

**TITLE 326 AIR POLLUTION CONTROL DIVISION**

**NOTICE OF READOPTION**  
**[IC 13-14-9.5](#) FIRST NOTICE OF COMMENT PERIOD**  
LSA Document #23-77

**READOPTON OF RULES IN TITLE 326 UNDER [IC 13-14-9.5](#)**

**PURPOSE OF NOTICE**

The Indiana Department of Environmental Management (IDEM) is soliciting public comment on the readoption of rules in Title 326 of the Indiana Administrative Code under [IC 13-14-9.5](#).

**RULES TO BE READOPTED:**

<a href="#">326 IAC 2-5.5-2</a>	Compliance schedule
<a href="#">326 IAC 2-5.5-3</a>	Application requirements
<a href="#">326 IAC 2-5.5-4</a>	Registration content
<a href="#">326 IAC 2-5.5-5</a>	Public notice
<a href="#">326 IAC 2-6.1-4</a>	Application requirements
<a href="#">326 IAC 2-6.1-7</a>	Operating permit renewal
<a href="#">326 IAC 16-1-2</a>	Purpose
<a href="#">326 IAC 16-1-3</a>	Applicability; exemptions; other requirements not superseded
<a href="#">326 IAC 16-1-4</a>	General considerations for preparing environmental assessment forms
<a href="#">326 IAC 16-2.1</a>	Definitions
<a href="#">326 IAC 25-1-2</a>	Definitions
<a href="#">326 IAC 25-1-3</a>	Eligibility criteria
<a href="#">326 IAC 25-1-4</a>	Membership application
<a href="#">326 IAC 25-1-5</a>	Term of membership
<a href="#">326 IAC 25-1-6</a>	Renewal of ESP membership
<a href="#">326 IAC 25-1-7</a>	Renewal of CLEAN membership
<a href="#">326 IAC 25-1-8</a>	Revocation
<a href="#">326 IAC 25-1-9</a>	Transfers
<a href="#">326 IAC 25-1-10</a>	Standards of environmental compliance
<a href="#">326 IAC 25-1-11</a>	Environmental management system
<a href="#">326 IAC 25-1-12</a>	Continuous environmental improvement
<a href="#">326 IAC 25-1-13</a>	Annual summary for ESP members
<a href="#">326 IAC 25-1-14</a>	Annual summary for CLEAN members

**RULES TO EXPIRE:** None.

**AUTHORITY:** [IC 13-14-9.5](#).

**SUBJECT MATTER AND BASIC PURPOSE OF RULEMAKING**

This rulemaking is required under [IC 13-14-9.5](#), which provides for the expiration and readoption of administrative rules. All rules adopted after January 1, 2002, under [IC 13-14-9](#), expire on January 1 of the seventh year after the year in which each rule takes effect. The rules listed to be readopted have an expiration date of January 1, 2024. IDEM has chosen to readopt all affected rules at one time rather than readopt each rule separately as its expiration date approaches.

Under [IC 13-14-9.5-4](#), the department or board that has rulemaking authority under Title 13 may readopt all rules subject to expiration under one rule that lists all rules that are readopted by their titles and subtitles only. If no comments are received during the first comment period, IDEM may submit the rule for filing with the Publisher under [IC 4-22-2-35](#) and publish notice in the Indiana Register that the agency has readopted the rule.

**STATUTORY AND REGULATORY REQUIREMENTS**

[IC 13-14-9.5-4](#) requires that the following procedure be followed to readopt rules:

- (1) A notice listing all rules to be readopted by their titles and subtitles shall be submitted to the Publisher for publication in the Indiana Register.
- (2) If a person submits a written request and a basis for the request during the first comment period that a particular rule be readopted separately from the readoption rule that readopts all rules in one rulemaking, the

agency must:

- (A) consider readoption of that rule separately from the readoption rule; and
  - (B) follow the procedure for adoption of administrative rules under [IC 13-14-9](#) with respect to that rule.
- (3) If no written request is provided within the first comment period, the agency may submit the rule for filing with the Publisher under [IC 4-22-2-35](#) and publish a notice in the Indiana Register that the agency has readopted the rule.

### REQUEST FOR PUBLIC COMMENTS

IDEM requests that any written comments requesting that a rule be readopted separately from this readoption rule include a basis for the request. Comments may be submitted in one of the following ways:

- (1) By mail or common carrier to the following address:

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Keelyn Walsh  
Rules Development Branch  
Office of Legal Counsel  
Indiana Department of Environmental Management  
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- (2) By electronic mail to [kwalsh@idem.in.gov](mailto:kwalsh@idem.in.gov). To confirm timely delivery of submitted comments, please request a document receipt when sending the electronic mail. **PLEASE NOTE: Electronic mail comments will NOT be considered part of the official written comment period unless they are sent to the email address indicated in this notice.**

Contact Karla Kindrick at [kkindric@idem.in.gov](mailto:kkindric@idem.in.gov) or (317) 232-8922 if another method of submitting comments within the comment period is desired. Regardless of the delivery method used, in order to properly identify each comment with the rulemaking action it is intended to address, each comment document must clearly specify the LSA document number of the rulemaking.

### COMMENT PERIOD DEADLINE

All comments must be postmarked or time stamped not later than April 14, 2023.

Additional information regarding this action may be obtained from Keelyn Walsh, Rules Development Branch, Office of Legal Counsel, [kwalsh@idem.in.gov](mailto:kwalsh@idem.in.gov), (317) 232-8229 or (800) 451-6027 (in Indiana).

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