**Section 240.1240 Issuance of Permit**

a) If the applicant satisfies the requirements of the Act and this Part, the Department shall issue a permit.

b) A permit shall not be issued to an applicant not in compliance with Section 240.250(b) .

c) Mineral or coal groundwater monitoring well permits shall expire 1 year from the date of issuance unless acted upon by commencement of drilling.

d) Coal, mineral and structure test hole permits expire 1 year from date of issuance.

e) Mineral or coal groundwater monitoring well permits are not transferable prior to the drilling of the well or test hole.

f) Coal, mineral and structure test hole permits are not transferable.

(Source: Amended at 35 Ill. Reg. 13281, effective July 26, 2011)