



Brief Summary of
Complicated and Extensive Laws
and
Regulatory Compliance for the
Fuel Industry

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Regulatory Compliance

The compliance charge represents only a portion of the cost of meeting the requirements of regulatory mandates imposed by federal, state and local governments. Historically, the fuel industry has not been subject to an overwhelming amount of government regulation. However, in the past years there has been a steady increase in regulatory and reporting requirements by over a dozen regulatory authorities.

All of us at Valley Energy are very concerned with the safety of our operation, the safe handling of all our products and the safe and efficient use of those products by our valued customers. To meet this challenge and to comply with the ever increasing level of regulation we have increased our ongoing training activities and added additional personnel and equipment to insure the dependable service you expect and deserve.

Mandatory Requirements

Listed below are just a few of the more recent mandatory requirements affecting the fuel industry:

- Federal Motor Carrier Safety Regulation Compliance
- Employee Training & Driver Qualification
- Hazardous Material Training & Certification
- Tier 1 & Tier 2 Reporting
- Employee Certification and Record Keeping
- Environmental Protection/Oil Spill Regulations
- Equipment Testing
- Inventory and Price Reporting to Governmental Agencies
- Hazardous Material Monitoring and Cleanup Funds
- Delivery Equipment Inspection
- Drug Testing (Annually and Randomly)
- Remote Control Shutdown System on Delivery Equipment
- Passive Shutdown System
- Emergency Planning & Response
- O.S.H.A. Hazardous Communication Compliance