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Subject: Comments on Reg 6

Dear Mr. Szenher,

I am writing on behalf of the Arkansas Canoe Club. The club consists of around 1400 members with seven chapters in four states; Oklahoma Texas Louisiana and Arkansas. We promote recreation and paddling sports in Arkansas lakes, creeks and rivers through education and conservation. The Buffalo River is and will continue to be a focus of our attention. This river and it's watershed is a national treasure and we are encouraged to see steps taken to protect this great resource.

We are writing to comment on proposed changes to Arkansas Pollution Control and Ecology Commission Regulation 6 to include notification procedures whenever an applicant files a Notice of Intent to apply for a General Permit for a Concentrated Animal Feeding Operation.

These changes are proposed by the Arkansas Department of Environmental Quality for the notification procedures under the Reg. 6 General Permit and would impact all types of CAFOs statewide.

The ACA supports these changes which will make the notification process stronger.

In addition we request:

- language under 6.207(A) specifying that "written and published notification would be issued no more than 30 days prior to submission of the NOI"
- that the Arkansas Dept. of Health be included in the list of entities to be notified
- that where a facility is to be located in the watershed of a national park the National Park Service be notified.

Thank you for your attention.

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