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Exempt Action Final Regulation Agency Background Document

Agency name	State Water Control Board
Virginia Administrative Code (VAC) citation	9 VAC 25-660
Regulation title	Virginia Water Protection General Permit for Impacts of Less Than One-Half Acre
Action title	Amendments to Conform to 2007 Legislation
Final agency action date	December 4, 2007
Document preparation date	December 13, 2007

When a regulatory action is exempt from executive branch review pursuant to § 2.2-4002 or § 2.2-4006 of the Virginia Administrative Process Act (APA), the agency is encouraged to provide information to the public on the Regulatory Town Hall using this form.

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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 revisions are the result of statute changes passed by the 2007 General Assembly that reorganized the sections of the State Water Control Law. In order to be consistent with the statute, the statutory citations in the regulations need to be amended. In addition, the regulation is amended to conform to 2007 legislation amending Section 33.1-19.1 of the Code of Virginia amending the processing time frames for certain projects.

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 their meeting on December 4, 2007.

Family impact

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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 impact on the institution of the family and family stability.