

Emergency Regulations
Restoration of Universal Waste Rule (UWR)
Enforcement Authority
DTSC Control Number R-02-08

66261.9. Requirements for Universal Waste.

(a) The wastes listed in this section are exempt from ~~regulation~~ the requirements under chapter 6.5 of division 20, except for article 8, of the California Health and Safety Code and its implementing regulations except as specified in chapter 23 and, therefore, are not fully regulated as hazardous waste. The wastes listed in this section are subject to regulation under chapter 23 and article 8 of chapter 6.5 of division 20 of the Health and Safety Code:

(1) Batteries as described in section 66273.2;

(2) Thermostats as described in section 66273.4; and

(3) Lamps as described in section 66273.5.

(b) Waste cathode ray tube materials as described in section 66273.6 are conditionally exempt from classification as hazardous waste provided that they are managed in compliance with the standards of chapter 23.

(c) Universal wastes shall be managed as hazardous wastes after arrival at a destination facility.

(d) Wastes specified in subsections (a) and (b) shall be known as "universal wastes."

NOTE: Authority cited: Sections 25141, 25150, 25150.6, 25219.1 and 58012, Health and Safety Code. Reference: Sections 25141, 25150, 25159.5, 25180 to 25196, 25219, 25219.1 and 25219.2, Health and Safety Code; 40 CFR Section 261.9.