Renewable Fuels Mandate

One year after in-state production has reached 350 million gallons of cellulosic ethanol and sustained this volume for three months, all gasoline sold in Pennsylvania must contain at least 10% cellulosic ethanol. All diesel fuel sold in Pennsylvania must contain at least 2% biodiesel (B2) one year after in-state production of biodiesel reaches 40 million gallons. The mandated biodiesel blend level will continue to increase according to the following schedule:

- 5% biodiesel (B5) one year after in-state production of biodiesel reaches 100 million gallons;
- 10% biodiesel (B10) one year after in-state production of biodiesel reaches 200 million gallons; and
- 20% biodiesel (B20) one year after in-state production of biodiesel reaches 400 million gallons.

All biodiesel retailers in Pennsylvania must register with the Pennsylvania Department of Agriculture each year. Additional compliance and blending standards, in-state registration requirements, and certification and enforcement guidelines apply.

(Reference Title 73 Pennsylvania Statutes, Chapter 18H, Sections 1650.3 and 1650.4)

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