP

Our facility has permitted devices covered by a State Permit to Operate and has been paying the annual emission-based fee. After changes occurred at the facility, only the emergency engines require a permit. What fee does the facility pay if it wants to switch to a GSP?

- 1) Facility must register the emergency engine(s) under the 2015 GSP prior to cancellation of the State Permit to Operate.
- 2) Pay registration fee as follows:
 - a. Registration received June 15, 2020 – May 31, 2021: 5 yr X \$300.00 = \$1,500.00
 - b. Registration received June 1, 2021 – May 31, 2022: 4 yr X \$300.00 = \$1,200.00
 - c. Registration received June 1, 2022 – May 31, 2023: 3 yr X \$300.00 = \$900.00
 - d. Registration received June 1, 2023 – May 31, 2024: 2 yr X \$300.00 = \$600.00
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