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61.25

Abstract:

See below. Determination available in abstract form only. Included under "Letter" field to facilitate database word searching.

Letter:

May the sub-base layers of roadways be paved with asphalt that contains asbestos tailings?

The prohibition in Section 61.22 does not apply to the paving of roads with asbestos tailings that is well encapsulated in bituminous material so that the release of asbestos fibers will not occur.

EPA approval is necessary in order to dispose of asbestos tailings at an asphalt plant. The emission control proposed by the asphalt plant would have to be equal to or exceed the level of control required by Section 61.25.