PFAS IN CLASS B FIREFIGHTING FOAMS

The Maryland Department of the Environment reminds firefighting training facilities, fire stations and other users of Class B firefighting foams that the use of these foams in most testing and training practices is banned under state law as of October 1, 2021.

MDE is also surveying organizations on their use of PFAS-containing firefighting foams to assess the potential need for additional actions.





*Class B Foam contains PFAS. "PFAS" stands for Per- and Polyfluoroalkyl Substances.

IF YOU USE CLASS B FOAM, NOTIFY MDE! 1-866-MDE-GOTO (1-866-633-4686)