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APPLICATION FOR PERMIT TO BURN MATERIAL BY "OPEN FIRE"

Name of Applicant _____ Phone No. _____

Mailing Address _____

Directions to Site _____

Type of Material to be burned _____

Amount of material to be burned _____ Place where material is to be burned _____

Person(s) to be present during burn _____

GENERAL RULES FOR OPEN BURNING

1. A permit must be secured for each operation, except as provided in Comar 26.11.07.
2. No nuisance or air pollution may be created. THE BURN MUST BE AT A MINIMUM 200' FROM ANY NEIGHBORING HABITABLE DWELLING, OR PLACE WHERE PEOPLE CONGREGATE.
3. Provision must be made for proper ventilation of the burning material to avoid excess smoke and to promote rapid and complete combustion.
4. No tires, heavy oil or other smoke-producing fuel may be used to start fires.
5. Burning is limited to only those materials generated on site.
6. Asbestos materials, plastics, tar paper, vinyl siding, and asphalt shingles are prohibited from burning.
7. No burning in an area where provisions are available for public collection of refuse.

I have read the above noted rules for open burning and agree to comply with the "CODE OF MARYLAND REGULATIONS" 26.11.07, pertaining to air quality and the general rules stated above. I will comply with all local, county and state laws and regulations while burning. I will notify the Fire Control Center, (410) 822-0095 before burning.

Signature of Applicant _____ Date: _____

The applicant is hereby notified that should the burn be for forestry or agricultural operations, or within two hundred (200) feet of woodland or flammable material that could ignite and carry fire to woodland, approval must be obtained from the Forest Ranger, Department of Natural Resources, Forest, Park & Wildlife Service at (410) 479-1623. The burn must comply with Regulation 08.07.04.

Signature of Ranger _____ Date: _____

OBSERVATIONS AND CONDITIONS OF APPROVAL/DISAPPROVAL

PERMIT TO BURN BY "OPEN FIRE"

This permit is valid for **30 days** from the date of issuance by the Talbot County Health Department. Permission is granted to the applicant named above to burn the designated type and amount of material at the place stated hereon, subject to special restrictions, if any, to be given by the Talbot County Health Department or Forest Ranger, if applicable. An extension of this permit may be granted if request is made to the Talbot County Health Department prior to the noted expiration date.

Approved by: _____ Date: _____
Environmental Health Specialist

Fee \$80.00 Licensed

Expiration Date: _____ Extended to: _____

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