

ORIGINAL

TOWNSHIP OF TEANECK  
BERGEN COUNTY, NEW JERSEY  
ORDINANCE NO. 3884

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER 30 ENTITLED "SEWERS AND SEWAGE DISPOSAL" OF THE TOWNSHIP CODE.

BE IT ORDAINED by the Township Council of the Township of Teaneck, Bergen County, as follows:

SECTION 1. That Chapter 30 be amended with the addition of Article VI, **Illicit Connection** as follows:

**Section 30-26. Definitions**

*Domestic sewage.* Waste and wastewater from humans or household operations.

*Illicit connection.* Any physical or non-physical connection that discharges domestic sewage, non-contact cooling water, process wastewater, or other industrial waste (other than stormwater) to the municipal separate storm sewer system operated by the Township of Teaneck, unless that discharge is authorized under a NJPDES Permit Number NJ0141852). Non-physical connections may include, but are not limited to, leaks, flows, or overflows into the municipal separate storm sewer system.

*Industrial waste.* Non-domestic waste, including, but not limited to, those pollutants regulated under Section 307(a), (b), or (c) of the Federal Clean Water Act (33 U.S.C. § 1317(a), (b), or (c)).

*Municipal separate storm water system (MS4).* A conveyance or system of conveyances (including roads with drainage systems, municipal streets, catch basins, curbs, gutters, ditches, manmade channels, or storm drains) that is owned or operated by the Township of Teaneck or other public body, and is designed and used for collecting and conveying stormwater.

*NJPDES permit.* A permit issued by the New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection to implement the New Jersey Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NJPDES) rules at N.J.A.C. 7:14A.

*Non-contact cooling water.* Water used to reduce temperature for the purpose of cooling. Such waters do not come into direct contact with any raw material, intermediate product (other than heat) or finished product. Non-contact cooling water may however contain algacides, or biocides to control fouling of equipment such as heat exchangers, and/or corrosion inhibitors.

*Person.* Any individual, corporation, company, partnership, firm, association, or political subdivision of the State subject to municipal jurisdiction.

*Process wastewater.* Any water which, during manufacturing or processing, comes into direct contact with or results from the production or use of any raw material, intermediate product, finished product, byproduct, or waste product. Process wastewater includes, but is not limited to, leachate and cooling water other than non-contact cooling water.

*Stormwater.* Water resulting from precipitation (including rain and snow) that runs off the land's surface, is transmitted to the subsurface, is captured by separate storm sewers or other sewerage or drainage facilities, or is conveyed by snow removal equipment.

**Section 30-27. Prohibited Conduct.**

No person shall discharge or cause to be discharged through an illicit connection to the municipal separate storm sewer system operated by the Township of Teaneck any domestic sewage, non-contact cooling water, process wastewater, or other industrial waste (other than stormwater).

**Section 30-28. Enforcement.**

This ordinance shall be enforced by the Township Engineer or his designee.

**Section 30-29. Penalties.**

Any person violating the provisions hereof, or any part hereof, shall be subject to a fine or penalty as provided in Section 1-6 of the Township Code.

SECTION 2. That all ordinances or parts of ordinances contrary to or inconsistent with this ordinance are hereby superseded.

SECTION 3. That if any section of this ordinance be adjudged invalid or unconstitutional, the same shall not affect the validity of the ordinance as a whole or any other section or provision hereby.

SECTION 4. This ordinance shall take the effect immediately upon passage and publication, or otherwise as provided by law.

  
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JACQUELINE B. KATES, MAYOR

ATTEST:

  
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ROBYN J. LAMORTE, RMC, CMC MUNICIPAL CLERK

Introduced: May 10, 2005

Adopted: May 24, 2005

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OPPOSED: NONE

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ABSENT: C. GALLUCCI

ABSENT: NONE