

Public Notice 2016 Proposed Rules

The West Virginia Division of Air Quality has scheduled a public hearing on July 6, 2015 for its 2016 proposed legislative rules, which will take place at the Division of Environmental Protection's Charleston headquarters, 601 57th Street S.E., Charleston, WV 25304. Oral and written comments will be limited to the proposed revisions and will be made a part of the rulemaking record. Copies of the rules are available from the Secretary of State's office or from the DEP at <http://www.dep.wv.gov/pio/Pages/Rules.aspx>. You may also obtain hard copies of the information by calling the phone number listed below.

Written comments may be submitted to the Public Information Office at the above address. Comments may also be e-mailed to dep.comments@wv.gov. The hearing dates, locations and comment deadlines are as follows: The public hearing for all air quality rules will take place beginning at 6 p.m. on July 6, 2015 in the Dolly Sods Conference Room. The comment period will begin on June 5, 2015 and end at the conclusion of the public hearing.

Division of Air Quality

45CSR16 – Standards of Performance for New Stationary Sources

45CSR18 – Control of Air Pollution from Combustion of Solid Waste

45CSR25 – Control of Air Pollution from Hazardous Waste Treatment, Storage and Disposal Facilities

45CSR34 – Emission Standards for Hazardous Air Pollutants

45CSR39 – Control of Annual Nitrogen Oxides Emissions

45CSR40 – Control of Ozone Season Nitrogen Oxides Emissions

45CSR41 – Control of Annual Sulfur Dioxide Emissions

Upon authorization and promulgation, Rules 45CSR16, 45CSR25 and 45CSR34 will be submitted to EPA to fulfill federal obligations under the Clean Air Act, including delegations, plans and program approvals. Upon authorization and promulgation of revisions to 45CSR18, the DAQ will submit the final rule to the U.S. EPA for approval as a part of West Virginia's Section 111(d)/129 Plan and program delegation of the federal New Source Performance Standards. Rules 45CSR39 and 45CSR41 are proposed to be repealed because they have been replaced with the federal Cross State Air Pollution Rule (CSAPR). Upon authorization and promulgation of revisions to 45CSR40, the DAQ will submit the rule to the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency as a revision to the State Implementation Plan pursuant to the federal Clean Air Act.

For more information on any of the DAQ rules call 304-926-0475.