

### 15A NCAC 02Q .0303 DEFINITIONS

For the purposes of this Section, the following definitions apply:

- (1) "Modified facility" means a modification of an existing facility or source and:
  - (a) the permitted facility or source is being modified in such a manner as to require a new or reissued permit pursuant to this Section; or
  - (b) a new source is being added in such a manner as to require a new or reissued permit pursuant to this Section.

A modified facility does not include a facility or source that requests to change name or ownership, construction or test dates, or reporting procedures.
- (2) "New facility" means a facility that is receiving a permit from the Division for construction and operation of an emission source that it is not currently permitted.
- (3) "Plans and Specifications" means the completed application and any other documents required to define the operating conditions of the air pollution source.
- (4) "Responsible official" means one of the following:
  - (a) for a corporation: a president, secretary, treasurer, or vice-president of the corporation who is in charge of a principal business function; any other person who performs similar policy or decision-making functions for the corporation; or a duly-authorized representative of such a person if the representative is responsible for the overall operation of one or more manufacturing, production, or operating facilities applying for or subject to a permit and either:
    - (i) the facilities employ more than 250 persons or have gross annual sales or expenditures exceeding twenty-five million dollars (\$25,000,000) (in second quarter 1980 dollars); or
    - (ii) the delegation of authority to such representatives is approved in advance by the permitting authority;
  - (b) for a partnership or sole proprietorship: a general partner or the proprietor, respectively; or
  - (c) for a municipality, State, federal, or other public agency: either a principal executive officer or ranking elected official. A principal executive officer of a federal agency includes the chief executive officer having responsibility for the overall operations of a principal geographic unit of the agency (e.g., a Regional Administrator of EPA).
- (5) "Title IV source" means a source that is required to be permitted pursuant to 15A NCAC 02Q .0400.
- (6) "Title V source" means a source that is required to be permitted pursuant to 15A NCAC 02Q .0500.

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