

Memorandum

TO: Charles Moulton, Interim Hearing Officer, Arkansas Pollution Control and

Ecology Commission

FROM: Mike Bates, Chief, Air Division

DATE: September 14, 2012

SUBJECT: Proposed Revisions to Regulation No. 26, Regulations of the Arkansas

Operating Air Permit Program

The Arkansas Department of Environmental Quality (ADEQ) proposes revisions to Regulation No. 26, Regulations of the Arkansas Operating Air Permit Program.

One significant revision proposed to Regulation No. 26 is the addition of "10 tons per year of $PM_{2.5}$ ", a minor permit modification threshold for fine particulate matter ($PM_{2.5}$), under Reg.26.1002(A).

Other revisions include formatting/renumbering and correction of typographical errors as follows: adding semicolons to Reg.26.1002; changing "CFR" to "C.F.R.," and "A.C.A." "Arkansas Code Annotated" "Ark. Code Ann.;" removing an unnecessary second section symbol (§)wherever the phrase "et seq." was also used; italicizing the phrase "et seq." throughout Regulation No. 26; removing a quotation mark from Reg.26.302; adding a hyphen to "non-major" under Reg.26.303, "non-instrumental" under Reg.26.701(C)(1)(b), and "non-compliance" under Reg.26.701(F)(1); including the word "of" under Reg.26.901(E) and capitalizing the "r" in "Reference" under Reg.26.1202.