Specified Penalties

Under the Forest and Prairie Protection Act

A list of fines levied for violations of wildfire prevention requirements as specified under the Act and Regulations

Fines levied under the Forest and Praire Protection Act

Section	Particulars	Total Fine
14(3)(a)	Enter/ remain on land closed to public entry without a permit or written permission	\$600
14(3)(b)	Carry out any activity/ operate equipment/ off-highway vehicle on land where it is prohibited by an order (forest area closure)	\$1200
15	Fail to give a forest officer/ fire guardian person's name, address, account of activities and the route person intends to follow	\$360
16	Venture on/ into water beyond 30m from the nearest water's edge when a lake is used for fire control operations	Court appearance
18(1)	Light/ cause to be lit an outdoor fire during fire season without a fire permit in a permit area	\$600
18(2)	Allow outdoor fire that is not authorized by a permit during a fire season in a permit area	\$600
18(3)	Fail to extinguish/ report unauthorized outdoor fire during fire season in a permit area	\$600
20	Fail to immediately extinguish any fire upon suspension or cancellation of fire permit	\$600
21(3)	Fail to extinguish open outdoor fire in an area affected by a fire control order (fire ban)	\$600
22(a)	Light outdoor fire without taking precautions to keep it under control at all times	\$840
22(b)	Light outdoor fire when fire hazard/ burning hazard is conducive to fire escaping out of control	\$840
22(c)	Fail to take reasonable steps to control fire from spreading	\$840
22(d)	Deposit/ discharge/ leave any burning matter/ substance	\$840
22(e)	Conduct an activity in a forest protection area that involves the use of fire/ might cause a fire without taking care to prevent a fire from occurring	\$840
26(1)	Fail to reduce/ remove/ eliminate fire hazard within the time and manner that a forest officer orders	\$1200



Section	Particulars	Total Fine
26.1	Operate equipment/ machinery/ vehicle/ aircraft/ vessel in a manner that interferes with fire control operations	Court appearance
26.2	Carry out an activity/ operate equipment/ off-highway vehicle contrarily to forest officer's order	\$840
31.3(2)	Fail to stop vehicle/ rolling stock/ aircraft/ vessel when required by forest officer	\$840
32(2.2)	Enter an area/ premises cordoned off/ secured for the purposes of investigation	\$1200
35	Use/ damage/ destroy/ remove any sign/ tool/ equipment/ material/ structure left/ situated/ erected without authorization	\$600
36	Provide false/ misleading information	\$1200

Fines levied under the Forest and Prairie Protection Regulation (*Forest and Praire Protection Act*)

Section	Particulars	Total Fine
3(a)	Fire permit holder fail to keep fire under control at all times	\$840
3(b)	Fail to ensure responsible person is in attendance at the site of fire to supervise it until extinguished	\$600
3(c)	Fail to keep fire permit at the site of fire	\$360
3(d)	Fail to show permit to officer/ fire guardian on request	\$360
3(e)	Fire permit holder fail to extinguish fire as specified	\$840
4(2)	Fail to show written permission/ permit to enter land closed to public entry to forest officer on request	\$600
6	Fail to light outdoor fire for cooking or warming as specified	\$600
7	Discard refuse that could create fire hazard on public land	\$360
8(2)(a)	Discharge firearm using tracer ammunition in FPA without permission of forest officer	\$600
8(2)(b)	Discharge firearm using incendiary ammunition in FPA without permission of forest officer	\$600
8(2)(c)	Discharge/ ignite fireworks in FPA without permission of forest officer	\$600
8(2)(d)	Shoot/ ignite/ detonate exploding target in FPA without permission of forest officer	\$600



Section	Particulars	Total Fine
8(2)(e)	Handle/ store fireworks/ exploding targets in a manner that may cause them to be discharged/ ignited in FPA without permission of forest officer	\$600
8(3)	Fail to extinguish all burning residue from firearm/ fireworks/ exploding targets	\$600
9(1)	Ignite flare device/ handle/ store flare device in a manner that may cause it to ignite on public land	\$1200
9(3)	Fail to immediately extinguish all burning residue from flare device	\$1200
10(1)	Operate engine in FPA without a device for arresting sparks/ muffler in working order	\$600
10(2)	Allow a running/ hot engine to come into contact with combustible material	\$600

Fines levied under the Forest and Prairie Protection (Ministerial) Regulation (*Forest and Prairie Protection Act*)

Section	Particulars	Total Fine
2(1)	Fail to dispose of debris as required for land cleared for new construction	\$600
2(2)	Fail to dispose of debris within 12 months of clearing land	\$600
3	Fail to conduct burning operation as specified	\$600
4	Fail to have sufficient equipment and people/ supply additional equipment and people if required by forest officer during burning operation	\$600
5	Fail to keep fire under control during burning operation	\$840
6(1)	Timber disposition holder fail to reduce harvesting operation fire hazard to safe level and keep area within 5m of perimeter clear	\$600
6(2)	Timber disposition holder fail to reduce harvesting operation fire hazard to safe level and keep perimeter clear within 12 months after completing harvesting operation	\$600
8	Fail to burn vegetation/ debris from land clearing/ agricultural activities as specified	\$600
10(a)	Person employed to firefight leave fire site before fire extinguished/ before relieved from duty	\$600
10(b)	Person employed to firefight impede/ obstruct/ hinder efforts to other persons extinguishing/ controlling fire	Court appearance



11(4)	Fail to ensure vehicle used for travelling to/ from the industrial/ commercial operation in/ within 1km of any public land are equipped with a shovel, axe and container able to hold 5L of water	\$360
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