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NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING ON PROPOSED REVISIONS TO 30 TAC CHAPTER 60

The Texas Commission on Environmental Quality (TCEQ or commission) will conduct a public hearing to receive testimony regarding proposed revisions to 30 Texas Administrative Code (TAC) Chapter 60, Compliance History, under the requirements of Texas Health and Safety Code, §361.1215; Texas Water Code, §26.0481; and Texas Government Code, Chapter 2001, Subchapter B.

The proposed rulemaking would revise 30 TAC Chapter 60 relating to Compliance History. The proposed rulemaking implements the changes made to TWC §5.754 which require the consideration of moderate and minor violations, in addition to the previously considered major violations, when determining repeat violator status. This proposed rulemaking also addresses legislative direction for TCEQ to review and update the compliance history rating formula to ensure it adequately allows for comparing the compliance performance of facilities of similar complexity and to regularly update an entity's compliance history rating throughout the year.

The commission will hold a hybrid virtual and in-person public hearing on this proposal in Austin on Wednesday, July 30, 2025, at 10:00 a.m. in Building F, Room 2210 at the commission's central office located at 12100 Park 35 Circle. The hearing is structured for the receipt of oral or written comments by interested persons. Individuals may present oral statements when called upon in order of registration. Open discussion will not be permitted during the hearing; however, commission staff members will be available to discuss the proposal 30 minutes prior to the hearing at 9:30 a.m.

Individuals who plan to attend the hearing virtually and want to provide oral comments and/or want their attendance on record must register by Monday, July 28, 2025. To register for the hearing, please email Rules@tceq.texas.gov and provide the following information: your name, your affiliation, your email address, your phone number, and whether or not you plan to provide oral comments during the hearing. Instructions for participating in the hearing will be sent on Tuesday, July 29, 2025, to those who register for the hearing.

For the public who do not wish to provide oral comments but would like to view the hearing may do so at no cost at:

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Persons who have special communication or other accommodation needs who are planning to attend the hearing should contact Sandy Wong, Office of Legal Services at (512) 239-1802 or 1-800-RELAY-TX (TDD). Requests should be made as far in advance as possible.

A Spanish translation of this notice is available at:

<https://www.tceq.texas.gov/rules/hearings.html>. If you need additional translation services, please contact TCEQ at (800) 687-4040. Si desea información general en español, puede llamar al (800) 687-4040.

Written comments may be submitted to Gwen Ricco, MC 205, Office of Legal Services, Texas Commission on Environmental Quality, P.O. Box 13087, Austin, Texas 78711-3087, or faxed to fax4808@tceq.texas.gov. Electronic comments may be submitted at: <https://tceq.commentinput.com/comment/search>. File size restrictions may apply to comments being submitted via TCEQ Public Comments system. All comments should reference Rule Project Number 2024-043-060-CE. The comment period closes at 11:59 p.m. on August 5, 2025. Copies of the proposed rulemaking can be obtained from the commission's website at https://www.tceq.texas.gov/rules/propose_adopt.html. For further information, please contact Krista Clement, Enforcement Division, at (512) 239-1234.