All instances of noncompliance will be reviewed by the inspector and his/her supervisor for determination of the appropriate enforcement action. As a general rule, all violations will result in the issuance of a Notice of Violation, all Notices of Violation will result in the payment of a monetary penalty, all sources unable to come into compliance and which are eligible for a variance will be encouraged to apply to the Hearing Board, and upon the supervisor’s recommendation, certain noncomplying sources will be brought before the Hearing Board with the recommendation that they be placed under an Abatement Order.

While the District does have the ability to exercise additional enforcement discretion, such discretion will be exercised at the level of the Division Manager and above. Any recommendations for actions differing from those outlined in this section of the Manual must be presented to the Division Manager.