CERS Business Portal Help

Aboveground Petroleum Storage Tank Facility Statement Reporting Requirements

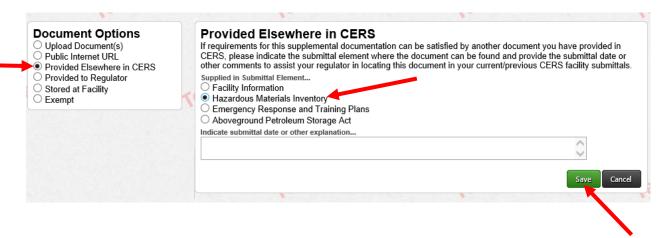
Do I have to file an Aboveground Petroleum Storage Tank Facility Statement if I have already reported a Hazardous Materials Business Plan? Revised 3/29/2019

Answer: If you answered 'yes' to the Business Activities question as shown below **and** you have submitted your Hazardous Materials Business Plan (HMBP) to CERS or a local Unified Program Agency portal, you have met the Tank Facility Statement reporting requirements for the Aboveground Petroleum Storage Act (APSA) Program as specified in Health and Safety Code (HSC) section 25270.6(a)(2).



You are not required to also submit an APSA Tank Facility Statement, but you will be required to complete the 'Aboveground Petroleum Storage Act Documentation' under the APSA submittal to indicate your HMBP submittal in lieu of the APSA Tank Facility Statement.

When completing the 'Aboveground Petroleum Storage Act Documentation' in CERS, select 'Provided Elsewhere in CERS', choose 'Hazardous Materials Inventory', and then click on the 'Save' button.



You are required to file an APSA Tank Facility Statement if:

- You have petroleum products in aboveground containers, equipment or tanks, including tanks in underground areas, with a shell capacity equal to or greater than 55 gallons where the combined quantity at the facility meets or exceeds 1,320 gallons
 OR
- You have one or more tanks in an underground area (TIUGA) (HSC 25270.2(o)),
- You are not required to submit an HMBP, such as federal facilities (e.g. military bases) and residences, other than single family homes* that have home heating oil tanks. (HSC 25270.6(a)).
 - *Single family homes with aboveground storage tanks used solely for heating the home are exempt from the Tank Facility Statement reporting, unless there is a local ordinance that requires reporting.

For information on whether your facility is regulated under the APSA program, visit the CERS Help Materials website at https://cers.calepa.ca.gov/about-cers/help-materials/ and refer to the guide called 'Is My Facility Regulated Under APSA?'

You may download the Tank Facility Statement form from the CAL FIRE – Office of the State Fire Marshal (OSFM) APSA program website at http://osfm.fire.ca.gov/cupa/pdf/TankFacilityStatement.pdf.

For more information on the APSA Program, including TIUGAs, visit the CAL FIRE – OSFM APSA Program website at http://osfm.fire.ca.gov/cupa/apsa or contact your local Unified Program Agency (http://cersapps.calepa.ca.gov/Public/Directory/).

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