

CONDITIONS

EXTRACTS FROM THE FOREST AND PRAIRIE PROTECTION ACT OF ALBERTA 1995

- Section 19 (3) A Fire Permit is valid only for the period for which it is issued.
(4) A Forest Officer or Fire Guardian issuing a Fire Permit may endorse on the Permit any special fire control conditions with which the applicant must comply in addition to the provisions of the Act and the Regulations.
- Section 20 A Fire Permit may be suspended or cancelled at any time by a Forest Officer or Fire Guardian and upon receiving notice of the suspension or cancellation the person concerned shall immediately extinguish any fire set pursuant to his Permit.
- Section 21 (1) For the purpose of fire control the Minister may, by order:
 - (a) suspend or cancel within any part or all of Alberta all Fire Permits, or
 - (b) prohibit the lighting or require extinguishing of a fire set other than under the authority of a Fire Permit.
 (2) The order made pursuant to Sub-section (1) shall be immediately published at least twice a day for not less than two consecutive days by such radio and television stations as are considered by the Minister most likely to bring the matter to the attention of the public.
 (3) In any area affected by an order made pursuant to Sub-section (1) every person shall immediately proceed to extinguish every open outdoor fire lit by him or under his authority and every fire located on land occupied or owned by him.
- Section 22 No person shall:
 - (a) light an outdoor fire without first taking sufficient precautions to ensure that the fire can be kept under control at all times,
 - (b) light an outdoor fire when weather conditions are conducive to a fire readily escaping out of control,
 - (c) fail to take reasonable steps to control a fire for the purpose of preventing it from spreading onto land other than his own,
 - (d) deposit, discard or leave any burning matter or substance in a place where it might ignite other matter and result in a fire,
 - (e) conduct in a forest protection area any activity that involves the use of fire or that might reasonably be expected to cause a fire, unless he exercises reasonable care to prevent a fire from occurring.

EXTRACT FROM THE FOREST AND PRAIRIE PROTECTION ACT OF ALBERTA REGULATIONS:

- Section 4 Every person who sets a fire under authority of a Permit shall:
 - (a) keep the Permit at the site of the fire,
 - (b) produce and show the Permit to an Officer on request,
 - (c) keep the fire under control,
 - (d) extinguish the fire before expiration of the Permit or upon cancellation of the Permit,
 - (e) have a responsible person in attendance at the fire at all times, except as may be otherwise authorized by a forest officer.

Issued under authority of The Forest and Prairie Protection Act and Regulations thereunder.

THIS PERMIT authorizes _____
of _____ (Address) _____ (Phone No.) to kindle fires on the following lands:
Sec. _____ Twp. _____ Rge. _____ West of _____ Meridian for the purpose of burning

Burning shall be done in compliance with the Forest and Prairie Protection Act and Regulations made thereunder, and the following conditions:

Effective _____ 20____. Expires _____ 20____.

I have read and understand the conditions and regulations above, and accept full responsibility.

Countersigned by: _____ Permittee _____

(Forest Officer or Fire Guardian) _____ 20____.

NOTE: This Permit is not valid unless countersigned and may be cancelled at any time.

APPEAL PROCEDURE

- 7 (1) Where a notice is served on a person under Section 4, that person may appeal the notice to the appeal committee, appointed for the municipality in which the land is located by serving on the local authority for the municipality a notice of appeal.
- 2) A notice of appeal is not effective unless it is served on the local authority.
- a) within the period of time specified in the notice given under Section 4 for the commencement of the remedial measure set out in the notice, or
 - b) before any remedial measures are commenced under Section 6,

whichever is the later.

- 3) Notwithstanding Sub-section (2) where
- a) a notice is served on a person under Section 4 and the notice requires that the remedial measures set out in the notice be carried out within 72 hours or a shorter period of time after the notice is served on the person, and
 - b) the remedial measures referred to in that notice were commenced under Section 6,

that person may not later than 72 hours after the notice is served on the person serve a notice of appeal on the local authority.