

Figure: 31 TAC §523.3(j)(3)(B)

SITE ASSESSMENT TOOL				
	POTENTIAL FOR PERSISTENT ODOR NUISANCE			
FACTOR	LOW	MEDIUM	HIGH	SCORE
Birds Per Flock	<100,000 = 1 pt	100K-165K = 20 pts	>165K = 30 pts	
Maximum Length of Flocks	<42 days = 1 pt	42-49 days = 10 pts	>49 days = 30 pts	
Litter Application Planned On-Farm	No = 0 pts	N/A	Yes = 30 pts	
Number of Neighbors	1 = 3 pts	2 = 5 pts	>2 = 10 pts	
Topography Influence*	None = 0 pts	Medium = 5 pts	High = 10 pts	
Number of Incinerators	None = 0 pts	1 = 5 pts	>1 = 10 pts	
Vegetation (as odor buffer)*	Heavy = 1 pt	Medium = 3 pts	None = 5 pts	
Property Line Distance	>300' = 0 pts	150-300' = 3 pts	<150' = 5 pts	
<p>*Vegetation (as buffer between proposed facility and any neighbor to filter dust and dilute odors)</p> <p>None: no significant vegetation capable of dispersing or deflecting odors</p> <p>Medium: scattered or intermittent brushy herbaceous vegetation and trees with under-, mid-, and overstories.</p> <p>Heavy: continuous 3-tiered forested woody vegetation</p>				
<p>*Topography Influence</p> <p>None: topography is level, upslope from proposed facility, or hill/ridge separates proposed facility and any neighbors.</p> <p>Medium: topography is downslope from proposed facility toward any neighbor, but no valley.</p> <p>High: topography forms downslope valley from proposed facility toward any neighbor.</p>				