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Sec. 16a-23a-1. Definitions

As used in these regulations in determining standards and/or substandard anthracite the terms undersize and ash content are defined as follows:

(a) **Undersize** - The maximum allowable percentage of undersize coal in the following size of anthracite shall be:

Round-Hole Screen Sizes
(in inches)

<i>Size</i>	<i>Passing Through</i>	<i>Retained On</i>	<i>Undersize (Percent)(Maximum)</i>
Egg	3-1/4	2-7/16	15
Stove	2-7/16	1-5/8	15
Chestnut	1-5/8	13/16	15
Pea	13/16	9/16	15
No. 1 Buckwheat.	9/16	5/16	15
No. 2 Buckwheat.	5/16	3/16	17
No. 3 Buckwheat.	3/16	3/32	20
No. 4 Buckwheat.	3/32	3/64	20

(b) **Ash** - The maximum allowable dry basis percentage for ash content in anthracite coal shall be:

<i>Size</i>	<i>Ash (Dry Basis Percent)(Maximum)</i>
Egg	10
Stove	10
Chestnut	11
Pea	12
No. 1 Buckwheat.	13
No. 2 Buckwheat.	13
No. 3 Buckwheat.	14
No. 4 Buckwheat.	15

(c) **Sizing** - The sizing of Anthracite coal shall be determined by passing said anthracite coal over round mesh screens of stated size openings with screens in horizontal position.

(d) **Ash Contents** - Ash contents are determined from the residues left behind when weighed, (1-2 grams), and test samples are completely incinerated in air at 725°C ± 25°C.

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Sec. 16a-23a-2. Written notification requirements

(a) Any person, firm or corporation selling anthracite either (1) from out of state or resale within the state or (2) within the state only, shall provide written notification to the purchaser as to whether such anthracite is standard as defined in these regulations.

(b) Anthracite coal sold by any person, firm or corporation either (1) from out of state for resale within the state or (2) within the state only, which conforms to the standards as defined in Section 1 of these regulations shall be accompanied by written notification indicating in bold face type of a minimum size of ten points a statement substantially in the following form: This delivery is anthracite coal that

meets the state of Connecticut Department of Consumer Protection standard specification pertaining to undersize and ash content.

(c) Anthracite coal sold by any person, firm or corporation either (1) from out of state for resale within the state or (2) within the state only, which does not conform to standards as defined in Section 1 of these regulations shall be accompanied by written notification indicating in bold face type of minimum size of ten points a statement substantially in the following form: This delivery is anthracite coal that is substandard to the state of Connecticut Department of Consumer Protection standard specification pertaining to undersize and ash content.

(Effective March 20, 1983)

Sec. 16a-23a-3. Effective date of regulation

(a) Section 1 of these regulations shall become effective immediately upon filing with the Office of the Secretary of the State; and

(b) Section 2 of these regulations shall become effective thirty days after filing with the Office of the Secretary of the State.

(Effective February 18, 1983)