What is the State Coalition for Remediation of Drycleaners?

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About the Coalition

- Established in 1998
- Support from the U.S. EPA Office of Superfund Remediation and Technology Innovation
- Comprised of representatives of states with established drycleaner remediation programs
- Open to states without drycleaner-specific programs – “Represented States”
**Member States**

- Alabama (2000)
- Connecticut (1994)
- Florida (1994)
- Illinois (1997)
- Kansas (1995)
- Minnesota (1995)
- Missouri (2000)
- North Carolina (1997)
- Oregon (1995)
- South Carolina (1995)
- Tennessee (1997)
- Texas (2003)
- Wisconsin (1997)

**Represented States**

- Alaska
- California
- Delaware
- Maryland
- New York
- New Jersey
- Virginia
SCRD Website
www.drycleancoalition.org

SCRD Publications
- Over 20 Papers About General and Technical Aspects of Dry Cleaning and Dry Cleaner Site Cleanup
- Most Recent Paper - Co-located Drycleaner Fact Sheet (2013)
- Drycleaning virtual tour
- Site Profile Database
- Other References and Links
Other Resources

- Multi-media presentations
- Searchable on-line database of “Chemicals used in Drycleaning Operations”
- Drycleaning processes
- Innovative technologies
- Vapor intrusion
- Many other references and links

Cleanup Programs – Revenue Structure

- Registration/License fees
  - Solvent usage or FTE's
  - Operating/Registration
  - Gross receipts/Sales tax
- Solvent fees — chlorinated, non-chlorinated, CO₂
- Penalties/Interest on late payments
- Insurance premiums
- Deductibles
- Interest
Cleanup Programs

• State-Lead Remediation (6)
  ◦ Contractors under direct state project manager’s guidance

• State-Reimbursement Remediation (7)
  ◦ Responsible party’s consultant conducts cleanup with state oversight

Connecticut’s Program

• 1% tax on dry cleaning gross receipts (does not include wet cleaning)
• Reimbursement
• Maximum $300,000 per site
• Applicants must show funds available for balance of cleanup
• Current revenue of only about $500,000 per year
Current Status of Programs

- Many programs have funding shortfalls
- Reduced use of PCE, and of dry cleaning in general - economy
- Increased emphasis on prioritization of sites, use of other funding sources where possible
- Some states have limited new applications for reimbursement

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