

causing a failure to meet, a provision of this subpart is liable for a separate day of violation for each and every day such provision remains unfulfilled.

59. Section 80.620 is revised to read as follows:

§ 80.620 What are the additional requirements for diesel fuel produced by foreign refineries subject to a temporary refiner compliance option, non-highway baseline, hardship provisions, or motor vehicle or nonroad locomotive and marine diesel fuel credit provisions?

(a) *Definitions.* (1) A foreign refinery is a refinery that is located outside the United States, the Commonwealth of Puerto Rico, the Virgin Islands, Guam, American Samoa, and the Commonwealth of the Northern Mariana Islands (collectively referred to in this section as “the United States”).

(2) A foreign refiner is a person who meets the definition of refiner under § 80.2(i) for a foreign refinery.

(3) A diesel fuel program foreign refiner (“DFR”) is a foreign refiner that has been approved by EPA for participation in any motor vehicle diesel fuel or nonroad, locomotive or marine diesel fuel provision of §§ 80.530 through 80.536, 80.540, 80.552, 80.553, 80.554, 80.560 or 80.561 (collectively referred to as “diesel foreign refiner program”).

(4) “DFR-Diesel” means diesel fuel produced at a DFR refinery that is imported into the United States.

(5) “Non-DFR-Diesel” means diesel fuel that is produced at a foreign refinery that has not been approved as a DFR foreign refiner, diesel fuel produced at a DFR foreign refinery that is not imported into the United States, and diesel fuel produced at a DFR foreign refinery during a period when the foreign refiner has opted to not participate in the DFR-Diesel foreign refiner program under paragraph (c)(3) of this section.

(6) “Certified DFR-Diesel” means DFR-Diesel the foreign refiner intends to include in the foreign refinery’s compliance calculations under any provisions of §§ 80.530 through 80.536, 80.540, 80.552, 80.553, 80.554, 80.560 or 80.561 and does include in these compliance calculations when reported to EPA.

(7) “Non-Certified DFR-Diesel” means DFR-Diesel fuel that a DFR foreign refiner imports to the United States that is not Certified DFR-Diesel.

(b) *Baseline.* For any foreign refiner to obtain approval under the diesel foreign refiner program of subpart I of this part for any refinery, it must apply for approval under the applicable provisions of subpart I of this part. To

obtain approval the refiner is required, as applicable, to demonstrate a volume baseline for calendar years 1998 and 1999 for motor vehicle diesel fuel produced for use in the United States under §§ 80.595 and 80.596 or a non-highway baseline for diesel fuel and heating oil produced for use in the United States for the calendar years 2003 through 2005 under §§ 80.533 and 80.534.

(1) The refiner shall follow the procedures, applicable to volume baselines and using diesel fuel, or if applicable, heating oil, instead of gasoline, in §§ 80.91 through 80.93 to establish the volume of motor vehicle diesel fuel that was produced at the refinery and imported into the United States during 1998 and 1999 for purposes of establishing a baseline under §§ 80.595 and 80.596 or of diesel fuel and heating oil produced at the refinery and imported into the United States for the calendar years 2003 through 2005 for the purposes of establishing a baseline under § 80.533.

(2) In making determinations for foreign refinery baselines EPA will consider all information supplied by a foreign refiner, and in addition may rely on any and all appropriate assumptions necessary to make such determinations.

(3) Where a foreign refiner submits a petition that is incomplete or inadequate to establish an accurate baseline, and the refiner fails to correct this deficiency after a request for more information, EPA will not assign an individual refinery motor vehicle diesel fuel volume baseline or a non-highway baseline.

(c) *General requirements for DFR foreign refineries.* A foreign refiner of a refinery that is approved under the diesel foreign refiner program of 40 CFR part 80, subpart I, must designate each batch of diesel fuel produced at the foreign refinery that is exported to the United States as either Certified DFR-Diesel or as Non-Certified DFR-Diesel, except as provided in paragraph (c)(3) of this section. It must further designate all Certified DFR-Diesel as provided in § 80.523, and designate whether the diesel fuel is dyed or undyed, for heating oil whether it is marked under § 80.510(c)(1) and for locomotive or marine fuel, whether it is marked under § 80.510(c)(2). It must further designate any credits earned as either nonroad diesel credits or motor vehicle diesel credits.

(1) In the case of Certified DFR-Diesel, the foreign refiner must meet all requirements that apply to refineries under this subpart I, except that:

(i) For purposes of complying with the compliance option requirements of

§ 80.530, motor vehicle diesel fuel produced by a foreign refinery must comply separately for each Credit Trading Area of import, as defined in § 80.531(a)(5).

(ii) For purposes of complying with the compliance option requirements of § 80.530, credits obtained from any other refinery or from any importer must have been generated in the same Credit Trading Area as the Credit Trading Area of import of the fuel for which credits are needed to achieve compliance.

(iii) For purposes of generating credits under § 80.531, credits shall be generated separately by Credit Trading Area of import and shall be designated by Credit Trading Area of importation and by port of importation.

(2) In the case of Non-Certified DFR-Diesel, the foreign refiner shall meet all the following requirements:

(i) The designation requirements in this section.

(ii) The reporting requirements in this section and §§ 80.593, 80.598 and 80.599.

(iii) The product transfer document requirements in this section and §§ 80.590 and 80.591.

(iv) The prohibitions in this section and § 80.610.

(3)(i) Any foreign refiner that has been approved to produce diesel fuel subject to the diesel foreign refiner program for a foreign refinery under subpart I may elect to classify no diesel fuel imported into the United States as DFR-Diesel provided the foreign refiner notifies EPA of the election no later than November 1 of the prior calendar year.

(ii) An election under paragraph (c)(3)(i) of this section shall be for an entire calendar year and apply to all diesel fuel that is produced by the foreign refinery that is imported into the United States, and shall remain in effect for each succeeding year unless and until the foreign refiner notifies EPA of the termination of the election. The change in election shall take effect at the beginning of the next calendar year.

(d) *Designation, product transfer documents, and foreign refiner certification.* (1) Any foreign refiner of a foreign refinery that has been approved by EPA to produce diesel fuel subject to the diesel foreign refiner program must designate each batch of DFR-Diesel as such at the time the diesel fuel is produced, unless the refiner has elected to classify no diesel fuel exported to the United States as DFR-Diesel under paragraph (c)(3) of this section.

(2) On each occasion when any person transfers custody or title to any DFR-Diesel prior to its being imported into the United States, it must include