

Smog advisory lifted

Sun Apr 20, 2008

DURHAM REGION -- A smog advisory in southern Ontario has been lifted thanks to cooler daytime temperatures and a breeze.

The advisory was issued Friday and extended through Sunday, however, it was lifted shortly after 11 a.m.

"Slightly cooler temperatures, partly cloudy skies and light southeasterly winds during Sunday are contributing to cleaner air and lower risk for smog," according to the Ontario Ministry of Environment which maintains the province's air quality index.

Air Quality in Oshawa at noon was listed at 42 which is considered moderate. A reading of 50 or higher is considered poor.

This was the first smog advisory of 2008.