



Exempt Action Final Regulation Agency Background Document

Agency name	State Water Control Board
Virginia Administrative Code (VAC) citation	9 VAC 25-31
Regulation title	Virginia Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (VPDES) Permit Regulation
Action title	Amend Regulation
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Summary

Please provide a brief summary of all regulatory changes, including the rationale behind such changes. Alert the reader to all substantive matters or changes. If applicable, generally describe the existing regulation.

The 2006 General Assembly enacted legislation requiring applications for new or modified VPDES permits (both individual and general) for new municipal solid waste landfills that discharge stormwater directly or indirectly into a local watershed protection district (that was established and designated as such by city ordinance prior to January 1, 2006) to contain a certification from the local governing body that the discharge is consistent with the city's ordinance that established and designated the local watershed protection district in order for the application to be considered complete. The VPDES Permit Regulation has been amended to add this requirement.

Statement of final agency action

Please provide a statement of the final action taken by the agency including (1) the date the action was taken, (2) the name of the agency taking the action, and (3) the title of the regulation.

The State Water Control Board adopted the amendments at its meeting on September 25, 2007.

Family impact

Assess the impact of this regulatory action on the institution of the family and family stability, including to what extent the regulatory action will: 1) strengthen or erode the authority and rights of parents in the education, nurturing, and supervision of their children; 2) encourage or discourage economic self-sufficiency, self-pride, and the assumption of responsibility for oneself, one's spouse, and one's children and/or elderly parents; 3) strengthen or erode the marital commitment; and 4) increase or decrease disposable family income.

There is no direct or indirect impact on the institution of the family and family stability resulting from the amendments.