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Permittees,

Currently National Pollution Discharge Elimination System (NPDES) permits, general and individual, require that Discharge Monitoring Reports (DMRs) be filed on or before the 20<sup>th</sup> day of the month following the end of the monitoring period specified in the permit. (For example, the results of quarterly monitoring of a pollutant must be filed on the 20<sup>th</sup> day of the month following the quarter in which the monitoring was required.)

As of April 1, 2018, the Department of Environmental Protection, Division of Water and Waste Management (DEP DWWM), will now allow filing of DMRs for general and individual NPDES permits on or before the 25<sup>th</sup> day of the month following the end of the monitoring period. NPDES permits issued, modified or reissued after that date will allow 25 days for reporting.

The DMR system has been adjusted so that DMRs filed on or before the 25<sup>th</sup> day of the month are not deemed to be late.

Permits need not be modified to take advantage of this change in the reporting deadline. However, any permittee who wishes to make the change formally in its permit may apply to the DEP DWWM for a minor modification.

If you have any questions, please contact Megan Browning at (304)-926-0440.

Sincerely,

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Director