



Environmental Health & Radiation Safety

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David J. Allard, Director
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Dear Mr. Allard:

At the August 21, 2007 meeting, the Radiation Protection Advisory Committee reviewed the Draft Proposed Fee Rules in 25 Pa. Code Chapters 218 and 240. The Committee recommends the Draft Proposed Fee Rules be forwarded to the Environmental Quality Board for approval and publication as proposed rulemaking.

For the proposed radon fee rules, the Committee also recommends that the Bureau evaluate the possibility of a phase-in time period for the increased fees and/or a scaling fee structure based on business size.

Finally, the Committee recommends that the Bureau evaluate the possibility of indexing proposed fee structures to keep pace with inflation of programmatic costs.

If you have any questions, please contact me.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "R. D. Forrest".

Robert D. Forrest, MS, CHP
Chair, Radiation Protection Advisory Committee