REGULATION IV - PROHIBITIONS

RULE 400. RINGELMANN CHART
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A person shall not discharge into the atmosphere from any single source of emission whatsoever, any air contaminant for a period or periods aggregating more than three minutes in any one hour which is:

A. As dark or darker in shade as that designated as No. 1 on the Ringelmann Chart, as published by the United States Bureau of Mines; or

B. Of such opacity as to obscure an observer's view to a degree equal to or greater than does smoke described in subsection (A) of this rule.

1. "An observer" is defined as either a human observer or a certified, calibrated, in-stack opacity monitoring system.

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