

BEFORE THE ARKANSAS POLLUTION CONTROL AND ECOLOGY
COMMISSION

IN THE MATTER OF AMENDMENTS TO)	
REGULATION NO. 25 LEAD-BASED)	DOCKET NO. 05-011-R
PAINT HAZARD REGULATION)	

PETITION TO FINALIZE RULEMAKING TO AMEND REGULATION NO. 25,
LEAD-BASED PAINT-HAZARD REGULATION

The Arkansas Department of Environmental Quality (“ADEQ” or “the Department”), for its Petition to Finalize Rulemaking to Amend Regulation No. 25, Lead-based Paint-hazard Regulation states:

1. The Commission initiated rulemaking on October 28, 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 (“Statement”) and is attached hereto and incorporated by reference. The Statement provides the proposed changes to the Regulation;
 - b. Exhibit B contains the Responsiveness Summary ("Summary") and is attached hereto and incorporated by reference. The Summary provides the comments received during the public comment period and the responses to those comments;
 - c. Exhibit C contains the Commission Regulation Number 25 and is attached hereto and incorporated by reference. This regulation awaits final Commission approval;

d. Exhibit D contains the Regulation Number 25 Tracking Sheet ("Tracking Sheet") and is attached hereto and incorporated by reference. The Tracking Sheet provides the rulemaking timeline.

e. Exhibit E 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. 25.

Respectfully submitted,

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