

## ADEQ REGULATIONS TRACKING SHEET

Regulation No. 6

Common Name: Regulations for the State Administration of the National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES)

1. **Strawman review** of draft regulations by key groups.

	<u>initiated</u>	<u>completed</u>	<u>incorporated</u>
EPA	<u>√</u>	<u>√</u>	<u>√</u>
ADEQ Legal/Admin.	<u>√</u>	<u>√</u>	<u>√</u>
Industrial/ Environmental Groups	<u>√</u>	<u>√</u>	<u>√</u>

*Comments:* The amendment of Regulation No. 6 is necessary to implement the provisions of Act 402 of 2013 and to make minor stylistic revisions.

2. Proposed regulations presentation to Commission's **Regulations Committee** for approval to proceed to public comment period.

Date: July 26, 2013 By: Lorielle Gutting

*Comments/Approval:* Committee recommended adoption of Petition to Initiate Rulemaking

3. **Legal notice** of proposed regulations and public hearing.

<u>publication</u>	<u>dates of publication</u>
<u>Arkansas Democrat-Gazette</u>	<u>July 31, 2013 and August 1, 2013</u>

4. Provide **Legislative Council** with three copies of proposed regulations and the legislative questionnaire at least ten days prior to the first public hearing.

5. Hold **public hearing(s)** on the proposed regulations.

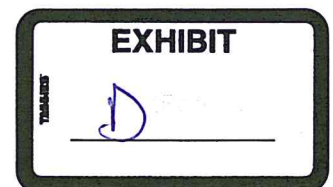
<u>location</u>	<u>date</u>	<u>hearing chairman</u>
<u>ADEQ Headquarters North Little Rock, AR</u>	<u>September 23, 2013</u>	<u>Commissioner Lynn Sickle</u>

6. Date of final day of public comment period: October 7, 2013 4:30 p.m.

7. **Final proposed regulation** and **response to comments** prepared by Department.

*Date initiated:* October 8, 2013 *Date completed:* December 2, 2013

8. Formal presentation to the **Public Health & Welfare Committee** of the Legislative Council.



Date: September 2013 By: Director Marks, Deputy Director Ryan Benefield

Comments/Approval: Approval by Committee

9. Formal presentation of proposed final regulation to the **Administrative Rules & Regulations Subcommittee** of the Legislative Council (All Regs).

Date: October 2013 By: Director Marks, Deputy Director Ryan Benefield

Comments/Approval: Approval by Committee

10. Presentation of proposed final regulation to Commission's **Regulations Committee**.

Date: February 28, 2014 By: Michael McAlister

Comments/Approval: \_\_\_\_\_

11. Provide Commission members with copy of proposed final regulation prior to Commission meeting.

Date Delivered: February 14, 2014

12. Present proposed final regulation to the **Commission** for adoption.

Date: February 28, 2014 By: Michael McAlister

Comments/Approval: \_\_\_\_\_

13. Send two copies of adopted regulation to **Secretary of State** (regulation becomes effective ten days after filing).

Date mailed: February 28, 2014

14. Formally submit adopted regulation to **EPA**.

Date mailed: Upon final promulgation of Regulation

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