

Chapter 18

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Part 1**Upper Moreland Hatboro Joint Sewer Authority****§18-101. Upper Moreland Hatboro Joint Sewer Authority.**

The Borough hereby adopts by reference Upper Moreland Hatboro Joint Sewer Authority Resolutions 537 and 538 in their entireties. True and correct copies of the aforesaid resolutions are attached hereto and made a part hereof, marked as Exhibits 18-1-A and 18-1-B respectively.

(Ord. 996, 4/26/2010)

Exhibit 18-1-A

RESOLUTION NO. 537

A RESOLUTION OF UPPER MORELAND-HATBORO JOINT SEWER AUTHORITY, MONTGOMERY COUNTY PENNSYLVANIA, AMENDING RESOLUTION 245 WHICH PROVIDES UNIFORM REQUIREMENTS FOR USERS OF THE AUTHORITY'S WASTEWATER TREATMENT AND COLLECTION SYSTEM TO INCORPORATE REVISIONS MADE TO THE FEDERAL 40 CFR PART 403 REGULATIONS.

The Upper Moreland-Hatboro Joint Sewer Authority (Authority or UMFEJA) hereby resolves:

A. The definitions, abbreviations and acronyms used in this Resolution shall be the same as those found in Authority Resolution No. 245.

B. Slug Control.

1. Definition No. 47 in Section 1.4 of Resolution No. 245 is deleted and replaced with the following definition.

Slug Discharge - Any pollutant released in a discharge at a flow rate or concentration which will cause a violation of the specific discharge prohibitions in 40 CFR 403.5 (b) and/or any discharge of non-routine nature, episodic nature, including but not limited to accidental spills or non-customary batch discharges, which has a reasonable potential to cause interference or pass through, or in any other way violate the Authority's regulations, prohibited discharge standards in this Resolution, local limits or NPDES permit conditions.

2. Section 2.9 of Resolution No. 245 is deleted and replaced with the following requirements.

An Accidental Discharge/Slug Control Plan, as prescribed under 40 CFR 403.8 (f) (2). (vi), may be required:

- (1) For all New Sources/New Users. Where required by the General Manager, detailed plans showing facilities and operating procedures to provide protection from accidental discharges or slugs shall be submitted to the Authority for review, and shall be approved by the Authority before construction of the facility.
- (2) For Existing Sources/New Users. The General Manager shall evaluate whether each new User needs an Accidental Discharge/Slug Control Plan within one year of the date on inclusion in the Industrial Pretreatment Program.

(3) For Existing Sources/Existing Users. The General Manager shall evaluate whether each User needs an Accidental Discharge/Slug Control Plan on a routine basis.

If an Accidental Discharge/Slug Control Plan is required, the General Manager may require any User to develop, submit for approval, and implement such a plan. Alternatively, the General Manager may develop such a plan for any User. An Accidental Discharge/Slug Control Plan shall address, at a minimum, the following:

- (a) Description of discharge practices, including non-routine batch discharges;
- (b) Description of stored chemicals;
- (c) Procedures for immediately notifying the General Manager of any accidental or slug discharge;
- (d) Procedures to prevent adverse impact from any accidental or slug discharge. Such procedures shall include, but are not limited to, inspection and maintenance of storage areas, handling and transfer of materials, loading and unloading operations, control of plant site runoff, worker training, building of containment structures or equipment, measures for containing toxic organic pollutants, including solvents, and/or measures and equipment for emergency response.

When an existing source is required by the General Manager to provide and/or modify an Accidental Discharge/Slug Control Plan, the User shall provide the plan within sixty (60) days of notification. Should the plan require construction or implementation of measures to meet compliance, the plan shall provide a schedule for those actions. After initial review, should additional information be required to provide a complete plan, it shall be furnished to the General Manager within thirty (30) days. Failure to submit a revised plan and/or failure to provide a complete plan after the thirty (30) day submission period may render the Wastewater Discharge Permit void.

The Authority's review and approval of such plans and operating procedures shall not relieve the User from the responsibility to modify the User's facility as necessary to meet the requirements of this Resolution.

If not specifically required by the General Manager, the information, requirements, etc., called for in a plan are not waived by the Authority and the User shall, in their own and sole judgment provide all necessary items, procedures, etc., to prevent any accidental discharge and/or slug discharge to the POTW.

All Users are required to notify the Authority immediately of any changes at their facilities affecting the potential for an accidental discharge and/or slug discharge to the POTW.

C. Significant Noncompliance (SNC).

1. The following definition of Significant Noncompliance (SNC) is added in Section 1.4 of Resolution No. 245.

Significant Noncompliance (SNC) - An Industrial User or User is in significant noncompliance if its violation meets one or more of the specific criteria set forth in 40 CFR 403.8 (f) (2) (viii). For purposes of this definition, a User is in significant noncompliance if its violations meets one or more of the following criteria:

- (a) Chronic violations of Wastewater discharge limits, defined here as those in which sixty-six percent (66%) or more of Wastewater measurements taken during a six (6) month period exceed (by any magnitude) a numeric Pretreatment Standard or Requirement, including instantaneous limits, as defined by 40 CFR 403.3 (l).
- (b) Technical Review Criteria (TRC) violations, defined here as those in which thirty-three percent (33%) or more of Wastewater measurements taken for each pollutant parameter during a six (6) month period equals or exceeds the product of the numeric Pretreatment Standard or Requirement, including instantaneous limits, as defined by 40 CFR 403.3 (l) multiplied by the applicable criterion (1.4 for BOD, CBOD, TSS, fats, oils and grease, and 1.2 for all other pollutants except pH);
- (c) Any other violation of a Pretreatment Standard or Requirement as defined by 40 CFR 403.3 (l) (daily maximum, long-term average, instantaneous limit or narrative standard) that the General Manager determines has caused, alone or in combination with other discharges, interference or pass through (including endangering the health of Authority personnel or the general public);
- (d) Any discharge of pollutants that has caused imminent endangerment to the public health and welfare or to the environment, or has resulted in the General Manager's exercise of his emergency authority to halt or prevent such a discharge;
- (e) Failure to meet, within ninety (90) days of the scheduled date, a compliance schedule milestone contained in a Wastewater Discharge Permit or enforcement order for starting construction, completing construction, or attaining final compliance;
- (f) Failure to provide within forty-five (45) days after the due date, any required reports, including baseline monitoring reports, reports on compliance with categorical pretreatment standard deadlines, periodic self-monitoring reports, and reports on compliance with compliance schedules;
- (g) Failure to accurately report noncompliance; or

(h) Any other violation(s), which may include violation of Best Management Practices, which the General Manager determines will adversely affect the operation or implementation of the local pretreatment program.

2. The language in Section 9 of Resolution No. 245 is deleted and replaced with the following language:

The General Manager shall publish annually, in a newspaper of general circulation that provides meaningful public notice within the jurisdiction served by the POTW, a list of the Users which, during the previous twelve (12) months, were in significant noncompliance with applicable Pretreatment Standards and Requirements. The term significant noncompliance shall mean:

- (a) Chronic violations of Wastewater discharge limits, defined here as those in which sixty-six percent (66%) or more of Wastewater measurements taken during a six (6) month period exceed (by any magnitude) a numeric Pretreatment Standard or Requirement, including instantaneous limits, as defined by 40 CFR 403.3 (f).
- (b) Technical Review Criteria (TRC) violations, defined here as those in which thirty-three percent (33%) or more of Wastewater measurements taken for each pollutant parameter during a six (6) month period equals or exceeds the product of the numeric Pretreatment Standard or Requirement, including instantaneous limits, as defined by 40 CFR 403.3 (f) multiplied by the applicable criterion (1.4 for BOD, CBOD, TSS, fats, oils and grease, and 1.2 for all other pollutants except pH);
- (c) Any other violation of a Pretreatment Standard or Requirement as defined by 40 CFR 403.3 (f) (daily maximum, long-term average, instantaneous limit or narrative standard) that the General Manager determines has caused, alone or in combination with other discharges, interference or pass through (including endangering the health of Authority personnel or the general public);
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- (e) Failure to meet, within ninety (90) days of the scheduled date, a compliance schedule milestone contained in a Wastewater Discharge Permit or enforcement order for starting construction, completing construction, or attaining final compliance;
- (f) Failure to provide within forty-five (45) days after the due date, any required reports, including baseline monitoring reports, reports on compliance with categorical pretreatment standard deadlines, periodic self-monitoring reports, and reports on compliance with compliance schedules;

(g) Failure to accurately report noncompliance; or

(h) Any other violation(s), which may include violation of Best Management Practices, which the General Manager determines will adversely affect the operation or implementation of the local pretreatment program.

D. Best Management Practices (BMPs).

1. The following definition of Best Management Practices (BMPs) is added in Section 1.4 of Resolution No. 245.

Best Management Practices (BMPs) - The term Best Management Practices (or BMPs) means schedules of activities, prohibition of practices, maintenance procedures and other management practices to implement the prohibitions listed in 40 CFR 403.5 (a) (1) and (b). BMPs also include treatment requirements, operating procedures and practices to control plant site runoff, spillage or leaks, sludge or waste disposal or drainage from raw materials storage.

2. A new Section 2.11 is added to Resolution No. 245 which reads as follows.

Best Management Practices (BMPs) - The Authority, at its sole discretion, may develop BMPs to comply with requirements of this Resolution. Such BMPs shall be considered local limits and Pretreatment Standards for the purposes of 40 CFR 403 and Section 307 (d) of the Clean Water Act. The Authority, also at its sole discretion, may allow a User to implement BMPs to meet the prohibitions, standards or local limits described in Section 2 of this Resolution.

3. A new condition, Condition No. 4., is added to Section 6.1 (2) (e) of Resolution No. 245 which reads as follows.

If a User must implement a BMP to comply with Federal Pretreatment Standards or Requirements, the User shall provide all mandatory BMP compliance information.

4. A new condition, Condition No. (4), is added to Section 6.4 of Resolution No. 245 which reads as follows.

If a User must implement a BMP to comply with Federal Pretreatment Standards or Requirements or any other condition of this Resolution, the User shall submit any and all documentation required by the Authority or by the Federal Pretreatment Standard to the General Manager at the frequency specified by the Authority to evaluate compliance. The Authority may also require any User to submit any information or data at any frequency it deems necessary to determine compliance with this Resolution.

5. The language in Section 6.12 of Resolution No. 245 is deleted and replaced with the following language.

Record Keeping - Users subject to the reporting requirements of this Resolution shall maintain, and make available for inspection and copying by the General Manager, all records of information obtained pursuant to any monitoring activities required by this Resolution, any additional records of information obtained pursuant to monitoring activities undertaken by the User independent of such requirements, records associated with implementation of BMPs. Records shall include the date, exact place, method, and time of sampling, and the name of the person(s) taking the samples; the dates analyses were performed; who performed the analyses; the analytical techniques or methods used; and the results of such analyses and any other information or data deemed necessary by the Authority. These records shall remain available for a period of at least three (3) years. This period shall be automatically extended for the duration of any litigation concerning the User or the Authority, or where the User has been specifically notified of a longer retention period by the General Manager.

E. Sampling Requirements.

1. The words "User's discharge" are deleted from the first sentence of Condition No. (2) in Section 6.4 of Resolution No. 245 and replaced with "normal discharges occurring during the reporting period".
2. A new paragraph is added to Section 6.8 of Resolution No. 245 which reads as follows.

If the Authority has assumed responsibility for monitoring the User's wastewater discharge, in lieu of the User, the Authority will repeat sampling and analysis within 30 days of becoming aware of a violation.

3. The words "infeasible or" are deleted from Condition No. (1) in Section 6.10 of Resolution No. 245.

F. Miscellaneous.

1. Condition No. (a) 2, in the definition of Authorized Representative of the User, Definition No. 4 found in Section 1.4 of Resolution No. 245, is deleted and replaced with the following condition.

2. The manager of one or more manufacturing, production or operating facilities, provided, the manager is authorized to make management decisions which govern the operation of the regulated facility including having the explicit or implicit duty of making major capital investment recommendations; and initiate and direct other comprehensive measures to assure long-term environmental compliance with

environmental laws and regulations; can ensure that the necessary systems are established or actions taken to gather complete and accurate information for control mechanism requirements; and where authority to sign documents has been assigned or delegated to the manager in accordance with corporate procedures.

2. The following two definitions are added to Section 1.4 of Resolution No. 245.

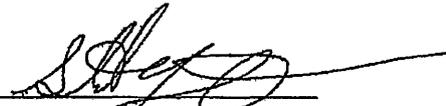
Non-Significant Categorical Industrial User – A Non-Significant Categorical Industrial User is a User which meets the requirements found in 40 CFR 403.3 (v) (2) and maybe classified as such upon a determination made solely by the Authority.

Middle Tier Categorical Industrial User – A Middle Tier Categorical Industrial User is a User which meets the requirements found in 40 CFR 403.12 (e) (3) and maybe classified as such upon a determination made solely by the Authority.

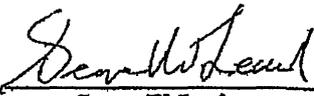
THE FOREGOING IS RESOLVED by the Upper Moreland-Hatboro Joint Sewer Authority on this 7th DAY OF October, 2009.

ATTEST:

UPPER MORELAND-HATBORO
JOINT SEWER AUTHORITY



Steven Guenst, Ass't Secretary



George W. Lewis
CHAIRMAN

Exhibit 18-1-B

RESOLUTION NO. 538

A RESOLUTION OF UPPER MORELAND-HATBORO JOINT SEWER AUTHORITY, MONTGOMERY COUNTY PENNSYLVANIA, AMENDING RESOLUTION 314 WHICH PROVIDES THE ENFORCEMENT RESPONSE PLAN FOR USERS OF THE AUTHORITY'S WASTEWATER TREATMENT AND COLLECTION SYSTEM TO INCORPORATE REVISIONS MADE TO THE FEDERAL 40 CFR PART 403 REGULATIONS.

The Upper Moreland-Hatboro Joint Sewer Authority (Authority or UMHLISA) hereby resolves:

A. The definitions, abbreviations and acronyms used in this Resolution shall be the same as those found in Authority Resolution No. 245 and 314.

B. Significant Noncompliance (SNC).

1. Definition (y) in Section 1.2 (2) of Resolution No. 314 is deleted and replaced with the following definition:

Significant Noncompliance (SNC) - An Industrial User or User is in significant noncompliance if its violation meets one or more of the specific criteria set forth in 40 CER 403.8 (f) (2) (viii). For purposes of this definition, a User is in significant noncompliance if its violations meets one or more of the following criteria:

(a) Chronic violations of Wastewater discharge limits, defined here as those in which sixty-six percent (66%) or more of Wastewater measurements taken during a six (6) month period exceed (by any magnitude) a numeric Pretreatment Standard or Requirement, including instantaneous limits, as defined by 40 CFR 403.3 (l).

(b) Technical Review Criteria (TRC) violations, defined here as those in which thirty-three percent (33%) or more of Wastewater measurements taken for each pollutant parameter during a six (6) month period equals or exceeds the product of the numeric Pretreatment Standard or Requirement, including instantaneous limits, as defined by 40 CFR 403.3 (l) multiplied by the applicable criterion (1.4 for BOD, CBOD, TSS, fats, oils and grease, and 1.2 for all other pollutants except pH);

(c) Any other violation of a Pretreatment Standard or Requirement as defined by 40 CFR 403.3 (l) (daily maximum, long-term average, instantaneous limit or narrative standard) that the General Manager determines has caused, alone or in combination

with other discharges, interference or pass through (including endangering the health of Authority personnel or the general public);

- (d) Any discharge of pollutants that has caused imminent endangerment to the public health and welfare or to the environment, or has resulted in the General Manager' exercise of his emergency authority to halt or prevent such a discharge;
- (e) Failure to meet, within ninety (90) days of the scheduled date, a compliance schedule milestone contained in a Wastewater Discharge Permit or enforcement order for starting construction, completing construction, or attaining final compliance;
- (f) Failure to provide within forty-five (45) days after the due date, any required reports, including baseline monitoring reports, reports on compliance with categorical pretreatment standard deadlines, periodic self-monitoring reports, and reports on compliance with compliance schedules;
- (g) Failure to accurately report noncompliance; or
- (h) Any other violation(s), which may include violation of Best Management Practices, which the General Manager determines will adversely affect the operation or implementation of the local pretreatment program.

2. The language in Section 4 of Resolution No. 314 is deleted and replaced with the following language:

The General Manager shall publish annually, in a newspaper of general circulation that provides meaningful public notice within the jurisdiction served by the POTW, a list of the Users which, during the previous twelve (12) months, were in significant noncompliance with applicable Pretreatment Standards and Requirements. The term significant noncompliance shall mean:

- (a) Chronic violations of Wastewater discharge limits, defined here as those in which sixty-six percent (66%) or more of Wastewater measurements taken during a six (6) month period exceed (by any magnitude) a numeric Pretreatment Standard or Requirement, including instantaneous limits, as defined by 40 CFR 403.3 (f).
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- (c) Any other violation of a Pretreatment Standard or Requirement as defined by 40 CFR 403.3 (f) (daily maximum, long-term average, instantaneous limit or narrative standard) that the General Manager determines has caused, alone or in combination with other discharges, interference or pass through (including endangering the health of Authority personnel or the general public);
- (d) Any discharge of pollutants that has caused imminent endangerment to the public health and welfare or to the environment, or has resulted in the General Manager exercise of his emergency authority to halt or prevent such a discharge;
- (e) Failure to meet, within ninety (90) days of the scheduled date, a compliance schedule milestone contained in a Wastewater Discharge Permit or enforcement order for starting construction, completing construction, or attaining final compliance;
- (f) Failure to provide within forty-five (45) days after the due date, any required reports, including baseline monitoring reports, reports on compliance with categorical pretreatment standard deadlines, periodic self-monitoring reports, and reports on compliance with compliance schedules;
- (g) Failure to accurately report noncompliance; or
- (h) Any other violation(s), which may include violation of Best Management Practices, which the General Manager determines will adversely affect the operation or implementation of the local pretreatment program.

C. Miscellaneous.

1. The following definition of Permit Limit or Limit is added in Section 1.2 (2) of Resolution No. 314.

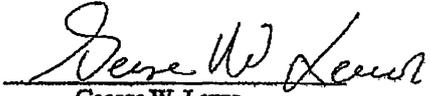
Permit Limit or Limit – Any limit, numeric or narrative, including Best Management Practices (BMPs), found in a User's permit, Resolution No. 245, the General Pretreatment Regulations (40 CFR Part 403) or the National Categorical Pretreatment Standards (40 CFR Parts 405 through 471).

THE FOREGOING IS RESOLVED by the Upper Moreland-Hatboro Joint Sewer Authority on this 7th DAY OF October, 2009.

ATTEST:

UPPER MORELAND-HATBORO
JOINT SEWER AUTHORITY


Steven Guerst, Ass't Secretary


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CHAIRMAN

Part 2**Sewer Connections****§18-201. Definitions.**

Authority—Upper Moreland-Hatboro Joint Sewer Authority.

Borough—Borough of Hatboro.

Industrial waste—any liquid, gaseous, or water-borne wastes carried by water from residences, business buildings, institutions, industries, and commercial establishments.

Occupied building—any structure erected and intended for continuous or periodic habitation, occupancy, or use by human beings or animals and from which structure sanitary sewage and industrial wastes, or either thereof, is or may be discharged.

Person - a partnership, association, or corporation.

Sanitary sewage—the normal household and toilet wastes carried by water from residences, business buildings, institutions, industries, and commercial establishments.

Sewer system—the sanitary sewer collection system, and appurtenances, including interceptors and pumping stations, now existing and to be constructed by the Authority according to the report and plans and specifications of George B. Mebus, Inc., Consulting Engineers, in the Borough sewer service area as now or hereafter described, and any improvements, additions, or extensions that hereafter may be made thereto by the Authority or the Borough or to any part or parts of any or all thereof.

(Ord. 274, 10/25/1954, §1)

§18-202. Connection to Sewer System Required; Notice.

1. Where properties abutting upon the sewer system are assessable for proportionate share of the cost thereof, all persons owning any occupied building now erected upon premises abutting on the sewer system shall at their own expense make the connection within 2 months after notice to do so from the Authority.

2. All persons owning any premises abutting on the sewer system upon which an occupied building is hereafter erected shall, at the time of erection of such building and at their own expense, make the connections with the sewer system.

3. All persons owning any occupied building upon premises which hereafter shall abut on the sewer system shall, at their own expense, make the connection with the sewer system within 2 months after notice to do so from the Authority.

(Ord. 274, 10/25/1954, §2)

§18-203. Use of Privy or Septic Tank Prohibited.

It shall be unlawful for any person owning any occupied building on premises abutting on the sewer system to erect, construct, or use or maintain or cause to be erected, constructed, used, or maintained, any privy, cesspool, sinkhole, septic tank, or other receptacle on such premises for receiving sewage.

(Ord. 274, 10/25/1954, §3)

§18-204. Maintenance of Privy or Septic Tank Deemed a Nuisance; Abatement by Borough.

Any person who erects, constructs, or maintains a privy, cesspool, sinkhole, or septic tank or other receptacle for receiving sewage, on any property abutting on the sewer system in violation of this Part, shall be deemed, and shall be declared to be erecting, constructing, and maintaining a nuisance, which nuisance the Borough is hereby authorized and directed to abate in the manner provided by law.

(Ord. 274, 10/25/1954, §4)

§18-205. Connection to Be Made in Compliance with Rules and Regulations.

No connection shall be made to the sewer system except in compliance with the appropriate ordinance of the Borough and with such rules and regulations of the Authority as may be approved from time to time by ordinance of the Borough.

(Ord. 274, 10/25/1954, §5)

§18-206. Rules and Regulations.

The following rules and regulations are approved for adoption by the Authority; and shall have the force and effect as though promulgated by the Borough:

A. *Application for Service Line.* Any person owning an occupied building upon premises abutting on the sewer system desiring the introduction of a service line from the sewer system to his premises must first make written application on the form furnished by the Authority. The application must be signed by such person or his duly authorized representative. No person owning any premises connected with the sewer system, or tenant of such premises shall permit another person or premises to use or connect with his service line, except upon written permit from the Authority.

B. *Permit for Connection.* Before making any connection to the sewer system, a permit must be obtained from the Authority. A permit authorizing such connection may be granted after proper application therefor has been made to the Authority and upon payment of the connection charge.

C. *Service Connections.* No sewer connection or disconnection shall be made, nor any lateral installed, except in the manner and of a type approved by the Authority or its duly authorized representative, who shall have supervision and control over the same. The lateral shall be constructed at the applicant's expense. After all pipe is laid and before the ditch is closed, all work must be inspected and approved by the representative of the Authority.

D. *Sewage Discharge.*

(1) No roof, storm, cellar seepage, surface or ground waters, oils, tar, grease, gasoline, combustible gases or liquids, garbage or insoluble solids, or any substance which would impair or interfere with the sewer system, or any part thereof in any manner, or with the function of the processes of sewage treatment, shall be discharged into the sewer system.

(2) No person shall discharge or cause to be discharged into the sewer system any ashes, cinders, sand, mud, straw, hay, shavings, metal, glass, scraps, rags, feathers, plastics, wood, or any other solid or viscous substance

capable of causing obstruction to the flow in the sewer system or other interferences with the proper operation of the sewer system or the processes of sewage treatment.

(3) All hotels, restaurants, boarding houses, and public eating places, before draining into the sewer system, shall install grease traps on the house drains of such character as may be specified by the Authority.

E. *Inspection.* The Authority or its representatives shall have the right of access at all reasonable times to all parts of an industrial and commercial premises connected with the sewer system and to examine and inspect the connections thereto and the plumbing fixtures or any improper connection, installation, maintenance, or use. The Authority may make reasonable charges for such inspections to users of the sewer system.

F. *Release of Liability.* Neither the Borough nor the Authority shall be liable for any damage or expense resulting from leaks, stoppages, or defective plumbing or from any other cause, occurring to any premises or within any house or building; and it is hereby expressly stipulated by all persons making connection with the sewer system that no claims shall be made against either the Borough or the Authority on account of the breaking or stoppage of, or any damage to, any lateral or house sewer line or connection when the cause thereof is found to be in such lateral or house sewer line or connection. The Borough and the Authority shall not be liable for a deficiency or failure when occasioned by an emergency, or required repairs or failure for any cause beyond control.

G. *Vacated Premises.* When premises are vacated, the owner or tenant shall give written notice thereof to the Authority, and the owner or tenant will be responsible for the sewage charges until such notice is given.

H. *Changing Rules and Regulations.* The Authority reserves the right to change or amend, from time to time, these rules and regulations in accordance with law, and subject to the approval of the Borough through its Borough Council.

(Ord. 274, 10/25/1954, §6)

§18-207. Violations and Penalties.

Any person, firm, or corporation who shall violate any provision of this Part shall, upon conviction thereof, be sentenced to pay a fine of not more than \$1,000 plus costs and, in default of payment of said fine and costs, to a term of imprisonment not to exceed 30 days. Each day that a violation of this Part continues shall constitute a separate offense.

(Ord. 274, 10/25/1954, §7; as amended by Ord. 831, 12/18/1989, §7; and by Ord. 907, 9/23/1996, §18-207)

§18-208. Authority Granted Necessary Rights for Development.

The Borough hereby grants to the Authority all and every easement, right-of-way, and other rights necessary or desirable on, over or under the streets included within Borough sewer service area for the purpose of construction the sewer system therein pursuant to the report of George B. Mebus, Inc., Consulting Engineers, dated March 8, 1954, and revised August 10, 1954, and in accordance with the plans and specifications

therewith.

(*Ord. 274, 10/25/1954, §8*)