## **Question 7.5**

**Topic:** Use of Non-Redundant Backup Monitors

**Question:** Does the 720 hours per year of allowable use of a non-redundant backup monitor or monitoring system apply to each such monitor or monitoring system at a facility?

Answer: No. The 720 hours of allowable use of non-redundant backup monitors applies to the unit or stack location, not to any particular monitor or monitoring system (see Question 7.1). Therefore, it is possible for a nonredundant backup monitor or monitoring system which is used at more than one unit or stack location to accumulate more than 720 total hours of use per year (e.g., 500 hours at Stack #1 and 500 hours at Stack #2), but the limit is 720 hours at each location.

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