

Used Bulb and Ballast Storage Procedures

Summary

Plant Operations has established proper procedures for storage of used bulbs and ballasts.

Purpose

The purpose of this document is to describe the procedures for storage of used bulbs and ballasts.

Procedure

When storing used bulbs and ballasts, all boxes and tubes must have spent mercury labels affixed to each container. Label containers with date and piece count. Store ballasts in 55 gallon drums. PCB and non- PCB ballasts must be separated into separate 55 gallon drums. If ballast read “Non-PCB”, then consider it Non- PCB. If no information, then consider it PCB. Keep all bulbs of the same type in containers placed together.

Broken bulbs shall be stored in container provided. Clean up any mess made during bulb storage, keeping dust to a minimum. Bulbs will be stored until a large quantity has gathered for transport to Columbus State University Main Campus for disposal.

Related USG Policy

N/A

Last Update

N/A

Responsible Authority

Plant Operations