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Memorandum

TO: Registered Environmental Health Specialists, Program Supervisors, and Managers

FROM: Alice Isley, Program Manager
Pools, Tattoos, and State Institutions

SUBJECT: Guidance regarding pool night lighting documentation.

DISCUSSION AND RATIONALE:

This memo provides guidance for documentation and inspection frequency for night lighting at pools.

RESPONSE/INTERPRETATION:

Nighttime inspections are required to determine lighting for pools before they can be allowed to operate at night. When the Pool Night Lighting Documentation Form is completed, the night visit should be completed every third year. When no additional documentation is provided, (pool permit amended only) the night visit should be done annually. If any changes are made to the lighting, then a new night visit should be completed. During any inspection, the lights should be turned on to determine the lights are in working condition.

Contact your Environmental Health Regional Specialist if you have any further questions.

REFERENCES

Rules Governing Public Swimming Pools, 15A NCAC 18A .2500
Session Law 2017-209

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