

Subject Pollution Control Agency (PCA) Permitting

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Overview

This bill includes policy provisions being recommended by the Pollution Control Agency (PCA) related to permitting and permitting efficiency.

Summary

Section	Description
1	Notice requirements for publicly owned wastewater treatment facilities. Allows an applicant for a publicly owned wastewater treatment facility to request the waiver of a requirement that they be provided a copy of the draft permit and any fact sheets required by the PCA at least 30 days prior to the public notice of the permit. Allows the PCA to reduce the 30-day requirement based on consideration of public or Tribal interest in the permit.
2	Permitting efficiency. Requires the PCA to notify a permit applicant that additional information is required if they had been previously notified their application was complete. States that the counting of days for purposes of a 90-day and 150-day permitting goal stops until the applicant has responded with the additional information. States that the applicant has 30 days to respond with the additional information unless the PCA extends the amount of time at the applicant's request.
3	Permits. Allows the PCA to require the owners/operators of any emission facility, air containment treatment facility, treatment facility, potential air containment storage facility, or storage facility to conduct air dispersion modeling of air contaminants for purposes of the PCA's permitting of such facilities.