

APC&EC REGULATION NO. 30:
ARKANSAS REMEDIAL ACTION TRUST FUND
HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCES SITE PRIORITY LIST
Proposed Amendments – Executive Summary
October 13, 2017

The Arkansas Department of Environmental Quality (ADEQ) proposes this rulemaking before the Arkansas Pollution Control and Ecology Commission (Commission) for amendments to Regulation No. 30 (Arkansas Remedial Action Trust Fund Hazardous Substances Site Priority List) to adopt changes to state law in Act 1073 of the 2017 Regular Session of the Arkansas General Assembly and update the State Priority List Sites. The Commission's authority for amending Regulation 30 is found in the Remedial Action Trust Fund Act, Ark. Code Ann. § 8-7-501 *et seq.*

The proposed amendments to the regulation include the following:

- ***Sites Proposed for Deletion from the State Priority List:*** In Chapter 3, two (2) sites are proposed to be deleted from those currently listed because site investigation and necessary remedial activities have been completed and the sites no longer pose a potential unacceptable risk to human health or the environment from hazardous substances defined under the Remedial Action Trust Fund Act. The sites proposed for delisting are:
 - (1) Star Starett/Leer Mfg, Dumas, Desha County; and
 - (2) Value Line, Arkadelphia, Clark County;
- ***Brownfield Assessment Funding:*** A new Chapter 4 was added to address Act 1073 and the use of assessment grants for potentially contaminated sites for the facilitation of economic development and environmental improvement. Act 1073 authorizes the use of up to ten percent (10%) of the moneys collected for the Hazardous Substance Remedial Action Trust Fund to be used for conducting site assessments of potentially contaminated sites under certain conditions; and
- ***Minor revisions*** to include correcting typographical, grammatical, formatting, and stylistic errors.

There are no sites proposed for addition to the State Priority List and no changes to the National Priority List Sites.