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John:

Thanks for the update and for your work on promulgating the Restoration Variance amendments.

Bruce

From: John Backus [mailto:JBackus@mde.state.md.us]
Sent: Thursday, March 08, 2012 10:36 AM
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Good Morning,
On March 7, 2012, the Bob Summers, Secretary of the Environment, adopted amendments to Regulations .03-3 under COMAR 26.08.02 (Restoration Variance amendments). This was proposed for adoption in the MD Register January 13, 2012, and has been adopted as proposed. I have submitted the final action forms to the Division of State Documents for publication in the March 23 edition of the MD Register. The effective date for the amendments will be April 2 (10 days after publication)

I will be sending a package for EPA's approval in the next few days.

Thanks, John

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