

## 40 C.F.R. § 50.1

## Definitions.

- (a) As used in this part, all terms not defined herein shall have the meaning given them by the Act.
- (b) Act means the Clean Air Act, as amended (42 U.S.C. 1857–18571, as amended by Pub. L. 91–604).
- (c) Agency means the Environmental Protection Agency.
- (d) Administrator means the Administrator of the Environmental Protection Agency.
- (e) *Ambient air* means that portion of the atmosphere, external to buildings, to which the general public has access.
- (f) Reference method means a method of sampling and analyzing the ambient air for an air pollutant that is specified as a reference method in an appendix to this part, or a method that has been designated as a reference method in accordance with part 53 of this chapter; it does not include a method for which a reference method designation has been cancelled in accordance with § 53.11 or § 53.16 of this chapter.
- (g) Equivalent method means a method of sampling and analyzing the ambient air for an air pollutant that has been designated as an equivalent method in accordance with part 53 of this chapter; it does not include a method for which an equivalent method designation has been cancelled in accordance with § 53.11 or § 53.16 of this chapter.

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