

# The Final DEP Rule in a Nutshell

**New rule sets a 2030 phase-out deadline for the worst heating fuels in New York City**

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## **No. 6 oil burning buildings**

Need to switch to at least low sulfur No. 4 oil upon boiler permit renewal (between July 2012 and July 2015 whenever the boiler permit of the building expires). To check when a building's DEP boiler permit expires go to the NYC DOB webpage, enter the building address, scroll down to "DEP Boiler Permit" click on it and check the date.

## **No. 4 and No. 6 oil burning buildings**

Need to switch to No. 2 heating oil or natural gas whenever the boiler or burner is replaced between the effective date of the rule and 2030.

## **Sunset date 2030**

By 2030, all buildings still burning No. 4 oil will need to have converted to cleaner fuel unless the DEP grants an extension via a Compliance Agreement.