

RELEASE OF DECAYED (non-radioactive) SOLID WASTE TO ORDINARY REFUSE

Name: _____ Date: _____

Authorized User		Data for Each Bag						
When Complete, place form in your records		Bag 1	Bag 2	Bag 3	Bag 4	Bag 5	Bag 6	Bag 7
1	Date material last placed in container:							
2	Total activity of container on date listed in #1:							
3	Calculated activity on day of release:							
4	Meter survey \leq background (check)							
	Background =							
5	No labels, signs or wording referencing radioactive materials present (check):							
6	Date released to ordinary refuse:							
7	Initials:							

Line 1: Enter the date that the radioactive waste container was declared "full."

Line 2: Enter the total activity put into the container (NOT decayed).

Line 3 Enter zero (0) if the calculated final activity (decayed), based on information from *lines 1 and 2*, is less than 0.05 uCi. If the final activity is 0.05 or greater, STOP, return container to storage until the activity decays to less than 0.05 uCi.

Lines 4, 5, 6, and 7 are per ODH 3701:1-38-19(E)

Line 4: Make a check mark, indicating that nothing was found above background, after checking the container (all sides) with an approved survey meter. Document what background is for the meter used just below the check mark. The Radiation Safety Office (RSO) MUST be contacted to arrange for an RSO person to be present to observe the first container surveyed when following this procedure. None thereafter will be observed by the RSO unless the need to do so is indicated or requested by you. If any reading above background is found, STOP, return container to storage until a reading of background or less can be observed.

Line 5: Make a check mark indicating that you visually inspected the container outside and inside contents, if possible, and that you removed or TOTALLY obliterated any label, sign, or wording that is a radioactive material symbol or reference.

Line 6: Enter the date that you released the decayed solid waste to ordinary refuse.

Line 7: Enter your initials, indicating that you were the person who completed all the items in this procedure.