

**BEFORE THE ARKANSAS POLLUTION CONTROL AND ECOLOGY
COMMISSION**

**IN THE MATTER OF AMENDMENTS TO)
REGULATION NO. 2, REGULATION)
ESTABLISHING WATER QUALITY)
STANDARDS FOR SURFACE WATERS)
OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS)**

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**ARKANSAS DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY'S
RESPONSIVE SUMMARY**

I. Introduction

A public hearing was held on June 20, 2007 in Lonoke, AR. Nine persons were in attendance at the public hearing, no oral comments were submitted. A total of two (2) written comments were submitted to the Arkansas Department of Environmental Quality ("ADEQ"). Both comments were submitted by landowners in the affected area.

II. Comments Received

The written comments submitted to ADEQ were in support of the proposed standards change and therefore are combined for the purposes of this responsive summary.

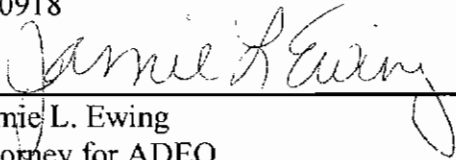
Comment: Both commenters stated they were land owners and farmers. They have used, and know of other farmers that have used, Arkansas River water for irrigation of crops. Both were in support of the standards change.

Response: The Department acknowledges the submitted comments.

Respectfully submitted,

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