

# Seattle Fire Department

## Permit Conditions

4701

Site Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Inspector: \_\_\_\_\_

### Fumigation Procedures

#### NOTICE

**This permit shall be kept on the premises designated herein at all times and shall be readily available for inspection by the fire code official. (SFC 105.3.5)**

1. Electricity in any part of the building, structure or space where operation of switches or electrical devices, equipment or systems could serve as a source of ignition shall be shut off. (SFC 2603.2.1)  
**Exception:** Circulating fans that have been specifically designed for utilization in hazardous atmospheres and installed in accordance with NFPA 70.
2. *Approved* warning signs indicating the danger, type of chemical involved and necessary precautions shall be posted on all doors and entrances to the affected building, structure or space. (SFC 2603.3.1)
3. Persons engaged in the business of fumigation or insecticidal fogging shall maintain and have available *approved* protective breathing apparatus. (SFC 2603.3.2)
4. During the period fumigation is in progress, a responsible watchperson shall remain on duty at the entrance or entrances to the enclosed fumigated space until after the fumigation is completed and the building, structure or space is properly ventilated and safe for occupancy. (SFC 2603.3.3)
5. Occupants of the building, structure or space to be fumigated, except the personnel conducting the fumigation, shall be evacuated from such building, structure or space prior to commencing fumigation operations. (SFC 2603.3.4)
6. At the end of the exposure period, fumigators shall safely and properly ventilate the premises and contents; properly dispose of fumigant containers, residues, debris and other materials used for such fumigation; and clear obstructions from gas-fired appliance vents. (SFC 2603.6)
7. The use of carbon disulfide and hydrogen cyanide shall be restricted to agricultural fumigation. (SFC 2603.7)
8. Insecticidal fogging liquids with a *flash point* below 100°F (38°C) shall not be utilized. (SFC 2603.4)