

BEFORE THE ARKANSAS POLLUTION CONTROL AND ECOLOGY  
COMMISSION

IN THE MATTER OF AMENDMENTS TO                    )  
REGULATION NO. 9 FEES REGULATION            )         DOCKET NO. 05-015-R

PETITION TO FINALIZE RULEMAKING TO AMEND  
REGULATION NO. 9, FEES REGULATION

The Arkansas Department of Environmental Quality (“ADEQ” or “the Department”), for its Petition to Finalize Rulemaking to Amend Regulation No. 9, Fees Regulation states:

1. The Commission initiated rulemaking on December 9, 2005.
2. To complete the rulemaking process, the Department submits several documents for the Commission's consideration as follows:
  - a. Exhibit A contains the Statement of Basis and Purpose and Responsiveness Summary (“Summary”) and is attached hereto and incorporated by reference. The Summary provides the Commission’s statutory authority to promulgate regulations, the purpose of the regulation, and responses to comments, if any.
  - b. Exhibit B contains the Commission Regulation Number 9 and is attached hereto and incorporated by reference. This regulation awaits final Commission approval;
  - d. Exhibit C contains the Regulation Number 9 Tracking Sheet ("Tracking Sheet") and is attached hereto and incorporated by reference. The Tracking Sheet provides the rulemaking timeline.

e. Exhibit D contain the proposed Minute Order and is attached hereto and incorporated by reference. Upon approval of the Minute Order, the rulemaking process will be complete.

WHEREFORE, ADEQ requests that the Commission finalize the rulemaking process, adopt the proposed Minute Order, and adopt the proposed amendments to Regulation No. 9.

Respectfully submitted,

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