NATURAL RESOURCES AND ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION ACT (EXCERPT) Act 451 of 1994

324.21326 Furnishing information to department; right of entry; inspections and investigations; powers of attorney general.

Sec. 21326. (1) Upon request of the department for the purpose of conducting an investigation, taking corrective action, or enforcing this part, a person shall furnish the department with all available information about all of the following:

- (a) The underground storage tank system and its associated equipment.
- (b) The past or present contents of the underground storage tank system.
- (c) Any releases and investigations of releases.
- (2) The department has the right to enter at all reasonable times in or upon any private or public property for any of the following purposes:
 - (a) Inspecting an underground storage tank system.
 - (b) Obtaining samples of any substance from an underground storage tank system.
- (c) Requiring and supervising the conduct of monitoring or testing of an underground storage tank system, its associated equipment, or contents.
- (d) Conducting monitoring or testing of an underground storage tank system in cases where there is no identified responsible party.
 - (e) Conducting monitoring or testing, or taking samples of soils, air, surface water, or groundwater.
 - (f) Taking corrective action.
 - (g) Inspecting and copying any records related to an underground storage tank system.
- (3) All inspections and investigations undertaken by the department under this section shall be commenced and completed with reasonable promptness.
 - (4) The attorney general, on behalf of the department, may do either of the following:
- (a) Petition a court of appropriate jurisdiction for a warrant to authorize access to any private or public property to implement this part.
- (b) Commence a civil action pursuant to section 21323 for an order authorizing the department to enter any private or public property as necessary to implement this part.

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