

HOW DO I GET INSURANCE FROM THE ILLINOIS DRYCLEANER ENVIRONMENTAL RESPONSE TRUST FUND?

FIRST –

Facility must be licensed with the Council.

SECOND –

Facility must be participating in a Council approved compliance program. Please call 1-800-765-4041 to request a list of approved compliance programs or download the list from our website @ www.cleanupfund.org.

THIRD –

Facility must install a containment dike or other containment structure around each drycleaning unit or the entire drycleaning area in which solvents are utilized. The containment dike or structure must be capable of containing any leak, spill or release. In addition, the floor surface of the diked area shall be sealed and impervious to drycleaning solvent leaks, spills or releases.

All drycleaning units shall be equipped to accept delivery of drycleaning solvent by means of a direct-coupled delivery system.

FOURTH –

Facility must meet all state and federal operating requirements; specifically the air, wastewater and hazardous waste generator requirements, along with completing the free Environmental Best Management Practices for Perc Drycleaners Course which can be found at www.cleanupfund.org.

FIFTH –

Facility must complete a site investigation to identify any contamination of soil or groundwater from drycleaning solvents prior to issuance of insurance coverage. If you have a new facility that was built on virgin soil OR a facility that has received a No Further Remediation (NFR) letter from the Illinois Environmental Protection Agency, please contact our office to determine the site investigation requirements.

THEN –

Complete the application and provide the information that is requested within the application, along with a copy of the air permit, if applicable and the last 12 months of inspection and repair logs for each drycleaning machine.

SEND APPLICATION AND PREMIUM TO –

DRYCLEANER ENVIRONMENTAL RESPONSE TRUST FUND OF ILLINOIS
P.O. BOX 480
BENSENVILLE, IL 60106

REVIEW –

Within 30 days of receipt of your application, it will have been reviewed and you will receive written notification if additional information is needed. When all of the necessary information has been received, you will receive a policy.

IF YOU HAVE QUESTIONS –

Call us at 1-800-765-4041 or email us at info@cleanupfund.org.