

**RESPONSE TO COMMENTS  
FINAL PERMITTING DECISION**

Permit No.: ARG640000

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The following are responses to comments received regarding the draft permit number above and are developed in accordance with regulations promulgated at 40 C.F.R. §124.17, APC&EC Regulation No. 8 Administrative Procedures, and A.C.A. §8-4-203 e(2).

**Introduction**

The above permit was submitted for public comment on April 27, 2016. The public comment period ended on May 31, 2016.

This document contains the comment that the ADEQ received during the public comment period. No changes to the NPDES permit were made as a result of the comment.

The following organization sent comments to the ADEQ during the public notice. A total of 1 comments was raised by 1 commenter.

Commenter	Number of Comments Raised
1. Colene Gaston, Staff Attorney, Beaver Water District	1

**Comment 1** The public notice of the Draft Permit stated that the deadline for the submission of public comments was Monday, May 30, 2016, which was Memorial Day. Pursuant to Arkansas Pollution Control and Ecology Commission Regulation No. 8.208(B), however, the correct end of the public comment period is May 31, 2016.

**Response:** The Department recognizes that the commenter is correct. In accordance with APC&EC Regulation No. 8.208(B), the last day of the public comment period for the 2016 Renewal ARG640000 was May 31, 2016.