

IMPERIAL COUNTY AIR POLLUTION CONTROL DISTRICT

RULE 305 - HEARING BOARD FEES

(Revised 1/11/94; 1/16/2001; 8/10/04; 9/19/05)

A. APPLICABILITY

A.1 Every applicant or petitioner for a variance, or for the extension, revocation or modification of a variance, or for an appeal from a denial or conditional approval of an Authority to Construct or Permit to Operate, except any State or local governmental agency or public District, shall pay the Air Pollution Control Officer or his/her authorized agent, on filing, a fee for each petition. Beginning in the year 2005, these filing fees shall increase at the rate of fourteen percent (14%). Beginning January 1, 2006, this permit fee will be adjusted annually by multiplying the base permit fee for the previous year by the average percentage rate for the month of August of the previous year (rounded to the nearest half dollar) which is derived by a fraction, the numerator of which is the Revised Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers as published by the United States Department of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics for All Consumers for the Rural Service Area #7 statistical area (All Items, Base 1982-84 = 100), (the "CPI"), and the denominator of which is the CPI for the same calendar month of the prior year. Notwithstanding the foregoing, in no event shall the permit fee be decreased and in no event shall any increase exceed 4% per annum, without formal action by the Air Pollution Control District Board. The fee for each petition shall be as follows:

TYPE OF HEARING

	Year 2005	Year 2006
Emergency Variance.....	\$ 319.00	\$ 333.50
Short Variance.....	\$ 798.00	\$ 827.00
Interim Variance and Variance.....	\$ 2,075.00	\$2,144.50
Appeal Hearing.....	\$ 2,075.00	\$2,144.50
Modification of Final Compliance Date.....	\$ 1,356.50	\$ 1,405.50
Modification of a Schedule of Increments of Progress..	\$ 1,197.00	\$ 1,240.00

It is hereby determined that the cost of administration exceeds the fees prescribed herein above.

A.2 Any person requesting a transcript of the hearing shall pay the cost of such transcript.

B. EXEMPTIONS

This rule shall not apply to petitions filed by the Air Pollution Control Officer.