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Upcoming action items for the NPDES Permits and TMDL Branch:

Issuance of Final NPDES Permits – EPA Permits

The weeks of February 13-24, 2017, the following permits are expected to be issued/reissued by EPA following signature of the final permit and transmittal letters by the Water Division Director. Should issues arise, the permit issuance dates could be delayed, which could affect the permit effective date for authorization to discharge for new permits.

NPDES Number	Facility Name
TX0124024	Plains All American Pipeline, L.P.
TX0134020	J.B. Bomba – Guinn Operating (west of the 98th meridian oil and gas produced water discharge)
TX0134032	CMR Energy, L.P.
TX0134043	Delek Logistics Operating, LLC
TX0134044	Beckville Gas Processing Plant
LA0050971	Chitimacha Tribe of LA WWTP No 1

Little Rock Wastewater - Fourche Creek Wastewater Treatment Plant (NPDES Permit AR0040177), State Permit Review NPDES Permits and TMDL Branch proposes to issue a letter with comments to LDEQ regarding the proposed permit modification of the National

Pollutant Discharge Elimination System permit by the February 22, 2017.

Arkadelphia - Sun Bio Project (NPDES Permit AR0052761), State Permit Review NPDES Permits and TMDL Branch proposes to issue a letter with comments to ADEQ regarding the proposed issuance of the National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System permit by February 24, 2017. The regulatory due line is March 9, 2017.

FutureFuel Chemical Company (NPDES Permit AR0035386), State Permit Review NPDES Permits and TMDL Branch proposes to send a response to ADEQ regarding the proposed reissuance of the National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System permit by the regulatory due date March 1, 2017.

Ouro Mining, Inc. - Bates Mine (NPDES Permit AR0051900), State Permit Review NPDES Permits and TMDL Branch proposes to send a response to ADEQ regarding the proposed reissuance of the National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System permit by the regulatory due date March 1, 2017.

Remington Arms Company, LLC - (NPDES Permit AR0001163), State Permit Review NPDES Permits and TMDL Branch proposes to send a response to ADEQ regarding the proposed permit modification of the National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System permit by the regulatory due date March 1, 2017.

City Water and Light Plant of the City of Jonesboro - Eastside Wastewater Treatment Plant

(NPDES Permit AR0043401), State Permit Review NPDES Permits and TMDL Branch proposes to send a *response to ADEQ regarding the proposed reissuance of the National Pollutant Discharge Elimination* System permit by the regulatory due date March 1, 2017.

Tyson Poultry, Inc. d/b/a River Valley Animal Foods (NPDES Permit AR0042455), State Permit Review

NPDES Permits and TMDL Branch proposes to send a response to ADEQ regarding the proposed reissuance of the National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System permit by the regulatory due date March 1, 2017.

Louisiana Offshore Oil Port (LOOP), LLC, Deepwater Port Complex, (joint venture of Marathon Pipe Line LLC, Valero Terminaling and Distribution Company, and Shell Oil Company) (LPDES Permit No. LA0049492, AI No. 4634) - State-EPA Joint Permit,

The existing wastewater permit which was jointly issued by EPA & LDEQ expired September 30, 2013. EPA and LDEQ are continuing to work together on the proposed reissuance of the permit regarding appropriate permit requirements for brine discharges. This situation is similar to the Strategic Petroleum Reserves (SPR) under the U.S. Department of Energy, (Big Hill Oil Storage, TX0092827, and Bryan Mound Oil Storage, TX0074012) which EPA reissued in Nov. 2014. (Note: LDEQ included LOOP as an FY2017 "Priority Permit." If it cannot be issued in FY 2017, EPA R6 must get EPA HQs approval to "switch" to another Priority Permit Candidate which LDEQ can issue in FY2017 to meet our R6 commitment for End-of Year.) Next steps include an internal meeting the week of Feb. 21 or 27, followed by a call with LDEQ probably the first week of March 2017. The joint LDEQ/EPA permit will be reissued ASAP.

INVISTA S.à.r.l., wholly-owned subsidiary of Koch Industries, (formerly duPont), Victoria County (TPDES Permit No. TX0006050, Texas State Permit No. WQ0000476000) – State Permit Review.

EPA R6 issued an Interim Objection and Request for Additional Information to TCEQ on July 25, 2012. TCEQ finally responded in November 2016 with a revised proposed permit package and also provided corrected information in January 2017. EPA R6 is currently re-reviewing the old and new documentation and will issue *either*: 1) a Withdrawal of Interim Objection Letter, if the issues have been resolved, **or** 2) a Follow-up Letter (re: the original July 25, 2012 action), stating specifically what the remaining issues are and offering suggestions for resolution, if appropriate. Letter to be issued to TCEQ by approximately March 1, 2017.__

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Cal-Maine Foods, Inc., Cal-Maine Farms Pine Grove Complex (LPDES Permit No LA0115894, AI No. 94326) State Permit Review

An Interim Objection and Request for Additional Information was *drafted* for issuance on October 7, 2016; however, LDEQ requested that LDEQ and EPA continue to work informally to resolve EPA's concerns regarding this Concentrated Animal Feeding Operation (CAFO) of approximately 800,000 laying hens which produces poultry eggs. LDEQ anticipates sending a revised proposed permit package to EPA R6 in the near future. EPA anticipates that LDEQ has resolved the concerns and EPA R6 expects to issue a Letter with any final comments by approximately March 1, 2017.

City of Bowie WWTF (TPDES Permit No WQ001071003, EPA No. TX0111325), State Permit Review

TCEQ has resolved issues raised in January 12, 2017, Interim Objection. Branch proposes to issue a Withdrawal of Interim Objection letter regarding the proposed reissuance of the Texas Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (TPDES) permit. The regulatory due date is February 24, 2017.

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