



MINNESOTA

CONSUMER FIREWORKS

Specifically permitted

Wire or wood sparklers of not more than 100 grams of pyrotechnic composition per item. Ground-based sparkling devices which are non-explosive and non-aerial, and contain 75 grams or less of chemical mixture per tube or a total of 500 grams or less for multiple tube items and include: fountains, cones, illuminating torches, wheels, ground spinners, flitter sparklers, flash / strobes, and novelty devices including snakes, glow worms, trick noisemakers, party poppers, and snappers.

Specifically prohibited

Firecrackers, torpedoes, missiles, skyrockets, bottle rockets, roman candles, daygo bombs, mines and shells, chasers, and parachutes.

Age to purchase

18 years

LICENSING

Local authorities may impose an annual license fee on retailers.

DISPLAY FIREWORKS

Display permit

Apply to municipal clerk in the municipality where the display will take place at least 15 days before date of display. Apply to the county auditor if the display will take place outside a city. For indoor displays, apply to the state fire marshal at least 15 days before the date of the display. Indoor permit fee is \$150.

Insurance

Required, in amount deemed adequate by fire chief.

Operator

Must be state certified. Must be 21 years of age, pass a written exam, and provide proof of experience. Fee: \$100.

ENFORCING AUTHORITY

State Fire Marshal
445 Minnesota St., Suite 145
St. Paul MN 55101-5145
Phone: (651)-201-7200
www.fire.state.mn.us

LAW NUMBER

Minn. Stat. Ann. §§ 624.20 - 624.25
Minn. R. 7511.0090, 7511.3308 (Fire Code), incorporating the International Fire Code (2006 ed.) by reference, as modified by the regulations.

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