

## Notice of Agency Rule-making Adoption

**AGENCY:** Department of Environmental Protection

**CHAPTER NUMBER AND TITLE:** 125 Perchloroethylene Dry Cleaner Regulation

**ADOPTED RULE NUMBER: 98-**  
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### CONCISE SUMMARY

The Department of Environmental Protection has adopted amendments to the Perchloroethylene Dry Cleaner Regulation that will prohibit the installation of new dry cleaners in a building co-located with a residence or a facility inhabited by children or the elderly; require that co-located dry cleaners cease operations on December 21, 2020; require all drycleaners to inspect equipment weekly with a gas analyzer; and limit to fifteen days the amount of time dry cleaning equipment can operate while awaiting repairs.

Copies of this rule are available upon request by contacting the Agency contact person listed below or on the DEP website at [www.maine.gov/dep/air/regulations/recentlyadopted.htm](http://www.maine.gov/dep/air/regulations/recentlyadopted.htm)

**EFFECTIVE DATE:** June 24, 2009

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