

ADEQ REGULATIONS TRACKING SHEET

Regulation No. 2

Common Name: Regulation Establishing Water Quality Standards for Surface Waters of the State of Arkansas

1. **Strawman review** of draft regulations by key groups.

	<u>initiated</u>	<u>completed</u>	<u>incorporated</u>
EPA	<u> √ </u>	<u> √ </u>	<u> √ </u>
ADEQ Legal/Admin.	<u> √ </u>	<u> √ </u>	<u> √ </u>
Industrial/ Environmental Groups	<u> √ </u>	<u> √ </u>	<u> √ </u>

Comments: The amendment of Regulation No. 2 is required as part of the triennial review as pursuant to the Clean Water Act

2. Proposed regulations presentation to Commission's **Regulations Committee** for approval to proceed to public comment period.

Date: February 22, 2013 *By:* Jamie Ewing

Comments/Approval: Committee deferred action to the full Commission, which approved the Petition to Initiate Rulemaking by Minute Order No. 13-12

3. **Legal notice** of proposed regulations and public hearing.

<u>publication</u>	<u>dates of publication</u>
<u>Arkansas Democrat-Gazette</u>	<u>February 27, 2013 and February 28, 2013</u>

4. Provide **Legislative Council** with three copies of proposed regulations and the legislative questionnaire at least ten days prior to the first public hearing.


5. Hold **public hearing(s)** on the proposed regulations.

<u>location</u>	<u>date</u>	<u>hearing chairman</u>
<u>Allen Park Community Center Jonesboro, AR</u>	<u>April 15, 2013</u>	<u>Doug Szenher, Commission Designee</u>
<u>Fayetteville City Administration Bldg. Fayetteville, AR</u>	<u>April 18, 2013</u>	<u>Commissioner Dana Samples</u>
<u>South Arkansas Community College El Dorado, AR</u>	<u>April 22, 2013</u>	<u>Commissioner John Samples</u>
<u>ADEQ Headquarters North Little Rock, AR</u>	<u>September 23, 2013</u>	<u>Commissioner Stan Jorgensen</u>

6. Date of final day of public comment period: May 8, 2013 4:30 p.m.
7. **Final proposed regulation and response to comments** prepared by Department.
Date initiated: February 14, 2014 *Date completed:* February 14, 2014
8. Formal presentation to the **Public Health & Welfare Committee** of the Legislative Council.
Date: January 2014 *By:* Director Marks, Deputy Director Ryan Benefield
Comments/Approval: Approval by Committee
9. Formal presentation of proposed final regulation to the **Administrative Rules & Regulations Subcommittee** of the Legislative Council (All Regs).
Date: February 2014 *By:* Director Marks, Deputy Director Ryan Benefield
Comments/Approval: Approval by Committee
10. Presentation of proposed final regulation to Commission's **Regulations Committee**.
Date: February 28, 2014 *By:* Ellen Carpenter
Comments/Approval: _____
11. Provide Commission members with copy of proposed final regulation prior to Commission meeting.
Date Delivered: February 14, 2014
12. Present proposed final regulation to the **Commission** for adoption.
Date: February 28, 2014 *By:* Ellen Carpenter
Comments/Approval: _____
13. Send two copies of adopted regulation to **Secretary of State** (regulation becomes effective ten days after filing).
Date mailed: February 28, 2014
14. Formally submit adopted regulation to **EPA**.
Date mailed: Upon final promulgation of Regulation

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