## ARKANSAS POLLUTION CONTROL AND ECOLOGY COMMISSION

MINUTE ORDER NO. 20-03

SUBJECT: Lion Oil Company Third-Party Rulemaking Rule No. 2

Docket No. 13-001-R

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On January 11, 2011, Lion Oil Company ("Lion Oil") filed a Third-Party Petition with the Arkansas Pollution Control and Ecology Commission ("Commission"). Lion Oil's petition sought to amend certain water quality standards set forth in Rule No. 2, the Commission's Rule Establishing Water Quality Standards for Surface Waters of the State of Arkansas. Specifically, Lion Oil sought to amend a number of existing water quality standards for Loutre Creek, a small waterbody located in Union County, Arkansas.

Although Lion Oil's third-party petition was filed on January 11, 2011, Lion Oil never sought, for a variety of reasons, formal initiation of the Commission's rulemaking process. Because this matter has remained inactive on the Commission's rulemaking docket since 2011 the Commission finds as follows:

## IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED THAT:

- 1. The Commission hereby dismisses this docket.
- 2. The Commission instructs its administrative law judge to close Docket No. 13-001-R.
- 3. This dismissal does not prevent Lion Oil from filing another Third-Party Petition to initiate rulemaking in the future when this matter is ripe for the Commission to initiate that rulemaking.

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