

Rule 223-2 Fugitive Dust-Asbestos Hazard Mitigation Information Sheet

The complete text of the rule is at: www.arb.ca.gov/DRDB/ED/CURHTML/R223-2.PDF

General Requirements:

- Visible emissions shall not exceed 20% opacity at point-of-origin and shall not extend more than 25 feet from point-of-origin, or cross the project boundary line, whichever is less.
- Vehicle speeds shall be limited to 15 mph.
- The dust generating process must be suspended when wind causes visible emissions past the project boundary line, or 25 feet from the point-of-origin, whichever is less.
- Asbestos Warning signs must be placed at the entrance to the project.

Administrative Requirements:

- Projects which disturb more than 20 cubic yards must submit an Asbestos Dust Mitigation Plan (ADMP) along with applicable fees to the Air Quality Management District (AQMD) for approval. Notification of earthmoving activities must be made to the AQMD 10 days prior to the start if project is ≥ 1 acre. If project is < 1 acre, notification has to be made 48 hours prior to the start of earthmoving activities.
- Projects > 50 acres have additional requirements.
- Records must be maintained and retained for 10 years.

Requirements for Fugitive Dust Prevention and Trackout Management:

- Applicable Best Management Practices shall be utilized to comply with requirements of this Rule.
- Trackout must be prevented or cleaned up immediately.
- All trackout must be cleaned by wet sweeping, operating a HEPA filter equipped vacuum device, or flushing with water, or flushing with water if possible without causing adverse impacts on storm water drainage or potential violations any National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System permit program.
- Larger sites (>150 vehicle trips/day or > 20 vehicle trips/day for >3 axle vehicles) must also install a trackout control device.
- Storage piles must have a means of dust control.

Requirements for Excavated Soils Management and Post Construction Mitigation:

- Excavated soils may be placed into fills on the projects or transported offsite for surface or non-surface use. Recipients must be issued a written notification of NOA content and a warning if applicable. Soil transportation and offsite disposition must be in compliance with applicable state and federal regulations.
- Onsite or offsite disposition of excavated soils must be documented.
- Projects must be covered with vegetative cover, non asbestos containing material at required depths or paving, building foundations, concrete or retaining walls, within 30 days following the end of soil disturbing activities.