

2026 RCS PCB Management & Liability Reduction

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DAY 1:

- 1:00 – 2:15 **Session #1 - 'State of the Agency' Report – Priorities at the EPA**
[Recent Events Taking Place at EPA Headquarters & Regional Offices]
[PCB Inspections Being Conducted by States & Third Parties]
[Regulatory Agenda Priorities]
- 2:15 – 2:30 **Break**
- 2:30 – 3:45 **Session #2 - Foundational Training for New PCB Program Coordinators**
[Emphasis on Helping Those New to EPA's regulations]
[History of PCBs, Use Authorizations, Assumption Rules]
[Transporting, Dating, Marking/Labeling, Storage of Leakers]
- 3:45 – 4:00 **Break**
- 4:00 – 5:00 **Session #3 - PCB & Non-PCB Storage Issues/Options**
[From Pole to Lay-Down / Important Procedures for Line Crews]
[Certain Transformers & Other Equipment Must be Dated]
[Clarifying EPA's 'Storage for Reuse' vs 'Storage for Disposal' Rules]
[Storage Options Under 761.65 and 761.35]
- 5:00 **Adjourn**

DAY 2:

- 8:00 – 9:15 **Session #4 - PCB & Non-PCB Spills Response, Reporting & Remediation**
[Vital Importance of Quick Response, Containment & Communication]
[Clarification of the EPA's Position on 'Fresh' vs 'Non-Fresh' Spills]
[Cleaning up 'Fresh' Spills Using the EPA's 'PCB Spill Cleanup Policy']
[Response, Reporting & Cleanup of Non-PCB Spills]
- 9:15 – 9:30 **Break**
- 9:30 – 10:45 **Session #5 - PCB & Non-PCB Spills (continued)**
[Notification, Characterization & Cleanup - 'Non-Fresh'/'Legacy' Spills]
[Choosing Between 761.61(a),(b) or (c) Remediation Options]
[Recent Changes to 761.61(b) 'Performance Based Cleanup & Disposal']
[Requirement to Notify the EPA Upon Completion of Cleanup]
- 10:45 – 11:00 **Break**
- 11:00 – Noon **Session #6 - Upcoming Changes to the EPA's 'Manifesting' Rules**
[The Use of Traditional 'Paper' Manifests is Being Phased out]
[Utilities are Going to be Required to Enroll in the 'e-Manifest' System]
[Obtaining RCRA &/or TSCA ID#s]
[Training Required to Sign e-Manifests]
- Noon – 1:00 **Lunch**
- *1:00 – 2:15 **Session #7 - Slides of Overlooked Items that are Regulated for Disposal**
[Tar-filled Equipment, Oil & Tar-filled Bushings, Paints, Caulking, etc.]
- 2:15 – 2:30 **Break**
- 2:30 – 3:45 **Session #8 - PCB Record-keeping (Logs, Inspections & Reports)**
[Optional Session to Discuss Record-keeping with RCS Clients & Others]
- 3:45 **Adjourn**