

**Title 6—DEPARTMENT OF HIGHER EDUCATION
Division 250—University of Missouri
Chapter 11-- Fertilizer Law**

PROPOSED RULE

6 CSR 250-11.042 Guaranteed analysis when tonnage inspection fee is based on product constituent.

PURPOSE: This rule establishes tolerance for under guaranteeing a nutrient when inspection fee is based on specific nutrient content of a fertilizer product..

- (1) When the tonnage inspection fee authorized in section 266.331, RSMo, is based on nutrient constituent component(s) contained in the fertilizer, the guaranteed analysis will accurately represent the nutrient content of the product within one hundred fifty percent (150%) value. Value will be determined by chemical analysis and calculated by dividing the found nutrient level by the guaranteed level. Product analysis that are found to exceed one hundred fifty percent (150%) of the guarantee shall be subject to the prescribed inspection fee multiplied by the factor which the product was under guaranteed.

AUTHORITY: sections 266.291—266.351, RSMo. (2000) and HB 734, ninety-fifth General Assembly 2009.

PUBLIC ENTITY COST: This proposed rule will not cost state agencies or political subdivisions more than \$500 in the aggregate.

PRIVATE ENTITY COST: This proposed rule will not cost small business private entities more than \$500 in the aggregate.

*NOTICE TO SUBMIT COMMENTS: Anyone may file a statement in support of or in opposition to this proposed rule with the Director, Fertilizer/Ag Lime Control Service, University of Missouri, Columbia, MO 65211-8080. To be considered, comments must be received within thirty days after publication of this notice in the **Missouri Register**. No public hearing is scheduled.*