BEFORE THE ARKANSAS POLLUTION CONTROL AND ECOLOGY COMMISSION

IN THE MATTER OF AMENDMENTS TO) REGULATION No. 23; HAZARDOUS) WASTE MANAGEMENT)

DOCKET NO. 12-001-R

PETITION TO ADOPT CHANGES TO AMEND REGULATION NO. 23, HAZARDOUS WASTE MANAGEMENT

The Arkansas Department of Environmental Quality (hereinafter "ADEQ" or the "Department"), for its Petition to Adopt Proposed Changes to Regulation No. 23, Hazardous Waste Management, submits the following:

- Attached hereto as Exhibit "A" is ADEQ's Statement of Basis and Purpose, which was filed on June 8, 2012 in accordance with the Commission's Minute Order No. 11-34.
- Attached hereto as Exhibit "B" is ADEQ's Responsiveness Summary which was filed on June 8, 2012 in accordance with the Commission's Minute Order No. 11-34.
- Attached hereto as Exhibit "C" is a copy of the amended Regulation No.
 23 as it will appear if the Commission grants this rulemaking request.
- 4. Attached hereto as Exhibit "D" is the Regulation Tracking Sheet.
- Attached hereto as Exhibit "E" is a proposed Minute Order adopting the changes to Regulation No. 23 as proposed in this rulemaking docket, No. 11-008-R.

WHEREFORE, the Department respectfully requests the Commission to adopt by Minute

Order the proposed changes to Regulation No. 23.

Respectfully submitted,

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