
29 C.F.R. § 1917.156

Fuel handling and storage.

- (a) *Liquid fuel.* (1) Only designated persons shall conduct fueling operations.
- (2) In case of spillage, filler caps shall be replaced and spillage disposed of before engines are started.
- (3) Engines shall be stopped and operators shall not be on the equipment during refueling operations.
- (4) Smoking and open flames shall be prohibited in areas used for fueling, fuel storage or enclosed storage of equipment containing fuel.
- (5) Equipment shall be refueled only at designated locations.
- (6) Liquid fuels not handled by pump shall be handled and transported only in portable containers or equivalent means designed for that purpose. Portable containers shall be metal, have tight closures with screw or spring covers and shall be equipped with spouts or other means to allow pouring without spilling. Leaking containers shall not be used.
- (7) Flammable liquids may be dispensed in the open from a tank or from other vehicles equipped for delivering fuel to another vehicle only if:

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