

## **FTV-2 Exhausting to Interior Space Conditions**

### Exhausting to Interior Space

Case No. 1

ICR 56-7.8 (a) (11)

VARIANCE GRANTED. The Petitioner's proposal for exhausting negative air machines to interior spaces at the subject premises in accordance with the attached X-page stamped copy of the Petitioner's submittal, is accepted; subject to the Conditions noted below:

### **THE CONDITIONS**

1. Negative pressure ventilation units that cannot be exhausted to the outside of the building or structure shall be directed to an unoccupied, controllable location within the building/structure.
2. This location shall be accessible for the placement of air monitoring equipment as required by the applicable sections of this code.
3. A controllable area shall be defined as an existing, vacant room or an area within a larger space isolated, consistent with ICR 56-7.4, by barrier tape and warning signs. This location shall be adequately sized to accommodate the increase in positive pressure to the area.
4. All openings within 25 feet of the Negative air machine exhaust termination shall be sealed with two layers of six (6) mil fire retardant polyethylene.
5. Air monitoring shall be conducted at each tube when exhausting to an interior space. Banking of tubes for air monitoring is not permitted.
6. If elevated air samples are indicated, work shall stop immediately. The faulty negative air machine shall be taken out of service and repaired. A replacement machine shall be installed to maintain the required negative air pressure differential in the work area. The replacement negative air machine shall be started immediately.
7. Elevated air samples results shall be submitted to the Commissioner as required by ICR 56-4.10 (a)
8. Then all surfaces within area where the faulty negative air machine is exhausting to shall be wet wiped and HEPA vacuumed. The Project Monitor shall conduct a visual inspection of the area prior to resumption of work.
9. A summary of the cleanup activities and negative air machine repairs shall be documented in the Supervisor's daily log.