

**Economic Impact Statement**

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**IC 4-22-2.1-5 Statement Concerning Rules Affecting Small Businesses**

**Description of Rule:**

Under [IC 16-19-3-4](#), ISDH has the authority to adopt rules in order to protect or improve public health in the state, including rules concerning the disposition of excremental and sewage matter. Under [IC 16-19-3-5](#) (formerly [IC 16-1-3-22](#)), ISDH may adopt rules for the efficient enforcement of any of the provisions of that article.

This rule revision amends [410 IAC 6-8.3-86](#) to add that the department may approve a method to break up compaction if compacted soil material is identified in the soil at a depth greater than twelve (12) inches.

The amendment will take effect 30 days after the filing with the Publisher.

**Economic Impact on Small Businesses**

**1. Estimate the number of small businesses, classified by industry sector, that will be subject to the proposed rule.**

Tank Manufacturers – 44

On-Site System Installers – 500

**2. Estimate of the average annual reporting, record keeping, and other administrative costs that small businesses will incur to comply with the proposed rule.**

There are no record keeping or reporting requirements in the current rule and none are being added.

**3. Estimate of the total annual economic impact that compliance with the proposed rule will have on small businesses subject to the rule.**

Tank manufacturers – No fiscal impact

On-Site System Installers – No fiscal impact

**4. Statement justifying any requirement or cost that is imposed on small businesses by the rule; and not expressly required by the statute authorizing the agency to adopt the rule; or any other state or federal law.**

This rule will not add any expenses to small businesses.

**5. Regulatory Flexibility Analysis**

Other factors considered:

**A. Establishment of less stringent compliance or reporting requirements for small businesses.**

There is no change in compliance standards or reporting requirements associated with this rule revision.

**B. Establishment of less stringent schedules or deadlines for compliance or reporting requirements for small businesses.**

There are no schedules for compliance or reporting requirements associated with this rule revision.

**C. Consolidation or simplification of compliance or reporting requirements for small businesses.**

There are no schedules for compliance or reporting requirements associated with this rule revision.

**D. Establishment of performance standards for small businesses instead of design or operational standards imposed on other regulated entities by the rule.**

No performance standards, design standards, or operational standards are imposed on regulated entities associated with this rule revision.

**E. Exemption of small businesses from part or all of the requirements or costs imposed by the rule.**

There are no costs associated with this rule revision. The rule will benefit the regulated community in that more sites will be approvable for construction of on-site sewage systems.

**Conclusion**

The change proposed will have no financial effect on the operations of small businesses in Indiana.

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