# IN\_\_\_\_\_\_ ADDITION

The Texas Register is required by statute to publish certain documents, including applications to purchase control of state banks, notices of rate ceilings issued by the Office of Consumer Credit Commissioner, and consultant proposal requests and

awards. State agencies also may publish other notices of general interest as space permits.

#### Office of the Attorney General

Announcement of Adjustment Required by Texas Family Code § 154.125

Effective September 1, 2025, the guidelines for the support of a child apply to situations in which the obligor's monthly net resources are not greater than \$11,700.00.

Texas Family Code § 154.125 (in part):

"APPLICATION OF GUIDELINES TO NET RESOURCES. (a) The guidelines for the support of a child in this section are specifically designed to apply to situations in which the obligor's monthly net resources are not greater than the maximum amount of net resources to which the statutory guidelines are applicable, as most recently published by the Title IV-D agency in the Texas Register. (a-1) The amount prescribed by Subsection (a) is adjusted every six years as necessary to reflect inflation. The Title IV-D agency shall compute the adjusted amount, to take effect beginning September 1 of the year of the adjustment, based on the percentage change in the consumer price index during the 72-month period preceding March 1 of the year of the adjustment, as rounded to the nearest \$50 increment. The Title IV-D agency shall publish the adjusted amount in the Texas Register before September 1 of the year in which the adjustment takes effect. For purposes of this subsection, "consumer price index" has the meaning assigned by § 341.201, Finance Code."

Computation:

February 2025, the designated CPI was 930.723

February 2019, the designated CPI was 733.407

The CPI change was 197.316 (930.723-733.407)

The CPI increased by 26.9040246% (197.316 · 733.407= 0.269040246)

\$9,200 x 1.269040246= \$11,675.17

\$11,675.17 rounded to the nearest \$50 increment is \$11,700.00 (11,675.17 · 50 = 233.50; ROUND(233.50, 0) = 234; 234 x 50 = 11,700)

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#### Office of Consumer Credit Commissioner

Notice of Rate Ceilings

The Consumer Credit Commissioner of Texas has ascertained the following rate ceilings by use of the formulas and methods described in §303.003, §303.005, and §303.009, Texas Finance Code.

The weekly ceiling as prescribed by \$303.003 and \$303.009 for the period of 08/11/25-08/17/25 is 18.00% for consumer credit.

The weekly ceiling as prescribed by \$303.003 and \$303.009 for the period of 08/11/25-08/17/25 is 18.00% for commercial<sup>2</sup> credit.

The monthly ceiling as prescribed by §303.005<sup>3</sup> and §303.009 for the period of 08/01/25-08/31/25 is 18.00%.

- <sup>1</sup> Credit for personal, family, or household use.
- <sup>2</sup> Credit for business, commercial, investment, or other similar purpose.
- <sup>3</sup> Only for variable rate commercial transactions, as provided by \$303.004(a).

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## **Commission on State Emergency Communications**

Notice of Annual Review of Rule 255.4, Definition of Local Exchange Access Line or an Equivalent Local Exchange Access Line

#### Title 1, Part 12, Texas Administrative Code, Chapter 255, §255.4

1 TAC §255.4

The Commission on State Emergency Communications (CSEC) is conducting its annual review of the definitions of the terms "local exchange access line" and "equivalent local exchange access line" as required by Health and Safety Code §771.063(c). Due to the potentially disruptive changes resulting from advancements in technology, including mobile Internet Protocol-enabled services, CSEC takes no position on whether current §255.4 sufficiently defines the foregoing terms.

Persons wishing to comment, including proposing amendments to §255.4 for consideration, may do so by submitting written comments within 30 days following publication of this notice in the *Texas Register* to Kenny Moreland, General Counsel, Commission on State Emergency Communications, 1801 Congress Avenue, Suite 11.100, Austin, Texas 78701; or by email to csecinfo@csec.texas.gov. Please include "Comments on Rule 255.4" in the subject line of your letter, fax, or email.

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Commission on State Emergency Communications

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### **Texas Commission on Environmental Quality**

Agreed Orders

The Texas Commission on Environmental Quality (TCEQ, agency, or commission) staff is providing an opportunity for written public comment on the listed Agreed Orders (AOs) in accordance with Texas Water Code (TWC), §7.075. TWC, §7.075, requires that before the commission may approve the AOs, the commission shall allow the public an opportunity to submit written comments on the proposed AOs. TWC, §7.075, requires that notice of the proposed orders and the opportunity to comment must be published in the Texas Register no later than the 30th day before the date on which the public comment period closes, which in this case is **September 16, 2025.** TWC, §7.075, also requires that the commission promptly consider any written comments received and that the commission may withdraw or withhold approval of an AO if a comment discloses facts or considerations that indicate that consent is inappropriate, improper, inadequate, or inconsistent with the requirements of the statutes and rules within the commission's jurisdiction or the commission's orders and permits issued in accordance with the commission's regulatory authority. Additional notice of changes to a proposed AO is not required to be published if those changes are made in response to written comments.

A copy of each proposed AO is available for public inspection at both the commission's central office, located at 12100 Park 35 Circle, Building C, 1st Floor, Austin, Texas 78753, (512) 239-2545 and at the applicable regional office listed as follows. Written comments about an AO should be sent to the enforcement coordinator designated for each AO at the commission's central office at P.O. Box 13087, Austin, Texas 78711-3087 and must be received by 5:00 p.m. on **September 16, 2025.** Written comments may also be sent by facsimile machine to the enforcement coordinator at (512) 239-2550. The commission's enforcement coordinators are available to discuss the AOs and/or the comment procedure at the listed phone numbers; however, TWC, §7.075, provides that comments on the AOs shall be submitted to the commission in writing.

(1) COMPANY: BASF TotalEnergies Petrochemicals LLC; DOCKET NUMBER: 2022-0678-AIR-E; IDENTIFIER: RN100216977; LOCA-TION: Groves, Jefferson County; TYPE OF FACILITY: petrochemical manufacturing plant; RULES VIOLATED: 30 TAC §§101.20(3), 116.115(b)(2)(F) and (c), and 122.143(4), New Source Review (NSR) Permit Numbers 36644, PSDTX903M5, and N007M1, Special Conditions (SC) Numbers 1 and 15.A, Federal Operating Permit (FOP) Number O2551, General Terms and Conditions (GTC) and Special Terms and Conditions (STC) Number 22, and Texas Health and Safety Code (THSC), §382.085(b), by failing to comply with the maximum allowable emissions rates (MAER) and concentration limit; 30 TAC §§101.20(3), 116.115(b)(2)(F) and (c), and 122.143(4), NSR Permit Numbers 41945, 36644, PSDTX950 and PSDTX903M5, and N018 and N007M1, SC Number 1, FOP Numbers O2551 and O2629, GTC and STC Numbers 15 and 22, and THSC, §382.085(b), by failing to comply with the MAER; 30 TAC §§101.20(3), 116.115(c), and 122.143(4), NSR Permit Numbers 36644, PSDTX903M5, and N007M1, SC Number 1, FOP Number O2551, GTC and STC Number 22, and THSC, §382.085(b), by failing to prevent unauthorized emissions and 30 TAC §§101.20(3), 116.115(b)(2)(F) and (c), 116.615, and 122.143(4), Standard Permit Registration Number 166183, General Requirements Numbers (4)(B)(v) and (vi), FOP Number O2629, GTC and STC Number 14, and THSC, §382.085(b), by failing to comply with the MAER and concentration limits; PENALTY: \$111,175; SUP-PLEMENTAL ENVIRONMENTAL PROJECT OFFSET AMOUNT: \$55,587; ENFORCEMENT COORDINATOR: Johnnie Wu, (512) 239-2524; REGIONAL OFFICE: P.O. Box 13087, Austin, Texas 78711-3087, (512) 239-2545.

(2) COMPANY: Bhoomi Hiral Priyanshi LLC dba Sammy's In N Out; DOCKET NUMBER: 2023-0697-PST-E; IDENTIFIER: RN102891306; LOCATION: Victoria, Victoria County; TYPE OF FACILITY: convenience store with retail sales of gasoline; RULES VIOLATED: 30 TAC §334.48(e)(1) and §334.50(b)(2) and TWC,

§26.3475(a) and (c)(1), by failing to conduct a test of the proper operation of the release detection equipment at least annually, and failing to provide release detection for the pressurized piping associated with the underground storage tank (UST) system; and 30 TAC \$334.48(g)(1)(A)(ii), (B), (h)(1)(A)(i) and (ii) and (B)(ii) and TWC, §26.3475(c)(1) and (2), by failing to test the spill prevention equipment at least once every three years to ensure the equipment is liquid tight, and failing to inspect the overfill prevention equipment at least once every three years to ensure that the equipment is set to activate at the correct level and will activate when a regulated substance reaches that level, also failing to conduct a walkthrough inspection for the spill prevention equipment at least once every 30 days, additionally, failing to conduct a walkthrough inspection of the UST system's release detection equipment at least once every 30 days, and finally, failing to conduct the annual walkthrough inspection of the UST containment sumps; PENALTY: \$5,780; ENFORCEMENT COORDINATOR: Rachel Murray, (903) 535-5149; REGIONAL OFFICE: 2916 Teague Drive, Tyler, Texas 75701-3734, (903) 535-5100.

- (3) COMPANY: BURK ROYALTY COMPANY, LTD.; DOCKET NUMBER: 2024-0365-AIR-E; IDENTIFIER: RN110253507; LOCATION: Levelland, Hockley County; TYPE OF FACILITY: sour gas and condensate/crude oil production; RULES VIOLATED: 30 TAC §116.110(a) and Texas Health and Safety Code, §382.0518(a) and §382.085(b), by failing to obtain authorization prior to constructing or modifying a source of air contaminants; PENALTY: \$8,125; ENFORCEMENT COORDINATOR: Christina Ferrara, (512) 239-5081; REGIONAL OFFICE: 5425 Polk Street, Suite H, Houston, Texas 77023-1452, (713) 767-3500.
- (4) COMPANY: CHAMPIONX LLC; DOCKET NUMBER: 2024-0524-AIR-E; IDENTIFIER: RN102895745; LOCATION: Sugar Land, Fort Bend County; TYPE OF FACILITY: chemical research and development site; RULES VIOLATED: 30 TAC §116.115(b)(2)(F) and (c) and §122.143(4), New Source Review Permit Number 2590, Special Conditions Number 1, Federal Operating Permit Number 04283, General Terms and Conditions and Special Terms and Conditions Number 11, and Texas Health and Safety Code, §382.085(b), by failing to comply with the maximum allowable emissions rate; PENALTY: \$24,600; SUPPLEMENTAL ENVIRONMENTAL PROJECT OFFSET AMOUNT: \$9,840; ENFORCEMENT COORDINATOR: Johnnie Wu, (512) 239-2524; REGIONAL OFFICE: P.O. Box 13087, Austin, Texas 78711-3087, (512) 239-2545.
- (5) COMPANY: City of Corpus Christi; DOCKET NUMBER: 2021-0986-MWD-E; IDENTIFIER: RN101610327; LOCATION: Corpus Christi, Nueces County; TYPE OF FACILITY: water reclamation facility; RULES VIOLATED: 30 TAC §305.125(1), and Texas Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (TPDES) Permit Number WQ0010401004, Monitoring and Reporting Requirements Number 7.a, by failing to report any noncompliance which may endanger human health or safety, or the environment orally to the Regional Office within 24 hours of becoming aware of the noncompliance, and in writing to the Regional Office and the Enforcement Division within five working days of becoming aware of the noncompliance; 30 TAC §305.125(1) and (4) and §307.4(b)(2), TWC, §26.121(a)(1), and TPDES Permit Number WQ0010401004, Permit Conditions Numbers 2.d and 2.g and Interim I Effluent Limitations and Monitoring Requirements Number 4, by failing to take all reasonable steps to minimize or prevent any sludge use or disposal or other permit violation that has a reasonable likelihood of adversely affecting human health or the environment; and 30 TAC §305.125(1) and (5), and TPDES Permit Number WQ0010401004, Operational Requirements Number 1, by failing to ensure the facility and all of its systems of collection, treatment, and disposal are properly operated and maintained; PENALTY: \$236,955; SUPPLEMENTAL ENVIRONMENTAL PROJECT OFF-

- SET AMOUNT: \$236,955; ENFORCEMENT COORDINATOR: Harley Hobson, (512) 239-1337; REGIONAL OFFICE: P.O. Box 13087, Austin, Texas 78711-3087, (512) 239-2545.
- (6) COMPANY: City of Pearsall; DOCKET NUMBER: 2025-0363-PST-E; IDENTIFIER: RN102022563; LOCATION: Pearsall, Frio County; TYPE OF FACILITY: temporarily out-of-service underground storage tank (UST) system; RULES VIOLATED: 30 AC  $\S\S37.815(a)$  and (b), 334.49(c)(2)(C), (4), 334.50(b)(1)(A), 334.54(b)(3) and (c)(1), and TWC, §26.3475(c)(1) and (d), by failing to demonstrate acceptable financial assurance for taking corrective action and for compensating third parties for bodily injury and property damage caused by accidental releases arising from the operation of petroleum USTs, and failing to inspect the corrosion protection system at least once every 60 days to ensure that the rectifier and other system components are operating properly, also failing to inspect and test the corrosion protection system for operability and adequacy of protection at a frequency of at least once every three years, and additionally, failing to monitor a temporarily out-of-service UST system in a manner which will detect a release at a frequency of at least once every 30 days; 30 TAC §334.7(d)(1)(B) and (d)(3), by failing to provide an amended registration for any change or additional information to the agency regarding the UST system within 30 days from the date of the occurrence of the change or addition; and 30 TAC §334.602(a), by failing to designate, train, and certify at least one named individual for each class of operator Class A, Class B, and Class C for the facility; PENALTY: \$8,688; ENFORCEMENT COORDINATOR: Rachel Murray, (903) 535-5149; REGIONAL OFFICE: 2916 Teague Drive, Tyler, Texas 75701-3734, (903) 535-5100.
- (7) COMPANY: City of Star Harbor; DOCKET NUMBER: 2024-1515-PWS-E; IDENTIFIER: RN101184034; LOCATION: Star Harbor, Henderson County; TYPE OF FACILITY: public water supply; RULES VIOLATED: 30 TAC §290.110(e)(2) and (6) and §290.111(h)(2)(B) and (9), by failing to submit a Surface Water Monthly Operating Report with the required turbidity and disinfectant residual data to the executive director (ED) by the tenth day of the month following the end of the reporting period for March and April 2024; 30 TAC §290.112(e)(1) and (f)(2), by failing to submit a Total Organic Carbon Monthly Operating Report with the required total organic and alkalinity sampling data to the ED each month by the tenth day of the month following the end of the reporting period during the first quarter of 2024; and 30 TAC §290.115(f)(1) and Texas Health and Safety Code, §341.0315(c), by failing to comply with the maximum contaminant level of 0.060 milligrams per liter for haloacetic acids, based on the locational running annual average; PENALTY: \$3,135; ENFORCEMENT COORDINATOR: Corinna Willis, (512) 239-2504; REGIONAL OFFICE: P.O. Box 13087, Austin, Texas 78711-3087, (512) 239-2545.
- (8) COMPANY: City of Waelder; DOCKET NUMBER: 2025-0248-PWS-E; IDENTIFIER: RN101384071; LOCATION: Waelder, Gonzales County; TYPE OF FACILITY: public water supply; RULES VIOLATED: 30 TAC §290.39(o)(3) and §290.45(h)(1), by failing to adopt and submit to the Executive Director a complete Emergency Preparedness Plan that demonstrates the facility's ability to provide emergency operations; PENALTY: \$52; ENFORCEMENT COORDINATOR: Emerson Rinewalt, (512) 239-1131; REGIONAL OFFICE: P.O. Box 13087, Austin, Texas 78711-3087, (512) 239-2545.
- (9) COMPANY: COLUMBIA MEDICAL CENTER OF LEWISVILLE SUBSIDIARY, L.P. dba Medical Center of Lewisville; DOCKET NUMBER: 2025-0238-PST-E; IDENTIFIER: RN100548171; LOCATION: Lewisville, Denton County; TYPE OF FACILITY: hospital emergency generator; RULES VIOLATED: 30 TAC §334.7(d)(3) and §334.8(c)(4)(A)(vii) and (5)(B)(ii), by

- failing to notify the agency of any change or additional information regarding the underground storage tank (UST) within 30 days of occurring the change or addition, and failing to renew a previously issued UST delivery certificate by submitting a properly completed UST registration and self-certification form at least 30 days before the expiration date; and 30 TAC §334.50(b)(1)(A) and (2)(B)(i) and TWC, §26.3475(b) and (c)(1), by failing to monitor the UST in a manner which will detect a release at a frequency of at least once every 30 days, and failing to provide release detection for the gravity flow piping associated with the UST system; PENALTY: \$6,369; ENFORCEMENT COORDINATOR: Ramyia Wendt, (512) 239-2513; REGIONAL OFFICE: P.O. Box 13087, Austin, Texas 78711-3087, (512) 239-2545.
- (10) COMPANY: Coronado Grease removal services L.L.C.; DOCKET NUMBER: 2025-0676-MLM-E; IDENTIFIER: RN110774098; LOCATION: Austin, Travis County; TYPE OF FACILITY: sludge transportation business; RULES VIOLATED: 30 TAC §312.142(d), by failing to submit an application to renew the sludge transporter registration biennially; and 30 TAC §312.143(a) and TWC, §26.121(a)(1), by failing to deposit wastes at a facility designated by or acceptable to the generator where the owner or operator of the facility agrees to receive the wastes and the facility has written authorization by permit or registration issued by the Executive Director to receive wastes: PENALTY: \$9,687: ENFORCEMENT COORDINATOR: Megan Crinklaw, (512) 239-1129; REGIONAL OFFICE: P.O. Box 13087, Austin, Texas 78711-3087, (512) 239-2545.
- (11) COMPANY: CSWR-Texas Utility Operating Company, LLC; DOCKET NUMBER: 2025-0253-PWS-E; IDENTIFIER: RN109798421; LOCATION: Fredericksburg, Gillespie County; TYPE OF FACILITY: public water supply; RULES VIOLATED: 30 TAC §290.39(o)(3) and §290.45(h)(1), by failing to adopt and submit to the Executive Director a complete Emergency Preparedness Plan that demonstrates the facility's ability to provide emergency operations; PENALTY: \$50; ENFORCEMENT COORDINATOR: Rachel Frey, (512) 239-4330; REGIONAL OFFICE: P.O. Box 13087, Austin, Texas 78711-3087, (512) 239-2545.
- (12) COMPANY: DCP Operating Company, LP; DOCKET NUMBER: 2024-1145-AIR-E; IDENTIFIER: RN106961824; LOCATION: Midkiff, Upton County; TYPE OF FACILITY: oil and gas compression station; RULES VIOLATED: 30 TAC §101.201(a)(1)(B) and Texas Health and Safety Code (THSC), §382.085(b), by failing to submit an initial notification for a reportable emissions event no later than 24 hours after the discovery of an emissions event; 30 TAC §101.201(c) and THSC, §382.085(b), by failing to submit a final record for a reportable emissions event no later than two weeks after the end of the emissions event; and 30 TAC §106.6(b), Permit by Rule Registration Number 171169, and THSC, §382.085(b), by failing to prevent unauthorized emissions; PENALTY: \$6,626; ENFORCEMENT COORDINATOR: Christina Ferrara, (512) 239-5081; REGIONAL OFFICE: 5425 Polk Street, Suite H, Houston, Texas 77023-1452, (713) 767-3500.
- (13) COMPANY: Equistar Chemicals, LP; DOCKET NUMBER: 2024-0861-AIR-E; IDENTIFIER: RN100221662; LOCATION: Corpus Christi, Nueces County; TYPE OF FACILITY: chemical plant; RULES VIOLATED: 30 TAC §§101.20(3), 116.115(c) and 122.143(4), New Source Review Permit Numbers 4682B, PS-DTX761M4, and GHGPSDTX32M1, Special Conditions Number 1, Federal Operating Permit Number O1486, General Terms and Conditions and Special Terms and Conditions Number 17, and Texas Health and Safety Code, §382.085(b), by failing to prevent unauthorized emissions; PENALTY: \$15,000; ENFORCEMENT COORDINATOR: Krystina Sepulveda, (956) 430-6045; REGIONAL OFFICE:

1804 West Jefferson Avenue, Harlingen, Texas 78550-5247, (956) 425-6010.

(14) COMPANY: ERICKSDAHL WATER SUPPLY CORPORA-TION; DOCKET NUMBER: 2025-0093-PWS-E; IDENTIFIER: RN101438877; LOCATION: Stamford, Jones County; TYPE OF FACILITY: public water supply; RULES VIOLATED: 30 TAC §290.42(e)(4)(A), by failing to provide a full-face self-contained breathing apparatus or supplied air respirator that meets Occupational Safety and Health Administration standards and is readily accessible outside the chlorinator room and immediately available to the operator in the event of an emergency; 30 TAC §290.42(1), by failing to maintain a thorough and up-to-date plant operations manual for operator review and reference; 30 TAC §290.44(d) and §290.46(r), by failing to provide a minimum pressure of 35 pounds per square inch (psi) throughout the distribution system under normal operating conditions and 20 psi during emergencies such as firefighting; 30 TAC §290.46(d)(2)(B) and §290.110(b)(4) and Texas Health and Safety Code, §341.0315(c), by failing to maintain a disinfectant residual of at least 0.5 milligrams per liter of total chlorine throughout the distribution system; 30 TAC §290.46(f)(2) and (3)(A)(ii)(III) and (V), by failing to maintain water works operation and maintenance records and make them readily available for review by the Executive Director upon request; 30 TAC §290.46(1), by failing to flush all dead-end mains at monthly intervals; 30 TAC \$290.46(m)(4), by failing to maintain all water treatment units, storage, and pressure maintenance facilities, distribution system lines, and related appurtenances in a watertight condition and free of excessive solids; 30 TAC §290.46(s)(2)(C)(i), by failing to verify the accuracy of the manual disinfectant residual analyzer at least once every 90 days using chlorine solutions of known concentrations; 30 TAC §290.46(z), by failing to create a nitrification action plan for all systems distributing chloraminated water; 30 TAC §290.110(c)(5), by failing to conduct chloramine effectiveness sampling to ensure that monochloramine is the prevailing chloramine species and that nitrification is controlled; and 30 TAC §290.121(a) and (b), by failing to maintain an up-to-date chemical and microbiological monitoring plan that identifies all sampling locations, describes the sampling frequency, and specifies the analytical procedures and laboratories that the facility will use to comply with the monitoring requirements; PENALTY: \$5,443; ENFORCEMENT COORDINATOR: Savannah Jackson, (512) 239-4306; REGIONAL OFFICE: P.O. Box 13087, Austin, Texas 78711-3087, (512) 239-2545.

(15) COMPANY: Gardner Glass Products, Incorporated; DOCKET NUMBER: 2022-0634-AIR-E: IDENTIFIER: RN100242973: LOCATION: Huntsville, Walker County; TYPE OF FACILITY: mirror manufacturing facility; RULES VIOLATED: 30 TAC §§116.115(b)(2)(E)(i) and (c), 122.143(4), and 122.144(4), New Source Review (NSR) Permit Number 18495, Special Conditions (SC) Number 8, Federal Operating Permit (FOP) Number O3448, General Terms and Conditions (GTC) and Special Terms and Conditions (STC) Number 5, and Texas Health and Safety Code (THSC), §382.085(b), by failing to maintain records containing the information and data sufficient to demonstrate compliance with the permit; 30 TAC §116.115(c) and §122.143(4), NSR Permit Number 18495, SC Number 6.E, FOP Number O3448, GTC and STC Number 3, and THSC, §382.085(b), by failing to comply with the maximum allowable coatings usage during maintenance, startup, and shutdown activity; 30 TAC §116.116(d)(2) and THSC, §382.0518(a) and §382.085(b), by failing to incorporate all changes authorized under a Permit by Rule into the permit when the permit is amended or renewed; 30 TAC §122.143(4) and §122.145(2)(A) and (C), FOP Number O3448, GTC, and THSC, §382.085(b), by failing to report all instances of deviations and failing to submit the deviation report no later than 30 days after the end of each reporting period; 30 TAC §122.143(4) and §122.145(2)(C), FOP Number O3448, GTC, and THSC, §382.085(b), by failing to submit a deviation report no later than 30 days after the end of each reporting period; and 30 TAC §§122.143(4) and (15), 122.146(2), and 122.165(a)(8), FOP Number O3448, GTC and STC Number 6, and THSC, §382.085(b), by failing to include a signed certification of accuracy and completeness and failing to submit a permit compliance certification within 30 days of any certification period; PENALTY: \$62,950; ENFORCEMENT COORDINATOR: Johnnie Wu, (512) 239-2524; REGIONAL OFFICE: P.O. Box 13087, Austin, Texas 78711-3087, (512) 239-2545.

(16) COMPANY: GREASE MONKEY INTERNATIONAL, LLC dba Grease Monkey; DOCKET NUMBER: 2023-0681-MLM-E; IDENTI-FIER: RN106108921; LOCATION: Center, Shelby County; TYPE OF FACILITY: unauthorized municipal solid waste disposal site; RULES VIOLATED: 30 TAC §324.4(1) and 40 Code of Federal Regulations §279.22(d)(3) and Texas Health and Safety Code (THSC), §371.041, by failing to store used oil in a manner that does not endanger the public health or welfare of the environment; and 30 TAC §334.7(a)(1), by failing to register with the commission on authorized agency forms, all underground storage tanks (USTs) in existence on or after September 1, 1987, by submitting a properly completed UST registration and self-certification form to the agency within 30 days after the date any regulated substance was placed in the UST; PENALTY: \$3,250; EN-FORCEMENT COORDINATOR: Tiffany Chu, (817) 588-5891; RE-GIONAL OFFICE: 2309 Gravel Drive, Fort Worth, Texas 76118-6951, (817) 588-5800.

(17) COMPANY: Harris County Municipal Utility District Number 82; DOCKET NUMBER: 2023-1325-MWD-E; IDENTIFIER: RN102183696; LOCATION: Spring, Harris County; TYPE OF FACILITY: wastewater treatment facility; RULES VIOLATED: 30 TAC 305.125(1), TWC, 26.121(a)(1), and Texas Pollutant Discharge Elimination System Permit Number WQ0011799001, Interim Effluent Limitations and Monitoring Requirements Numbers 1 and 6, by failing to comply with permitted effluent limitations; PENALTY: \$105,000; SUPPLEMENTAL ENVIRONMENTAL PROJECT OFF-SET AMOUNT: \$105,000; ENFORCEMENT COORDINATOR: Taylor Williamson, (512) 239-2097; REGIONAL OFFICE: 5425 Polk Street, Suite H, Houston, Texas 77023-1452, (713) 767-3500.

(18) COMPANY: Hartmut F. Mueller dba Peach Valley RV Park and Storage; DOCKET NUMBER: 2025-0273-PWS-E; IDENTIFIER: RN111512794; LOCATION: Round Mountain, Blanco County; TYPE OF FACILITY: public water supply; RULES VIOLATED: 30 TAC §290.39(e)(1) and (h)(1) and Texas Health and Safety Code, §341.035(a), by failing to submit plans and specifications to the Executive Director for review and approval prior to the construction of a new public water supply; PENALTY: \$500; ENFORCEMENT COORDINATOR: Ilia Perez-Ramirez, (713) 767-3743; REGIONAL OFFICE: 5425 Polk Street, Suite H, Houston, Texas 77023-1452, (713) 767-3500.

(19) COMPANY: HILL COUNTRY ARTS FOUNDATION; DOCKET NUMBER: 2024-1837-PWS-E; **IDENTIFIER:** RN101275485; LOCATION: Ingram, Kerr County; TYPE OF FACILITY: public water supply; RULES VIOLATED: 30 TAC §290.39(j)(1)(A) and Texas Health and Safety Code (THSC), §341.0351, by failing to notify the Executive Director and receive approval prior to making a significant change or addition where the change in the existing system results in an increase or decrease in production, treatment, storage or pressure maintenance; 30 TAC §290.41(c)(3)(K), by failing to seal the wellhead by a gasket or sealing compound and provide a well casing vent for the well that is covered with 16-mesh or finer corrosion-resistant screen, facing downward, elevated and located so as to minimize the drawing of contaminants into the well; 30 TAC §290.43(c)(6), by failing to ensure that clearwells and potable water storage tanks, including associated appurtenances such as valves, pipes, and fittings, are thoroughly tight against leakage; 30 TAC §290.46(m), by failing to initiate maintenance and housekeeping practices to ensure the good working condition and general appearance of the system's facilities and equipment; and 30 TAC §290.46(s)(2)(C)(i), by failing to verify the accuracy of the manual disinfectant residual analyzer at least once every 90 days using chlorine solutions of known concentrations; PENALTY: \$1,400; ENFORCEMENT COORDINATOR: De'Shaune Blake, (210) 403-4033; REGIONAL OFFICE: 14250 Judson Road, San Antonio, Texas 78233-4480, (210) 492-3096.

(20) COMPANY: J Martinez Trucking, Incorporated; DOCKET NUMBER: 2023-1657-WQ-E; IDENTIFIER: RN109546812; LOCATION: Houston, Harris County; TYPE OF FACILITY: sand mining operation; RULES VIOLATED: TWC, §26.121(a)(2), by failing to prevent the unauthorized discharge of pollutants into or adjacent to any water in the state; and 30 TAC §281.25(a)(4) and *Texas Pollutant Discharge Elimination System* General Permit Number TXR05FP82, Part III, Section A.4., by failing to maintain best management practices in an effective operating condition; PENALTY: \$4,140; ENFORCEMENT COORDINATOR: Monica Larina, (361) 881-6965; REGIONAL OFFICE: 500 North Shoreline Boulevard, Suite 500, Corpus Christi, Texas 78401, (361) 881-6900.

(21) COMPANY: JONES-BELL, L.L.C.; DOCKET NUMBER: 2023-0173-AIR-E; IDENTIFIER: RN104385869; LOCATION: Belton, Belt County; TYPE OF FACILITY: plastic products manufacturing plant; RULES VIOLATED: 30 TAC §§122.121, 122.133(2), and 122.241(b) and Texas Health and Safety Code, §382.054 and §382.085(b), by failing to submit a permit renewal application at least six months prior to the expiration of a federal operating permit; PENALTY: \$4,500; ENFORCEMENT COORDINATOR: Desmond Martin, (512) 239-2814; REGIONAL OFFICE: P.O. Box 13087, Austin, Texas 78711-3087, (512) 239-2545.

(22) COMPANY: Kelly Billy; DOCKET NUMBER: 2024-1675-OSS-E; IDENTIFIER: RN110896933; LOCATION: Fate, Rockwall County; TYPE OF FACILITY: on-site sewage facility (OSSF); RULES VIOLATED: 30 TAC §285.33(d)(2)(G) and §285.70(a)(1) and Texas Health and Safety Code (THSC), §366.017(a)(1), by failing to maintain a properly functioning OSSF system; and 30 TAC §285.39(b) and §285.70(a)(1) and THSC, §366.017(b), by failing to maintain a properly functioning OSSF system, causing a public health nuisance; PENALTY: \$1,000; ENFORCEMENT COORDINATOR: Megan Crinklaw, (512) 239-1129; REGIONAL OFFICE: P.O. Box 13087, Austin, Texas 78711-3087, (512) 239-2545.

(23) COMPANY: KSLIDH, LLC; DOCKET NUMBER: 2025-0376-PWS-E; IDENTIFIER: RN101207017; LOCATION: Victoria, Victoria County; TYPE OF FACILITY: public water supply; RULES VI-OLATED: 30 TAC §290.41(c)(3)(K), by failing to seal the wellhead by a gasket or sealing compound and provide a well casing vent that is covered with 16-mesh or finer corrosion-resistant screen, facing downward, elevated and located so as to minimize the drawing of contaminants into the well; 30 TAC §290.42(1), by failing to maintain a thorough and up-to-date plant operations manual for operator review and reference; 30 TAC §290.44(d) and §290.46(r), by failing to provide a minimum pressure of 35 pounds per square inch (psi) throughout the distribution system under normal operating conditions and 20 psi during emergencies such as firefighting; 30 TAC §290.45(b)(1)(C)(ii) and Texas Health and Safety Code (THSC), §341.0315(c), by failing to provide a total storage capacity of 200 gallons per connection; 30 TAC §290.45(b)(1)(C)(iii) and THSC, §341.0315(c), by failing to provide two or more service pumps having a total capacity of 2.0 gallons

per minute per connection; 30 TAC §290.46(f)(2) and (3)(A) (i)(III) (iv), by failing to maintain water works operation and maintenance records and make them readily available for review by the Executive Director upon request; 30 TAC §290.46(m), by failing to initiate maintenance and housekeeping practices to ensure the good working condition and general appearance of the system's facilities and equipment; 30 TAC §290.46(m)(1)(B), by failing to inspect the facility's two pressure tanks annually; 30 TAC §290.46(s)(1), by failing to calibrate the facility's two well meters at least once every three years; 30 TAC §290.46(s)(2)(C)(i), by failing to verify the accuracy of the manual disinfectant residual analyzer at least every 90 days using chlorine solutions of known concentrations; 30 TAC §290.46(t), by failing to post a legible sign at the facility's production, treatment, and storage facilities that contains the name of the facility and an emergency telephone number where a responsible official can be contacted; and 30 TAC §290.121(a) and (b), by failing to maintain an up-to-date chemical and microbiological monitoring plan that identifies all sampling locations, describes the sampling frequency, and specifies the analytical procedures and laboratories that the facility will use to comply with the monitoring requirements, and includes the public water system's Sample Siting Plan as required by 30 TAC §290.109(d)(1) through (6); PENALTY: \$5,474; ENFORCEMENT COORDINATOR: Claudia Bartley, (512) 239-1116; REGIONAL OFFICE: P.O. Box 13087. Austin, Texas 78711-3087, (512) 239-2545.

(24) COMPANY: Lake South Water Supply Corporation; DOCKET NUMBER: 2025-0198-PWS-E; IDENTIFIER: RN103040879; LOCATION: Conroe, Montgomery County; TYPE OF FACILITY: public water supply; RULES VIOLATED: 30 TAC §290.39(o)(3) and §290.45(h)(1), by failing to adopt and submit to the Executive Director a complete Emergency Preparedness Plan that demonstrates the facility's ability to provide emergency operations; PENALTY: \$50; ENFORCEMENT COORDINATOR: Mason DeMasi, (210) 657-8425; REGIONAL OFFICE: 14250 Judson Road, San Antonio, Texas 78233-4480, (210) 492-3096.

(25) COMPANY: Loyalty Property Group, LLC; DOCKET NUMBER: 2024-0812-AIR-E; IDENTIFIER: RN111744736; LOCATION: Mansfield, Tarrant County; TYPE OF FACILITY: construction site; RULES VIOLATED: 30 TAC §101.4 and Texas Health and Safety Code, §382.085(a) and (b), by failing to prevent nuisance dust conditions; PENALTY: \$4,500; ENFORCEMENT COORDINATOR: Rajesh Acharya, (512) 239-0577; REGIONAL OFFICE: P.O. Box 13087, Austin, Texas 78711-3087, (512) 239-2545.

(26) COMPANY: MARTINEZ, GABRIEL L; DOCKET NUMBER: 2025-0843-WOC-E; IDENTIFIER: RN105656607; LOCATION: Devine, Medina County; TYPE OF FACILITY: operator; RULE VIOLATED: 30 TAC §30.5(a), by failing to obtain a required occupational license; PENALTY: \$175; ENFORCEMENT COORDINATOR: Corinna Willis, (512) 239-2504; REGIONAL OFFICE: P.O. Box 13087, Austin, Texas 78711-3087, (512) 239-2545.

(27) COMPANY: Mitch Calvert; DOCKET NUMBER: 2025-0377-MSW-E; IDENTIFIER: RN110942802; LOCATION: Christoval, Tom Green County; TYPE OF FACILITY: salvage yard; RULES VIOLATED: 30 TAC §324.6 and 40 Code of Federal Regulations §279.22(c)(1), by failing to label or clearly mark containers used to store used oil with the words "Used Oil"; and 30 TAC §330.15(a) and (c), by failing to not cause, suffer, allow, or permit the unauthorized disposal of municipal solid waste; PENALTY: \$18,225; ENFORCEMENT COORDINATOR: Adriana Fuentes, (956) 430-6057; REGIONAL OFFICE: 1804 West Jefferson Avenue, Harlingen, Texas 78550-5247, (956) 425-6010.

(28) COMPANY: MM MARBLE FALLS 1070 LLC; DOCKET NUMBER: 2025-0852-WQ-E; IDENTIFIER: RN112183561; LOCA-

- TION: Marble Falls, Burnet County; TYPE OF FACILITY: operator; RULE VIOLATED: 30 TAC §281.25(a)(4), by failing to obtain authorization to discharge stormwater associated with construction activities; PENALTY: \$875; ENFORCEMENT COORDINATOR: Jasmine Jimerson, (512) 239-2552; REGIONAL OFFICE: P.O. Box 13087, Austin, Texas 78711-3087, (512) 239-2545.
- (29) COMPANY: MTX CUSTOM HOMES LLC; DOCKET NUMBER: 2025-0443-WQ-E; IDENTIFIER: RN111533188; LOCATION: Weatherford, Parker County; TYPE OF FACILITY: construction site; RULES VIOLATED: 30 TAC §281.25(a)(4) and Texas Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (TPDES) General Permit Number TXR1584JT, Part III, Section D.1, by failing to maintain a Stormwater Pollution Prevention Plan on site; 30 TAC §281.25(a)(4), and TPDES General Permit Number TXR1584JT, Part III, Section D.2.(a), by failing to post a TCEQ site notice near the main entrance of the construction site; and 30 TAC §281.25(a)(4), and TPDES General Permit Number TXR1584JT, Part IV, Section A.3, by failing to install stormwater sediment and/or erosion controls; PENALTY: \$8,896; ENFORCEMENT COORDINATOR: Monica Larina, (361) 881-6965; REGIONAL OFFICE: 500 North Shoreline Boulevard, Suite 500, Corpus Christi, Texas 78401, (361) 881-6900.
- (30) COMPANY: NST Enterprises Incorporated dba On the Road DOCKET NUMBER: 2023-1249-PST-E; IDENTIFIER: RN101881936; LOCATION: Lufkin, Lufkin County; TYPE OF FACILITY: convenience store with retail sales of gasoline; RULES VIOLATED: 30 TAC §334.48(g)(1)(A)(ii) and (B) and TWC, §26.3475(c)(2), by failing to test the spill prevention equipment and containment sumps used for interstitial monitoring of piping at least once every three years to ensure the equipment is liquid tight and failing to inspect the overfill prevention equipment at least once every three years to ensure that the equipment is set to activate at the correct level and will activate when a regulated substance reaches that level; and 30 TAC §334.602(a), by failing to designate, train, and certify at least one named individual for each class of operator Class A, Class B, and Class C for the facility; PENALTY: \$1,800; ENFORCEMENT COORDINATOR: Ramyia Wendt, (512) 239-2513; REGIONAL OFFICE: P.O. Box 13087, Austin, Texas 78711-3087, (512) 239-2545.
- (31) COMPANY: OAKHOLLOW MH PARK, LLC; DOCKET NUMBER: 2025-0305-PWS-E; IDENTIFIER: RN101453843; LOCATION: Pearland, Brazoria County; TYPE OF FACILITY: public water supply; RULES VIOLATED: 30 TAC §290.39(o)(3) and §290.45(h)(1), by failing to adopt and submit to the Executive Director a complete Emergency Preparedness Plan that demonstrates the facility's ability to provide emergency operations; PENALTY: \$50; ENFORCEMENT COORDINATOR: Katherine Argueta, (512) 239-4131; REGIONAL OFFICE: 5425 Polk Street, Suite H, Houston, Texas 77023-1452, (713) 767-3500.
- (32) COMPANY: Occidental Permian Ltd.; DOCKET NUMBER: 2022-1125-AIR-E; IDENTIFIER: RN100212786; LOCATION: Sundown, Hockley County; TYPE OF FACILITY: oil and natural gas separation and storage facility; RULES VIOLATED: 30 TAC §116.115(b)(2)(F) and (c) and §122.143(4), New Source Review Permit Number 18406, Special Conditions Number 1, Federal Operating Permit Number O2883, General Terms and Conditions and Special Terms and Conditions Number 8, and Texas Health and Safety Code, §382.085(b), by failing to comply with the maximum allowable emissions rate; PENALTY: \$83,250; SUPPLEMENTAL ENVIRONMENTAL PROJECT OFFSET AMOUNT: \$33,300; ENFORCEMENT COORDINATOR: Yuliya Dunaway, (210) 403-4077; REGIONAL OFFICE: 14250 Judson Road, San Antonio, Texas 78233-4480, (210) 492-3096.

- (33) COMPANY: PATTERSON WATER SUPPLY, LLC; DOCKET NUMBER: 2025-0545-MLM-E: IDENTIFIER: RN102681897: LO-CATION: Perrin, Jack County; TYPE OF FACILITY: public water supply; RULES VIOLATED: 30 TAC §290.41(c)(3)(C), by failing to seal the space between the casing and drill hole by using enough cement under pressure to completely fill and seal the annular space between the well casing and the drill hole; 30 TAC §290.44(h)(1)(A), by failing to ensure additional protection was provided at all residences or establishments where an actual or potential contamination hazard exists in the form of an air gap or a backflow prevention assembly, as identified in 30 TAC §290.47(f); 30 TAC §290.45(b)(1)(C)(i) and Texas Health and Safety Code (THSC), §341.0315(c), by failing to provide a well capacity of 0.6 gallons per minute (gpm) per connection; 30 TAC §290.45(b)(1)(C)(iii) and THSC, §341.0315(c), by failing to provide two or more service pumps having a total capacity of 2.0 gpm per connection; 30 TAC §290.46(d)(2)(A) and §290.110(b)(4) and THSC, §341.0315(c), by failing to maintain a disinfectant residual of at least 0.2 milligrams per liter of free chlorine throughout the distribution system at all times; 30 TAC §290.46(n)(1), by failing to maintain at the public water system accurate and up-to-date detailed as-built plans or record drawings and specifications for each treatment plant, pump station, and storage tank until the facility is decommissioned; 30 TAC §290.46(n)(2), by failing to make available an accurate and up-to-date map of the distribution system so that valves and mains can be easily located during emergencies; and 30 TAC §291.93(3)(A) and TWC, §13.139(d), by failing to provide a written planning report for a utility possessing a Certificate of Convenience and Necessity that has reached or exceeded 85% of all or part of its capacity; PENALTY: \$5,663; EN-FORCEMENT COORDINATOR: Wyatt Throm, (512) 239-1120; RE-GIONAL OFFICE: P.O. Box 13087, Austin, Texas 78711-3087, (512) 239-2545.
- (34) COMPANY: Pecos County; DOCKET NUMBER: 2025-0171-PWS-E; IDENTIFIER: RN101255933; LOCATION: Fort Stockton, Pecos County; TYPE OF FACILITY: public water supply; RULES VI-OLATED: 30 TAC §290.108(f)(1) and Texas Health and Safety Code, §341.0315(c), by failing to comply with the maximum contaminant level of 15 picoCuries per liter for gross alpha particle activity based on the running annual average; PENALTY: \$1,312; ENFORCEMENT COORDINATOR: Savannah Jackson, (512) 239-4306; REGIONAL OFFICE: P.O. Box 13087, Austin, Texas 78711-3087, (512) 239-2545.
- (35) COMPANY: Rio Brazos Water Supply Corporation; DOCKET NUMBER: 2025-0387-PWS-E; IDENTIFIER: RN101457604; LOCATION: Weatherford, Parker County; TYPE OF FACILITY: public water supply; RULES VIOLATED: 30 TAC §290.45(b)(1)(C)(iv) and Texas Health and Safety Code, §341.0315(c), by failing to provide a pressure tank capacity of 20 gallons per connection; and 30 TAC §290.46(s)(1), by failing to calibrate the facility's well meters at least once every three years; PENALTY: \$595; ENFORCEMENT COORDINATOR: Rachel Frey, (512) 239-4330; REGIONAL OFFICE: P.O. Box 13087, Austin, Texas 78711-3087, (512) 239-2545.
- (36) COMPANY: Turnkey Wealth Builder, LLC; DOCKET NUMBER: 2025-0249-PWS-E; IDENTIFIER: RN102316080; LOCATION: Amarillo, Randall County; TYPE OF FACILITY: public water supply; RULES VIOLATED: 30 TAC §290.42(1), by failing to compile and maintain a thorough and up-to-date plant operations manual for operator review and reference; and 30 TAC §290.121(a) and (b), by failing to develop and maintain an up-to-date chemical and microbiological monitoring plan that identifies all sampling locations, describes the sampling frequency, and specifies the analytical procedures and laboratories that the facility will use to comply with the monitoring requirements, and includes the public water system's Sample Siting Plan as required by 30 TAC §290.109(d)(1) through (6); PENALTY: \$1,050; ENFORCEMENT COORDINATOR: Taner

Hengst, (512) 239-1143; REGIONAL OFFICE: P.O. Box 13087, Austin, Texas 78711-3087, (512) 239-2545.

(37) COMPANY: Undine Texas, LLC; DOCKET NUMBER: 2025-0265-PWS-E; IDENTIFIER: RN102679842; LOCATION: Crowley, Johnson County; TYPE OF FACILITY: public water supply; RULES VIOLATED: 30 TAC §290.45(b)(1)(C)(i) and Texas Health and Safety Code, §341.0315(c), by failing to provide a well capacity of 0.6 gallons per minute per connection; PENALTY: \$937; ENFORCEMENT COORDINATOR: Mason DeMasi, (210) 657-8425; REGIONAL OFFICE: 14250 Judson Road, San Antonio, Texas 78233-4480, (210) 492-3096.

(38) COMPANY: Vidor Mhp Number 1, LLC; DOCKET NUMBER: 2025-0300-PWS-E; IDENTIFIER: RN101225514; LOCATION: Vidor, Orange County; TYPE OF FACILITY: public water supply; RULES VIOLATED: 30 TAC \$290.39(0)(3) and \$290.45(h)(1), by failing to adopt and submit to the Executive Director a complete Emergency Preparedness Plan that demonstrates the facility's ability to provide emergency operations; PENALTY: \$63; ENFORCEMENT COORDINATOR: Rachel Frey, (512) 239-4330; REGIONAL OFFICE: P.O. Box 13087, Austin, Texas 78711-3087, (512) 239-2545.

(39) COMPANY: Wilson County; DOCKET NUMBER: 2024-0011-MLM-E; IDENTIFIER: RN102740107; LOCATION: Floresville, Wilson County; TYPE OF FACILITY: transfer station; RULES VIOLATED: 30 TAC §111.201 and Texas Health and Safety Code, §382.085(b), by failing to not cause, suffer, allow, or permit outdoor burning within the State of Texas; 30 TAC §330.15(a) and (c), by failing to not cause, suffer, allow, or permit the unauthorized disposal of municipal solid waste (MSW); 30 TAC §335.261(a) and 40 Code of Federal Regulations §273.13(a), by failing to properly store spent lead-acid batteries in a structurally sound container to prevent releases; and 30 TAC §330.954(e)(2), by failing to obtain authorization prior to penetrating the final cover over a closed MSW landfill; PENALTY: \$15,751; ENFORCEMENT COORDINATOR: Adriana Fuentes, (956) 430-6057; REGIONAL OFFICE: 1804 West Jefferson Avenue, Harlingen, Texas 78550-5247, (956) 425-6010.

(40) COMPANY: WIN-SAM, INCORPORATED; DOCKET NUMBER: 2024-1926-PST-E; IDENTIFIER: RN105683940; LOCATION: San Antonio, Bexar County; TYPE OF FACILITY: emergency generator; RULES VIOLATED: 30 TAC §334.8(c)(4)(A)(vii) and (5)(B)(ii), by failing to renew a previously issued underground storage tank (UST) delivery certificate by submitting a properly completed UST registration and self-certification form at least 30 days before the expiration date; PENALTY: \$2,000; ENFORCEMENT COORDINATOR: Ramyia Wendt, (512) 239-2513; REGIONAL OFFICE: P.O. Box 13087, Austin, Texas 78711-3087, (512) 239-2545.

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Texas Commission on Environmental Quality

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Combined Notice of Public Meeting and Notice of Application and Preliminary Decision for Land Application Permit for Industrial Wastewater New Permit No. WQ0005485000

**APPLICATION AND PRELIMINARY DECISION.** Ellis AD 1, LLC; Creek Land and Cattle LLC; Alliance Land & Cattle, LLC, 133 Boston Post Road, Weston, Massachusetts 02493, which proposes to operate Ellis AD 1, a biogas production facility utilizing anaerobic digestion to produce renewable natural gas and other agricultural

by-product such as liquid fertilizer, has applied to the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality (TCEQ) for new TCEQ Permit No. WQ0005485000 to authorize the disposal of process wastewater at an application rate not to exceed 0.022 acre-feet per acre irrigated per year via irrigation on 4,553.84 acres of corn, Bermuda grass, and Sorghum Sudan hay. This permit will not authorize a discharge of pollutants into water in the state. The TCEQ received this application on February 10, 2025.

The facility will be located approximately 1,200 feet west of the intersection of Armstrong Road and Austonia Road in Ellis County, Texas 75119 and the disposal areas will be located across multiple tracts within an 11-mile distance from the treatment facility in a northwest, west, and southwest direction in Ellis and Navarro Counties, Texas 75119. The facility and land application site are located in the drainage area of Chambers Creek Above Richland-Chambers Reservoir in Segment No. 0814 of the Trinity River Basin. This link to an electronic map of the site or facility's general location is provided as a public courtesy and is not part of the application or notice. For the exact location, refer to the application.

https://gisweb.tceq.texas.gov/LocationMapper/?marker=96.72447,32.199236&level=18

The TCEQ Executive Director has completed the technical review of the application and prepared a draft permit. The draft permit, if approved, would establish the conditions under which the facility must operate. The Executive Director has made a preliminary decision that this permit, if issued, meets all statutory and regulatory requirements. The permit application, Executive Director's preliminary decision, and draft permit are available for viewing and copying at the Nicholas P. Sims Library, 515 West Main Street, Waxahachie, in Ellis County, Texas and at the Corsicana Public Library, 100 North 12th Street, Corsicana, in Navarro County, Texas. The application, including any updates, and associated notices are available electronically at the following webpage: https://www.tceq.texas.gov/permitting/wastewater/pending-permits/tlap-applications.

ALTERNATIVE LANGUAGE NOTICE. Alternative language notice in Spanish is available at https://www.tceq.texas.gov/permitting/wastewater/pending-permits/tlap-applications. El aviso de idioma alternativo en español está disponible en https://www.tceq.texas.gov/permitting/wastewater/pending-permits/tlap-applications.

PUBLIC COMMENT / PUBLIC MEETING. You may submit public comments about this application. The TCEQ will hold a public meeting on this application because it was requested by a local legislator. The purpose of a public meeting is to provide the opportunity to submit comments or to ask questions about the application. A public meeting will be held and will consist of two parts, an Informal Discussion Period and a Formal Comment Period. A public meeting is not a contested case hearing under the Administrative Procedure Act. During the Informal Discussion Period, the public will be encouraged to ask questions of the applicant and TCEQ staff concerning the permit application. The comments and questions submitted orally during the Informal Discussion Period will not be considered before a decision is reached on the permit application and no formal response will be made. Responses will be provided orally during the Informal Discussion Period. During the Formal Comment Period on the permit application, members of the public may state their formal comments orally into the official record. A written response to all timely, relevant and material, or significant comments will be prepared by the Executive Director. All formal comments will be considered before a decision is reached on the permit application. A copy of the written response will be sent to each person who submits a formal comment or who requested to be on the mailing list for this

permit application and provides a mailing address. Only relevant and material issues raised during the Formal Comment Period can be considered if a contested case hearing is granted on this permit application.

The Public Meeting is to be held:

Thursday, September 18, 2025 at 7:00 p.m.

**Ellis County Event Center** 

1200 Kingdom Circle

Waxahachie, Texas 75167

Persons with disabilities who need special accommodations at the meeting should call the Office of the Chief Clerk at (512) 239-3300 or (800) RELAY-TX (TDD) at least five business days prior to the meeting.

OPPORTUNITY FOR A CONTESTED CASE HEARING. After the deadline for submitting public comments, the Executive Director will consider the comments and prepare a response to all relevant and material, or significant public comments. Unless the application is directly referred for a contested case hearing, the response to comments will be mailed to everyone who submitted public comments and to those persons who are on the mailing list for this application. If comments are received, the mailing will also provide instructions for requesting a contested case hearing or reconsideration of the Executive Director's decision. A contested case hearing is a legal proceeding similar to a civil trial in a state district court.

TO REQUEST A CONTESTED CASE HEARING, YOU MUST INCLUDE THE FOLLOWING ITEMS IN YOUR REQUEST: your name, address, phone number; applicant's name and proposed permit number; the location and distance of your property/activities relative to the proposed facility; a specific description of how you would be adversely affected by the facility in a way not common to the general public; a list of all disputed issues of fact that you submit during the comment period; and the statement "[I/we] request a contested case hearing." If the request for contested case hearing is filed on behalf of a group or association, the request must designate the group's representative for receiving future correspondence; identify by name and physical address an individual member of the group who would be adversely affected by the proposed facility or activity; provide the information discussed above regarding the affected member's location and distance from the facility or activity; explain how and why the member would be affected; and explain how the interests the group seeks to protect are relevant to the group's purpose.

Following the close of all applicable comment and request periods, the Executive Director will forward the application and any requests for reconsideration or for a contested case hearing to the TCEQ Commissioners for their consideration at a scheduled Commission meeting. The Commission may only grant a request for a contested case hearing on issues the requestor submitted in their timely comments that were not subsequently withdrawn. If a hearing is granted, the subject of a hearing will be limited to disputed issues of fact or mixed questions of fact and law relating to relevant and material water quality concerns submitted during the comment period.

**EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR ACTION.** The Executive Director may issue final approval of the application unless a timely contested case hearing request or request for reconsideration is filed. If a timely hearing request or request for reconsideration is filed, the Executive Director will not issue final approval of the permit and will forward the application and request to the TCEQ Commissioners for their consideration at a scheduled Commission meeting.

MAILING LIST. If you submit public comments, a request for a contested case hearing or a reconsideration of the Executive Director's decision, you will be added to the mailing list for this specific application to receive future public notices mailed by the Office of the Chief Clerk. In addition, you may request to be placed on: (1) the permanent mailing list for a specific applicant name and permit number; and (2) the mailing list for a specific county. If you wish to be placed on the permanent or the county mailing list, clearly specify which list(s) and send your request to TCEQ Office of the Chief Clerk at the address below.

All written public comments and public meeting requests must be submitted to the Office of the Chief Clerk, MC 105, TCEQ, P.O. Box 13087, Austin, Texas 78711-3087 or electronically at https://www.tceq.texas.gov/goto/comment/ within 30 days from the date of newspaper publication of this notice, or by the date of the public meeting, whichever is later.

**INFORMATION AVAILABLE ONLINE.** For details about the status of the application, visit the Commissioners' Integrated Database at https://www.tceq.texas.gov/goto/cid/. Search the database using the permit number for this application, which is provided at the top of this notice.

AGENCY CONTACTS AND INFORMATION. Public comments and requests must be submitted either electronically at https://www.tceq.texas.gov/goto/comment/, or in writing to the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality, Office of the Chief Clerk, MC-105, P.O. Box 13087, Austin, Texas 78711-3087. Please be aware that any contact information you provide, including your name, phone number, email address, and physical address will become part of the agency's public record. For more information about this permit application or the permitting process, please call the TCEQ Public Education Program, Toll Free, at (800) 687-4040 or visit their website at https://www.tceq.texas.gov/agency/decisions/participation/permitting-participation. Si desea información en español, puede llamar al (800) 687-4040.

Further information may also be obtained from Ellis AD 1, LLC; Creek Land and Cattle LLC; Alliance Land & Cattle, LLC at the address stated above or by calling Mr. William Coffrin, Development Manager, Ellis AD 1, LLC, at (781) 232-7597.

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#### **Enforcement Orders**

An agreed order was adopted regarding Express Cup, LLC dba Tommy's 15, Docket No. 2020-1148-PST-E on August 5, 2025 assessing \$2,576 in administrative penalties. Information concerning any aspect of this order may be obtained by contacting David Keagle, Staff Attorney at (512) 239-3400, Texas Commission on Environmental Quality, P.O. Box 13087, Austin, Texas 78711-3087.

An agreed order was adopted regarding Fuller Excavation & Sitework, LLC, Docket No. 2021-1346-EAQ-E on August 5, 2025 assessing \$7,500 in administrative penalties with \$1,500 deferred. Information concerning any aspect of this order may be obtained by contacting Mark Gamble, Enforcement Coordinator at (512) 239-2545, Texas Commission on Environmental Quality, P.O. Box 13087, Austin, Texas 78711-3087.

An agreed order was adopted regarding EXPRESS DRILLING FLU-IDS, LLC, Docket No. 2022-1232-MSW-E on August 5, 2025 assessing \$6,549 in administrative penalties with \$1,309 deferred. Information concerning any aspect of this order may be obtained by contacting Celicia Garza, Enforcement Coordinator at (512) 239-2545, Texas Commission on Environmental Quality, P.O. Box 13087, Austin, Texas 78711-3087.

An agreed order was adopted regarding Baze Chemical, Inc., Docket No. 2023-0140-AIR-E on August 5, 2025 assessing \$4,087 in administrative penalties with \$817 deferred. Information concerning any aspect of this order may be obtained by contacting Desmond Martin, Enforcement Coordinator at (512) 239-2545, Texas Commission on Environmental Quality, P.O. Box 13087, Austin, Texas 78711-3087.

An agreed order was adopted regarding City of Adrian, Docket No. 2023-0250-PWS-E on August 5, 2025 assessing \$2,700 in administrative penalties with \$540 deferred. Information concerning any aspect of this order may be obtained by contacting Corinna Willis, Enforcement Coordinator at (512) 239-2545, Texas Commission on Environmental Quality, P.O. Box 13087, Austin, Texas 78711-3087.

An agreed order was adopted regarding TERRA SOUTHWEST, INC., Docket No. 2023-0472-UTL-E on August 5, 2025 assessing \$500 in administrative penalties. Information concerning any aspect of this order may be obtained by contacting Misty James, Staff Attorney at (512) 239-3400, Texas Commission on Environmental Quality, P.O. Box 13087, Austin, Texas 78711-3087.

An agreed order was adopted regarding TERRA SOUTHWEST, INC., Docket No. 2023-0473-UTL-E on August 5, 2025 assessing \$725 in administrative penalties. Information concerning any aspect of this order may be obtained by contacting Misty James, Staff Attorney at (512) 239-3400, Texas Commission on Environmental Quality, P.O. Box 13087, Austin, Texas 78711-3087.

An agreed order was adopted regarding TABORCA PROPERTIES, LLC, Docket No. 2023-0541-PWS-E on August 5, 2025 assessing \$1,955 in administrative penalties with \$391 deferred. Information concerning any aspect of this order may be obtained by contacting Ronica Rodriguez, Enforcement Coordinator at (512) 239-2545, Texas Commission on Environmental Quality, P.O. Box 13087, Austin, Texas 78711-3087.

An agreed order was adopted regarding City of Cuney, Docket No. 2023-0548-PWS-E on August 5, 2025 assessing \$1,635 in administrative penalties with \$327 deferred. Information concerning any aspect of this order may be obtained by contacting Daphne Greene, Enforcement Coordinator at (512) 239-2545, Texas Commission on Environmental Quality, P.O. Box 13087, Austin, Texas 78711-3087.

An agreed order was adopted regarding City of Eagle Pass Water Works System, Docket No. 2023-0764-PWS-E on August 5, 2025 assessing \$6,550 in administrative penalties with \$1,310 deferred. Information concerning any aspect of this order may be obtained by contacting Mason DeMasi, Enforcement Coordinator at (512) 239-2545, Texas Commission on Environmental Quality, P.O. Box 13087, Austin, Texas 78711-3087.

An agreed order was adopted regarding Esther Hernandez, Docket No. 2023-0773-PST-E on August 5, 2025 assessing \$3,597 in administrative penalties with \$719 deferred. Information concerning any aspect of this order may be obtained by contacting Lauren Little, Enforcement Coordinator at (512) 239-2545, Texas Commission on Environmental Quality, P.O. Box 13087, Austin, Texas 78711-3087.

An agreed order was adopted regarding Nancy Nelson dba EZ Mart 4383, Docket No. 2023-0882-PWS-E on August 5, 2025 assessing \$1,000 in administrative penalties with \$200 deferred. Information

concerning any aspect of this order may be obtained by contacting Wyatt Throm, Enforcement Coordinator at (512) 239-2545, Texas Commission on Environmental Quality, P.O. Box 13087, Austin, Texas 78711-3087.

An agreed order was adopted regarding Arkema Inc., Docket No. 2023-0961-AIR-E on August 5, 2025 assessing \$3,750 in administrative penalties with \$750 deferred. Information concerning any aspect of this order may be obtained by contacting Mackenzie Mehlmann, Enforcement Coordinator at (512) 239-2545, Texas Commission on Environmental Quality, P.O. Box 13087, Austin, Texas 78711-3087.

An agreed order was adopted regarding Carrington Associates, Inc., Docket No. 2023-1017-PWS-E on August 5, 2025 assessing \$6,038 in administrative penalties with \$1,207 deferred. Information concerning any aspect of this order may be obtained by contacting Mason DeMasi, Enforcement Coordinator at (512) 239-2545, Texas Commission on Environmental Quality, P.O. Box 13087, Austin, Texas 78711-3087.

An agreed order was adopted regarding BLEDSOE WATER SUPPLY CORPORATION, Docket No. 2023-1201-PWS-E on August 5, 2025 assessing \$4,920 in administrative penalties with \$984 deferred. Information concerning any aspect of this order may be obtained by contacting Ilia Perez-Ramirez, Enforcement Coordinator at (512) 239-2545, Texas Commission on Environmental Quality, P.O. Box 13087, Austin, Texas 78711-3087.

An agreed order was adopted regarding City of La Coste, Docket No. 2024-0105-MWD-E on August 5, 2025 assessing \$7,875 in administrative penalties with \$1,575 deferred. Information concerning any aspect of this order may be obtained by contacting Samantha Smith, Enforcement Coordinator at (512) 239-2545, Texas Commission on Environmental Quality, P.O. Box 13087, Austin, Texas 78711-3087.

An agreed order was adopted regarding Countryside Acres Homeowners Association, Inc., Docket No. 2024-0155-PWS-E on August 5, 2025 assessing \$7,050 in administrative penalties with \$1,410 deferred. Information concerning any aspect of this order may be obtained by contacting Daphne Greene, Enforcement Coordinator at (512) 239-2545, Texas Commission on Environmental Quality, P.O. Box 13087, Austin, Texas 78711-3087.

An agreed order was adopted regarding Union Processing Systems, LLC, Docket No. 2024-0239-WDW-E on August 5, 2025 assessing \$9,450 in administrative penalties with \$1,890 deferred. Information concerning any aspect of this order may be obtained by contacting Eresha DeSilva, Enforcement Coordinator at (512) 239-2545, Texas Commission on Environmental Quality, P.O. Box 13087, Austin, Texas 78711-3087.

An agreed order was adopted regarding Mario Puente and Deborah Ann Cervantes, Docket No. 2024-0910-MLM-E on August 5, 2025 assessing \$7,530 in administrative penalties with \$1,506 deferred. Information concerning any aspect of this order may be obtained by contacting Tiffany Chu, Enforcement Coordinator at (512) 239-2545, Texas Commission on Environmental Quality, P.O. Box 13087, Austin, Texas 78711-3087.

An agreed order was adopted regarding Trinity Operating (USG), LLC, Docket No. 2024-1126-AIR-E on August 5, 2025 assessing \$3,538 in administrative penalties with \$707 deferred. Information concerning any aspect of this order may be obtained by contacting Rajesh Acharya, Enforcement Coordinator at (512) 239-2545, Texas Commission on Environmental Quality, P.O. Box 13087, Austin, Texas 78711-3087.

An agreed order was adopted regarding Jack Neely dba Heights Water, Docket No. 2024-1263-PWS-E on August 5, 2025 assessing \$2,710 in administrative penalties with \$542 deferred. Information concerning any aspect of this order may be obtained by contacting Emerson

Rinewalt, Enforcement Coordinator at (512) 239-2545, Texas Commission on Environmental Quality, P.O. Box 13087, Austin, Texas 78711-3087.

An agreed order was adopted regarding ROUGH CANYON CONDOS OWNERS ASSOCIATION, Docket No. 2024-1328-PWS-E on August 5, 2025 assessing \$2,735 in administrative penalties with \$547 deferred. Information concerning any aspect of this order may be obtained by contacting Ilia Perez-Ramirez, Enforcement Coordinator at (512) 239-2545, Texas Commission on Environmental Quality, P.O. Box 13087, Austin, Texas 78711-3087.

An agreed order was adopted regarding Comanche County Water Supply Corporation, Docket No. 2024-1340-PWS-E on August 5, 2025 assessing \$2,221 in administrative penalties with \$444 deferred. Information concerning any aspect of this order may be obtained by contacting Kaisie Hubschmitt, Enforcement Coordinator at (512) 239-2545, Texas Commission on Environmental Quality, P.O. Box 13087, Austin, Texas 78711-3087.

An agreed order was adopted regarding Noble Energy, Inc., Docket No. 2024-1354-AIR-E on August 5, 2025 assessing \$3,001 in administrative penalties with \$600 deferred. Information concerning any aspect of this order may be obtained by contacting Morgan Kopcho, Enforcement Coordinator at (512) 239-2545, Texas Commission on Environmental Quality, P.O. Box 13087, Austin, Texas 78711-3087.

An agreed order was adopted regarding LONGHORN MOBILE HOME COMMUNITY, LTD, Docket No. 2024-1586-PWS-E on August 5, 2025 assessing \$1,900 in administrative penalties with \$380 deferred. Information concerning any aspect of this order may be obtained by contacting Taner Hengst, Enforcement Coordinator at (512) 239-2545, Texas Commission on Environmental Quality, P.O. Box 13087, Austin, Texas 78711-3087.

An agreed order was adopted regarding Aqua Texas, Inc., Docket No. 2024-1591-MLM-E on August 5, 2025 assessing \$1,215 in administrative penalties with \$243 deferred. Information concerning any aspect of this order may be obtained by contacting Kaisie Hubschmitt, Enforcement Coordinator at (512) 239-2545, Texas Commission on Environmental Quality, P.O. Box 13087, Austin, Texas 78711-3087.

An agreed order was adopted regarding SAIA Motor Freight Line, LLC, Docket No. 2024-1712-PST-E on August 5, 2025 assessing \$5,668 in administrative penalties with \$1,133 deferred. Information concerning any aspect of this order may be obtained by contacting Faye Renfro, Enforcement Coordinator at (512) 239-2545, Texas Commission on Environmental Quality, P.O. Box 13087, Austin, Texas 78711-3087.

A field citation was adopted regarding A. L. Helmcamp, Inc., Docket No. 2024-1748-WR-E on August 5, 2025 assessing \$350 in administrative penalties. Information concerning any aspect of this citation may be obtained by contacting Mark Gamble, Enforcement Coordinator at (512) 239-2545, Texas Commission on Environmental Quality, P.O. Box 13087, Austin, Texas 78711-3087.

An agreed order was adopted regarding Applewhite Cattle Co LLC, Docket No. 2024-1756-WQ-E on August 5, 2025 assessing \$6,875 in administrative penalties with \$1,375 deferred. Information concerning any aspect of this order may be obtained by contacting Monica Larina, Enforcement Coordinator at (512) 239-2545, Texas Commission on Environmental Quality, P.O. Box 13087, Austin, Texas 78711-3087.

An agreed order was adopted regarding City of Mingus, Docket No. 2024-1758-PWS-E on August 5, 2025 assessing \$273 in administrative penalties with \$54 deferred. Information concerning any aspect of this order may be obtained by contacting Tessa Bond, Enforcement

Coordinator at (512) 239-2545, Texas Commission on Environmental Quality, P.O. Box 13087, Austin, Texas 78711-3087.

An agreed order was adopted regarding Aqua Texas, Inc., Docket No. 2024-1768-PWS-E on August 5, 2025 assessing \$1,800 in administrative penalties with \$360 deferred. Information concerning any aspect of this order may be obtained by contacting Ronica Rodriguez Scott, Enforcement Coordinator at (512) 239-2545, Texas Commission on Environmental Quality, P.O. Box 13087, Austin, Texas 78711-3087.

An agreed order was adopted regarding Texas Department of Transportation, Docket No. 2024-1782-MWD-E on August 5, 2025 assessing \$12,375 in administrative penalties with \$2,475 deferred. Information concerning any aspect of this order may be obtained by contacting Samantha Smith, Enforcement Coordinator at (512) 239-2545, Texas Commission on Environmental Quality, P.O. Box 13087, Austin, Texas 78711-3087.

An agreed order was adopted regarding LowCul Holdings, LLC dba Mint Dry Clean City, Docket No. 2024-1886-DCL-E on August 5, 2025 assessing \$3,871 in administrative penalties with \$774 deferred. Information concerning any aspect of this order may be obtained by contacting Karolyn Kent, Enforcement Coordinator at (512) 239-2545, Texas Commission on Environmental Quality, P.O. Box 13087, Austin, Texas 78711-3087.

An agreed order was adopted regarding NORTH TEXAS CONTRACTING, INC., Docket No. 2025-0050-MSW-E on August 5, 2025 assessing \$2,438 in administrative penalties with \$487 deferred. Information concerning any aspect of this order may be obtained by contacting Leah Johns, Enforcement Coordinator at (512) 239-2545, Texas Commission on Environmental Quality, P.O. Box 13087, Austin, Texas 78711-3087.

A field citation was adopted regarding API Industries, Inc., Docket No. 2025-0054-WQ-E on August 5, 2025 assessing \$875 in administrative penalties. Information concerning any aspect of this citation may be obtained by contacting Mark Gamble, Enforcement Coordinator at (512) 239-2545, Texas Commission on Environmental Quality, P.O. Box 13087, Austin, Texas 78711-3087.

A field citation was adopted regarding Gold Creek Homes & Development, Docket No. 2025-0067-WQ-E on August 5, 2025 assessing \$875 in administrative penalties. Information concerning any aspect of this citation may be obtained by contacting Mark Gamble, Enforcement Coordinator at (512) 239-2545, Texas Commission on Environmental Ouality, P.O. Box 13087, Austin, Texas 78711-3087.

An agreed order was adopted regarding Maverick County, Docket No. 2025-0172-PWS-E on August 5, 2025 assessing \$56 in administrative penalties with \$11 deferred. Information concerning any aspect of this order may be obtained by contacting Mason DeMasi, Enforcement Coordinator at (512) 239-2545, Texas Commission on Environmental Quality, P.O. Box 13087, Austin, Texas 78711-3087.

An agreed order was adopted regarding OLD OAKS RV RESORT, LLC, Docket No. 2025-0173-PWS-E on August 5, 2025 assessing \$450 in administrative penalties with \$90 deferred. Information concerning any aspect of this order may be obtained by contacting Mason DeMasi, Enforcement Coordinator at (512) 239-2545, Texas Commission on Environmental Quality, P.O. Box 13087, Austin, Texas 78711-3087.

An agreed order was adopted regarding Avalon Point Water Services, LLC, Docket No. 2025-0202-PWS-E on August 5, 2025 assessing \$3,125 in administrative penalties with \$625 deferred. Information concerning any aspect of this order may be obtained by contacting Emerson Rinewalt, Enforcement Coordinator at (512) 239-2545, Texas

Commission on Environmental Quality, P.O. Box 13087, Austin, Texas 78711-3087.

An agreed order was adopted regarding H&H Waste, Inc. dba Alpha Roll Off Logistics, Docket No. 2025-0332-MSW-E on August 5, 2025 assessing \$3,375 in administrative penalties with \$675 deferred. Information concerning any aspect of this order may be obtained by contacting Leah Johns, Enforcement Coordinator at (512) 239-2545, Texas Commission on Environmental Quality, P.O. Box 13087, Austin, Texas 78711-3087.

A field citation was adopted regarding Weaver, Jeffrey, Docket No. 2025-0334-OSI-E on August 5, 2025 assessing \$175 in administrative penalties. Information concerning any aspect of this citation may be obtained by contacting Mark Gamble, Enforcement Coordinator at (512) 239-2545, Texas Commission on Environmental Quality, P.O. Box 13087, Austin, Texas 78711-3087.

A field citation was adopted regarding Mike Mollo Custom Homes, LLLC, Docket No. 2025-0408-WQ-E on August 5, 2025 assessing \$875 in administrative penalties. Information concerning any aspect of this citation may be obtained by contacting Alejandra Basave, Enforcement Coordinator at (512) 239-2545, Texas Commission on Environmental Quality, P.O. Box 13087, Austin, Texas 78711-3087.

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#### **Enforcement Orders**

A default order was adopted regarding Al Espree, Docket No. 2020-1586-MLM-E on August 6, 2025, assessing \$2,981 in administrative penalties. Information concerning any aspect of this order may be obtained by contacting Casey Kurnath, Staff Attorney at (512) 239-3400, Texas Commission on Environmental Quality, P.O. Box 13087, Austin, Texas 78711-3087.

A default order was adopted regarding Saleem Hassan dba One Stop Food Store 2, Docket No. 2021-1555-PST-E on August 6, 2025, assessing \$8,979 in administrative penalties. Information concerning any aspect of this order may be obtained by contacting Jennifer Peltier, Staff Attorney at (512) 239-3400, Texas Commission on Environmental Quality, P.O. Box 13087, Austin, Texas 78711-3087.

A default order was adopted regarding Diamond Ready Mix, Inc., Docket No. 2022-0119-WQ-E on August 6, 2025, assessing \$14,648 in administrative penalties. Information concerning any aspect of this order may be obtained by contacting Marilyn Norrod, Staff Attorney at (512) 239-3400, Texas Commission on Environmental Quality, P.O. Box 13087, Austin, Texas 78711-3087.

An agreed order was adopted regarding City of Gunter, Docket No. 2022-0170-MWD-E on August 6, 2025, assessing \$28,125 in administrative penalties. Information concerning any aspect of this order may be obtained by contacting Marilyn Norrod, Staff Attorney at (512) 239-3400, Texas Commission on Environmental Quality, P.O. Box 13087, Austin, Texas 78711-3087.

An agreed order was adopted regarding NORTHEAST SERVICE, INC., Docket No. 2022-0666-WQ-E on August 6, 2025, assessing \$11,250 in administrative penalties. Information concerning any aspect of this order may be obtained by contacting Taylor Pearson, Staff Attorney at (512) 239-3400, Texas Commission on Environmental Quality, P.O. Box 13087, Austin, Texas 78711-3087.

An agreed order was adopted regarding Enterprise Products Operating LLC, Docket No. 2022-0895-AIR-E on August 6, 2025, assessing \$15,000 in administrative penalties with \$3,000 deferred. Information concerning any aspect of this order may be obtained by contacting Caleb Martin, Enforcement Coordinator at (512) 239-2545, Texas Commission on Environmental Quality, P.O. Box 13087, Austin, Texas 78711-3087.

An agreed order was adopted regarding The Dow Chemical Company f/k/a Performance Materials NA, Inc., Docket No. 2022-1109-AIR-E on August 6, 2025, assessing \$16,502 in administrative penalties. Information concerning any aspect of this order may be obtained by contacting Johnnie Wu, Enforcement Coordinator at (512) 239-2545, Texas Commission on Environmental Quality, P.O. Box 13087, Austin, Texas 78711-3087.

A default order was adopted regarding Canyon Ridge Investment Company, Docket No. 2022-1309-UTL-E on August 6, 2025, assessing \$610 in administrative penalties. Information concerning any aspect of this order may be obtained by contacting Misty James, Staff Attorney at (512) 239-3400, Texas Commission on Environmental Quality, P.O. Box 13087, Austin, Texas 78711-3087.

An agreed order was adopted regarding INV Nylon Chemicals Americas, LLC, Docket No. 2022-1361-IHW-E on August 6, 2025, assessing \$76,612 in administrative penalties with \$15,322 deferred. Information concerning any aspect of this order may be obtained by contacting Eresha DeSilva, Enforcement Coordinator at (512) 239-2545, Texas Commission on Environmental Quality, P.O. Box 13087, Austin, Texas 78711-3087.

An agreed order was adopted regarding City of Huntington, Docket No. 2022-1479-PWS-E on August 6, 2025, assessing \$3,375 in administrative penalties. Information concerning any aspect of this order may be obtained by contacting Mason Demasi, Enforcement Coordinator at (512) 239-2545, Texas Commission on Environmental Quality, P.O. Box 13087, Austin, Texas 78711-3087.

A default order was adopted regarding Steve Steffe dba Triple J Mobile Home Park, Docket No. 2022-1569-UTL-E on August 6, 2025, assessing \$510 in administrative penalties. Information concerning any aspect of this order may be obtained by contacting Misty James, Staff Attorney at (512) 239-3400, Texas Commission on Environmental Quality, P.O. Box 13087, Austin, Texas 78711-3087.

An agreed order was adopted regarding DSCI Incorporated, Docket No. 2022-1710-WQ-E on August 6, 2025, assessing \$34,093 in administrative penalties. Information concerning any aspect of this order may be obtained by contacting William Hogan, Staff Attorney at (512) 239-3400, Texas Commission on Environmental Quality, P.O. Box 13087, Austin, Texas 78711-3087.

An agreed order was adopted regarding Nalco Production LLC, Docket No. 2023-0683-IWD-E on August 6, 2025, assessing \$34,200 in administrative penalties with \$6,840 deferred. Information concerning any aspect of this order may be obtained by contacting Mark Gamble, Enforcement Coordinator at (512) 239-2545, Texas Commission on Environmental Quality, P.O. Box 13087, Austin, Texas 78711-3087.

An agreed order was adopted regarding RIVER BEND WATER SER-VICES, INC., Docket No. 2023-1111-PWS-E on August 6, 2025, assessing \$5,625 in administrative penalties. Information concerning any aspect of this order may be obtained by contacting Taner Hengst, Enforcement Coordinator at (512) 239-2545, Texas Commission on Environmental Quality, P.O. Box 13087, Austin, Texas 78711-3087.

A default order was adopted regarding Marvin Ackley and Kimberly Ackley, Docket No. 2023-1192-MSW-E on August 6, 2025, assessing \$3,750 in administrative penalties. Information concerning any aspect

of this order may be obtained by contacting Laney Foeller, Staff Attorney at (512) 239-3400, Texas Commission on Environmental Quality, P.O. Box 13087, Austin, Texas 78711-3087.

An agreed order was adopted regarding N R Water Supply Corporation, Docket No. 2023-1297-PWS-E on August 6, 2025, assessing \$5,062 in administrative penalties. Information concerning any aspect of this order may be obtained by contacting Emerson Rinewalt, Enforcement Coordinator at (512) 239-2545, Texas Commission on Environmental Quality, P.O. Box 13087, Austin, Texas 78711-3087.

An agreed order was adopted regarding John Rodell dba West Cedar Creek Water System, Docket No. 2023-1468-PWS-E on August 6, 2025, assessing \$3,915 in administrative penalties. Information concerning any aspect of this order may be obtained by contacting Savannah Jackson, Enforcement Coordinator at (512) 239-2545, Texas Commission on Environmental Quality, P.O. Box 13087, Austin, Texas 78711-3087.

A default order was adopted regarding Steven Sutherlin, Docket No. 2023-1731-MSW-E on August 6, 2025, assessing \$28,851 in administrative penalties. Information concerning any aspect of this order may be obtained by contacting Marilyn Norrod, Staff Attorney at (512) 239-3400, Texas Commission on Environmental Quality, P.O. Box 13087, Austin, Texas 78711-3087.

An agreed order was adopted regarding Isaias Sanchez, Docket No. 2024-0744-SLG-E on August 6, 2025, assessing \$19,254 in administrative penalties. Information concerning any aspect of this order may be obtained by contacting Taylor Williamson, Enforcement Coordinator at (512) 239-2545, Texas Commission on Environmental Quality, P.O. Box 13087, Austin, Texas 78711-3087.

An agreed order was adopted regarding Petroleum Wholesale, L.P. dba Sunmart 168, Docket No. 2024-1077-PST-E on August 6, 2025, assessing \$23,556 in administrative penalties with \$4,711 deferred. Information concerning any aspect of this order may be obtained by contacting Lauren Little, Enforcement Coordinator at (512) 239-2545, Texas Commission on Environmental Quality, P.O. Box 13087, Austin, Texas 78711-3087.

An agreed order was adopted regarding KBR INVESTMENT INC. dba Super Stop 22, Docket No. 2024-1099-PST-E on August 6, 2025, assessing \$36,000 in administrative penalties. Information concerning any aspect of this order may be obtained by contacting Eunice Adegelu, Enforcement Coordinator at (512) 239-2545, Texas Commission on Environmental Quality, P.O. Box 13087, Austin, Texas 78711-3087.

An agreed order was adopted regarding CSWR-Texas Utility Operating Company, LLC, Docket No. 2024-1626-PWS-E on August 6, 2025, assessing \$6,090 in administrative penalties with \$4,350 deferred. Information concerning any aspect of this order may be obtained by contacting Savannah Jackson, Enforcement Coordinator at (512) 239-2545, Texas Commission on Environmental Quality, P.O. Box 13087, Austin, Texas 78711-3087.

An agreed order was adopted regarding Lake Front Buchanan, LLC, Docket No. 2024-1708-PWS-E on August 6, 2025, assessing \$7,500 in administrative penalties with \$7,500 deferred. Information concerning any aspect of this order may be obtained by contacting Savannah Jackson, Enforcement Coordinator at (512) 239-2545, Texas Commission on Environmental Quality, P.O. Box 13087, Austin, Texas 78711-3087.

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Chief Clerk
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**Application.** Texas Regional Landfill Company, LP has applied to the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality (TCEQ) to construct and operate a Type V municipal solid waste transfer station. The proposed facility, Dick Price Road Transfer Station, will be located at 4144 Dick Price Road, Fort Worth, 76140, in Tarrant County, Texas. The applicant is requesting authorization to process and transfer municipal solid waste that includes household waste, yard waste, commercial waste, Class 2 and Class 3 non-hazardous industrial waste, construction and demolition waste, and some special wastes. The registration application is available for viewing and copying at the Kennedale Public Library located at 316 West 3rd Street, Kennedale, Texas 76060. The application, including updates, is also available electronically at the following webpage: www.tceq.texas.gov/goto/wasteapps. The following link to an electronic map of the general location of the site or facility is provided as a public courtesy and is not part of the application or notice: https://arcg.is/1PXWnf4. For the exact location, refer to the application.

Alternative Language Notice / Aviso en idioma alternativo. Alternative language notice in Spanish is available at www.tceq.texas.gov/goto/wasteapps. El aviso en idioma alternativo en español está disponible en www.tceq.texas.gov/goto/wasteapps.

Public Comment / Public Meeting. You may submit public comments or request a public meeting on this application. The purpose of a public meeting is to provide the opportunity to submit comments or to ask questions about the application. TCEQ holds a public meeting if the Executive Director determines that there is a significant degree of public interest in the application or if requested by a local legislator. A public meeting is not a contested case hearing. The Executive Director will review and consider all timely comments and requests for a public meeting submitted during the comment period. The comment period will end 30 calendar days after this notice is published unless a public meeting is scheduled, in which case it will be extended to the date and time the public meeting closes. The Executive Director is not required to file a response to comments.

**Executive Director Action.** The Executive Director will review the application and issue a decision. If the Executive Director acts on an application, the Chief Clerk will mail or otherwise transmit notice of the action and an explanation of the opportunity to file a motion to overturn the Executive Director's decision.

Mailing List. If you submit public comments, you will be added to the mailing list for this application to receive future public notices mailed by the Office of the Chief Clerk. In addition, you may request to be placed on: (1) the permanent mailing list for a specific applicant name and permit number; and/or (2) the mailing list for a specific county. To be placed on the permanent and/or the county mailing list, clearly specify which list(s), and send your request to TCEQ Office of the Chief Clerk at the address below.

**Information Available Online.** For details about the status of the application, visit the Commissioners' Integrated Database (CID) at www.tceq.texas.gov/goto/cid. Once you have access to the CID using the above link, enter the registration number for this application, which is provided at the top of this notice.

Agency Contacts and Information. All public comments and requests must be submitted either electronically at www14.tceq.texas.gov/epic/eComment/ or in writing to the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality, Office of the Chief Clerk,

MC-105, P.O. Box 13087, Austin, Texas 78711-3087. Please be aware that any contact information you provide, including your name, phone number, email address, and physical address, will become part of the agency's public record.

For questions about the permitting process, please visit https://www.tceq.texas.gov/agency/decisions/participation/permitting-participation or contact the TCEQ's Public Education Program by email at pep@tceq.texas.gov or by phone, toll free, at (800) 687-4040. Para información en español, favor de llamar al (800) 687-4040.

**For More Information.** Further information may also be obtained by writing to the applicant's representative, Mr. Gary Bartels, of Texas Regional Landfill Company, LP, at 1780 Hughes Landing Blvd., Suite 800, The Woodlands, Texas 77381 or by calling (817) 705-6072.

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Notice of Opportunity to Comment on an Agreed Order of Administrative Enforcement Actions

The Texas Commission on Environmental Quality (TCEQ or commission) staff is providing an opportunity for written public comment on the listed Agreed Order (AO) in accordance with Texas Water Code (TWC), §7.075. TWC, §7.075, requires that before the commission may approve the AO, the commission shall allow the public an opportunity to submit written comments on the proposed AO, TWC, §7.075. requires that notice of the opportunity to comment must be published in the Texas Register no later than the 30th day before the date on which the public comment period closes, which in this case is September 16, 2025. TWC, §7.075, also requires that the commission promptly consider any written comments received and that the commission may withdraw or withhold approval of an AO if a comment discloses facts or considerations that indicate that consent is inappropriate, improper, inadequate, or inconsistent with the requirements of the statutes and rules within the commission's jurisdiction or the commission's orders and permits issued in accordance with the commission's regulatory authority. Additional notice of changes to a proposed AO is not required to be published if those changes are made in response to written com-

A copy of the proposed AO is available for public inspection at both the commission's central office, located at 12100 Park 35 Circle, Building A, 3rd Floor, Austin, Texas 78753, (512) 239-3400 and at the applicable regional office listed as follows. Written comments about an AO should be sent to the attorney designated for the AO at the commission's central office at P.O. Box 13087, MC 175, Austin, Texas 78711-3087 and must be **received by 5:00 p.m. on September 16, 2025**. The designated attorney are available to discuss the AO and/or the comment procedure at the listed phone number; however, TWC, §7.075, provides that comments on an AO shall be submitted to the commission in **writing**.

(1) COMPANY: Julio Cortez; DOCKET NUMBER: 2022-0869-AIR-E; TCEQ ID NUMBER: RN100601582; LOCATION: 2608 Southwell Road in Dallas, Dallas County; TYPE OF FACILITY: an auto body refinishing facility; RULES VIOLATED: Texas Health and Safety Code (THSC), §382.085(b) and 30 TAC §115.421(12), by causing, suffering, allowing, or permitting volatile organic compound (VOC) emissions to exceed the coatings and solvents emissions

limit as delivered to the application system; THSC, §382.085(b) and 30 TAC §115.426(1)(B), by failing to comply with recordkeeping requirements; THSC, §382.085(b) and 30 TAC §116.110(a), by failing to obtain authorization prior to constructing or modifying a source of air contaminants; and 30 TAC §115.422(1), by failing to comply with the equipment cleanup procedures to minimize VOC emissions; PENALTY: \$11,250; STAFF ATTORNEY: Casey Kurnath, Litigation, MC 175, (512) 239-5932; REGIONAL OFFICE: Dallas-Fort Worth Regional Office, 2309 Gravel Drive, Fort Worth, Texas 76118-6951, (817) 588-5800.

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Gitanjali Yadav
Deputy Director, Litigation
Texas Commission on Environmental Quality
Filed: August 5, 2025

Notice of Opportunity to Comment on Default Orders of Administrative Enforcement Actions

The Texas Commission on Environmental Quality (TCEQ or commission) staff is providing an opportunity for written public comment on the listed Default Orders (DOs). The commission staff proposes a DOs when the staff has sent the Executive Director's Preliminary Report and Petition (EDPRP) to an entity outlining the alleged violations; the proposed penalty; the proposed technical requirements necessary to bring the entity back into compliance; and the entity fails to request a hearing on the matter within 20 days of its receipt of the EDPRP or requests a hearing and fails to participate at the hearing. Similar to the procedure followed with respect to Agreed Orders entered into by the executive director of the commission, in accordance with Texas Water Code (TWC), §7.075, this notice of the proposed order and the opportunity to comment is published in the Texas Register no later than the 30th day before the date on which the public comment period closes, which in this case is September 16, 2025. The commission will consider any written comments received, and the commission may withdraw or withhold approval of a DO if a comment discloses facts or considerations that indicate that consent to the proposed DO is inappropriate, improper, inadequate, or inconsistent with the requirements of the statutes and rules within the commission's jurisdiction, or the commission's orders and permits issued in accordance with the commission's regulatory authority. Additional notice of changes to a proposed DO is not required to be published if those changes are made in response to written comments.

A copy of each proposed DO is available for public inspection at both the commission's central office, located at 12100 Park 35 Circle, Building A, 3rd Floor, Austin, Texas 78753, (512) 239-3400 and at the applicable regional office listed as follows. Written comments about the DO should be sent to the attorney designated for the DO at the commission's central office at P.O. Box 13087, MC 175, Austin, Texas 78711-3087 and must be **received by 5:00 p.m. on September 16, 2025**. The commission's attorneys are available to discuss the DOs and/or the comment procedure at the listed phone numbers; however, TWC, §7.075, provides that comments on the DO shall be submitted to the commission in **writing**.

(1) COMPANY: Travis Lynn Bishop and SAN JO UTILITIES INC.; DOCKET NUMBER: 2024-0058-MWD-E; TCEQ ID NUMBER: RN103935474; LOCATION: approximately 400 feet north of the intersection of Enchanted Waters Drive and Longstreet Road in Willis, Montgomery County; TYPE OF FACILITY: a wastewater treatment facility; RULES VIOLATED: 30 TAC §305.65 and §305.125(2), by failing to maintain authorization to discharge wastewater into or adjacent to any water in the state; PENALTY: \$35,000; STAFF

ATTORNEY: Jun Zhang, Litigation, MC 175, (512) 239-6517; RE-GIONAL OFFICE: Houston Regional Office, 5425 Polk Street, Suite H. Houston, Texas 77023-1452, (713) 767-3500.

- (2) COMPANY: Jolly's Development Group LLC; DOCKET NUMBER: 2023-1429-MLM-E; TCEQ ID NUMBER: RN111806766; LOCATION: 9223 Sandstone Street in Austin, Travis County; TYPE OF FACILITY: a large construction site; RULES VIOLATED: 30 TAC §213.23(a)(1), by failing to obtain approval of an Edwards Aquifer Protection Plan prior to commencing a regulated activity over the Edwards Aquifer Contributing Zone; and TWC, §26.121(a), 30 TAC §281.25(a)(4), and 40 Code of Federal Regulations §122.26(c), by failing to obtain authorization to discharge stormwater associated with construction activities; PENALTY: \$15,000; STAFF ATTORNEY: William Hogan, Litigation, MC 175, (512) 239-5918; REGIONAL OFFICE: Austin Regional Office, 12100 Park 35 Circle, Building A, Room 179, Austin, Texas 78753, (512) 339-2929.
- (3) COMPANY: Realty Income Properties 22, LLC; DOCKET NUMBER: 2021-1244-PWS-E; TCEQ ID NUMBER: RN110608650; LOCATION: 7001 Andrews Highway in Odessa, Ector County; TYPE OF FACILITY: a public water system; RULES VIOLATED: 30 TAC §290.41(c)(3)(N), by failing to provide a flow measuring device for each well to measure production yields and provide for the accumulation of water production data; and 30 TAC §290.42(b)(1) and (e)(3), by failing to provide disinfection facilities for the groundwater supply for the purpose of microbiological control and distribution protection; PENALTY: \$1,500; STAFF ATTORNEY: Benjamin Pence, Litigation, MC 175, (512) 239-2157; REGIONAL OFFICE: Midland Regional Office, 9900 West Interstate Highway 20, Suite 100, Midland, Texas 79706, (432) 570-1359.
- (4) COMPANY: Victoria Rodriguez; DOCKET NUMBER: 2023-0995-LII-E; TCEQ ID NUMBER: RN108521873; LOCA-TION: 2721 Ingram Circle in Mesquite, Dallas County; TYPE OF FACILITY: a landscape irrigation business; RULE VIOLATED: 30 TAC §344.35(d)(2), by failing to obtain a permit required to install an irrigation system; PENALTY: \$3,500; STAFF ATTORNEY: Jun Zhang, Litigation, MC 175, (512) 239-6517; REGIONAL OFFICE: Dallas-Fort Worth Regional Office, 2309 Gravel Drive, Fort Worth, Texas 76118-6951, (817) 588-5800.

TRD-202502757 Gitanjali Yadav Deputy Director, Litigation Texas Commission on Environmental Quality

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Notice of Opportunity to Request a Public Meeting for a Development Permit Application for Construction Over a Closed Municipal Solid Waste Landfill Proposed Permit No.

This notice corrects the applicant's name that was incorrectly stated in the notice issued January 30, 2025.

**Application.** PR III/CRE 635 Exchange Owner, LP has applied to the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality (TCEQ) for a development permit for construction over a closed municipal solid waste landfill (Proposed Permit No. 62055). The proposed development concerns a tract of land of approximately 36.29 acres located at 11645 Newberry Street, Dallas, in Dallas County, Texas. The proposed development includes an office/warehouse facility comprised of three single-story buildings with a footprint of approximately 595,688 square feet, associated utilities, concrete driveways, parking areas, rights of

way, sidewalks, and landscaping. The development permit application is available for viewing and copying at Park Forest Branch Library, 3421 Forest Lane, Dallas, Texas 75234. The application, including any updates and notices, is available electronically at the following webpage: www.tceq.texas.gov/goto/wasteapps. The following link to an electronic map of the site or facility's general location is provided as a public courtesy and is not part of the application or notice: https://arcg.is/1W1CGa. For exact location, refer to application.

Alternative Language Notice / Aviso en idioma alternativo. Alternative language notice in Spanish is available at www.tceq.texas.gov/goto/wasteapps. El aviso en idioma alternativo en español está disponible en www.tceq.texas.gov/goto/wasteapps.

Public Comment / Public Meeting. You may submit public comments or request a public meeting on this application. The purpose of a public meeting is to provide the opportunity to submit comments or to ask questions about the application. TCEQ holds a public meeting if the Executive Director determines that there is a significant degree of public interest in the application or if requested by a local legislator. A public meeting is not a contested case hearing. The Executive Director will review and consider all timely comments and requests for a public meeting submitted during the comment period. The comment period will end 30 calendar days after this notice is published unless a public meeting is scheduled, in which case it will be extended to the date and time the public meeting closes. The Executive Director is not required to file a response to comments.

**Executive Director Action.** The Executive Director will review the application and issue a decision. If the Executive Director acts on an application, the Chief Clerk will mail or otherwise transmit notice of the action and an explanation of the opportunity to file a motion to overturn the Executive Director's decision.

Mailing List. If you submit public comments, you will be added to the mailing list for this application to receive future public notices mailed by the Office of the Chief Clerk. In addition, you may request to be placed on: (1) the permanent mailing list for a specific applicant name and permit number; and/or (2) the mailing list for a specific county. To be placed on the permanent and/or the county mailing list, clearly specify which list(s), and send your request to TCEQ Office of the Chief Clerk at the address below.

**Information Available Online.** For details about the status of the application, visit the Commissioners' Integrated Database (CID) at www.tceq.texas.gov/goto/cid. Once you have access to the CID using the above link, enter the permit number for this application, which is provided at the top of this notice.

Agency Contacts and Information. All public comments, requests, and petitions must be submitted either electronically at www14.tceq.texas.gov/epic/eComment/ or in writing to the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality, Office of the Chief Clerk, MC-105, P.O. Box 13087, Austin, Texas 78711-3087. Please be aware that any contact information you provide, including your name, phone number, email address, and physical address, will become part of the agency's public record.

For questions about the permitting process, please visit https://www.tceq.texas.gov/agency/decisions/participation/permitting-participation or contact the TCEQ's Public Education Program by email at pep@tceq.texas.gov or by phone, toll free, at (800) 687-4040. Para información en español, favor de llamar al (800) 687-4040.

Further information may also be obtained from Mr. Taylor Mitcham at the mailing address PR III/CRE 635 Exchange Owner, LP, 1200 N. 52nd Street, Phoenix, Arizona 85008, or by calling Mr. Nick Cramer at (214) 499-9234.

Issued Date: July 28, 2025

TRD-202502767 Laurie Gharis Chief Clerk

Texas Commission on Environmental Quality

Filed: August 5, 2025

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Notice of Public Meeting Amendment Permit No. WO0013548001

APPLICATION. Utilities, Inc. of Texas, P.O. Box 140164, Austin, Texas 78714, has applied to the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality (TCEQ) for a major amendment to Texas Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (TPDES) Permit No. WQ0013548001, to authorize an increase in the discharge of treated domestic wastewater from a daily average flow not to exceed 350,000 gallons per day to an annual average flow not to exceed 2,000,000 gallons per day, relocate Outfall 002, and to discontinue the effluent irrigation fields. TCEQ received this application on May 25, 2023.

The facility is located at 101 Cool Water Drive, in Bastrop County, Texas 78602. The treated effluent will be discharged to an unnamed tributary, thence to Piney Creek, thence to the Colorado River Above La Grange in Segment No. 1434 of the Colorado River Basin. The unclassified receiving water uses are minimal aquatic life use for the unnamed tributary and intermediate aquatic life use for Piney Creek. The designated uses for Segment No. 1434 are primary contact recreation, public water supply, and exceptional aquatic life use. In accordance with 30 Texas Administrative Code §307.5 and TCEO's Procedures to Implement the Texas Surface Water Quality Standards (June 2010), an antidegradation review of the receiving waters was performed. A Tier 1 antidegradation review has preliminarily determined that existing water quality uses will not be impaired by this permit action. Numerical and narrative criteria to protect existing uses will be maintained. A Tier 2 review has preliminarily determined that no significant degradation of water quality is expected in Piney Creek, which has been identified as having intermediate aquatic life use and Colorado River Above La Grange, which has been identified as having exceptional aquatic life use. Existing uses will be maintained and protected. The preliminary determination can be reexamined and may be modified if new information is received. This link to an electronic map of the site or facility's general location is provided as a public courtesy and is not part of the application or notice. For the exact location, refer to the application.

https://gisweb.tceq.texas.gov/LocationMapper/?marker=97.30646,30.1701&level=18

guage-summaries-and-public-notices.

The TCEQ Executive Director has completed the technical review of the application and prepared a draft permit. The draft permit, if approved, would establish the conditions under which the facility must operate. The Executive Director has made a preliminary decision that this permit, if issued, meets all statutory and regulatory requirements.

ALTERNATIVE LANGUAGE NOTICE. Alternative language notice in Spanish is available at https://www.tceq.texas.gov/permitting/wastewater/plain-language-summaries-and-public-notices. El aviso de idioma alternativo en español está disponible en https://www.tceq.texas.gov/permitting/wastewater/plain-lan-

**PUBLIC COMMENT / PUBLIC MEETING.** A public meeting will be held and will consist of two parts, an Informal Discussion Period and a Formal Comment Period. A public meeting is not a contested case hearing under the Administrative Procedure Act. During the Informal Discussion Period, the public will be encouraged to ask questions of

the applicant and TCEO staff concerning the permit application. The comments and questions submitted orally during the Informal Discussion Period will not be considered before a decision is reached on the permit application and no formal response will be made. Responses will be provided orally during the Informal Discussion Period. During the Formal Comment Period on the permit application, members of the public may state their formal comments orally into the official record. A written response to all timely, relevant and material, or significant comments will be prepared by the Executive Director. All formal comments will be considered before a decision is reached on the permit application. A copy of the written response will be sent to each person who submits a formal comment or who requested to be on the mailing list for this permit application and provides a mailing address. Only relevant and material issues raised during the Formal Comment Period can be considered if a contested case hearing is granted on this permit application.

The Public Meeting is to be held:

Monday, September 15, 2025 at 7:00 p.m.

**Kerr Community Center** 

1308 Walnut Street

Bastrop, Texas 78602

**INFORMATION.** Members of the public are encouraged to submit written comments anytime during the meeting or by mail before the close of the public comment period to the Office of the Chief Clerk, TCEQ, Mail Code MC-105, P.O. Box 13087, Austin, Texas 78711-3087 or electronically at www.tceq.texas.gov/goto/comment. If you need more information about the permit application or the permitting process, please call the TCEQ Public Education Program, Toll Free, at (800) 687-4040. Si desea información en español, puede llamar (800) 687-4040. General information about the TCEQ can be found at our website at https://www.tceq.texas.gov.

The permit application, Executive Director's preliminary decision, and draft permit are available for viewing and copying at Bastrop Public Library, 1100 Church Street, Bastrop, Texas. The application, including any updates, and associated notices are available electronically at the following webpage: https://www.tceq.texas.gov/permitting/wastewater/pending-permits/tpdes-applications. Further information may also be obtained from Utilities, Inc. of Texas at the address stated above or by calling Ms. Lauren Crone, P.E., Senior Project Manager, LJA Engineering, at (512) 439-4700.

Persons with disabilities who need special accommodations at the meeting should call the Office of the Chief Clerk at (512) 239-3300 or (800) RELAY-TX (TDD) at least five business days prior to the meeting.

Issuance Date: August 1, 2025

TRD-202502770 Laurie Gharis Chief Clerk

Texas Commission on Environmental Quality

Filed: August 5, 2025

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Notice of Public Meeting for an Air Quality Standard Permit for Permanent Rock and Concrete Crushers Proposed Air Quality Registration Number 178973

**APPLICATION**. Vrzalik Sand & Gravel Inc, 1299 Redd Foxx Road, Terrell, Texas 75160 has applied to the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality (TCEQ) for an Air Quality Standard Permit, Registra-

tion Number 178973, which would authorize construction of a permanent rock and concrete crusher. The facility is proposed to be located at 1299 Redd Foxx Road, Terrell, Kaufman County, Texas 75160. This link to an electronic map of the site or facility's general location is provided as a public courtesy and not part of the application or notice. For exact location, refer to application. https://gisweb.tceq.texas.gov/LocationMapper/?marker=-96.299481,32.68642&level=13. This application was submitted to the TCEQ on January 28, 2025. The executive director has determined the application was technically complete on March 24, 2025.

PUBLIC COMMENT / PUBLIC MEETING. You may submit public comments to the Office of the Chief Clerk at the address below. TCEQ will consider all public comments in developing a final decision on the application. A public meeting will be held and will consist of two parts, an Informal Discussion Period and a Formal Comment Period. A public meeting is not a contested case hearing under the Administrative Procedure Act. During the Informal Discussion Period, the public will be encouraged to ask questions of the applicant and TCEQ staff concerning the permit application. The comments and questions submitted orally during the Informal Discussion Period will not be considered before a decision is reached on the permit application, and no formal response will be made. Responses will be provided orally during the Informal Discussion Period. During the Formal Comment Period on the permit application, members of the public may state their formal comments orally into the official record. At the conclusion of the comment period, all formal comments will be considered before a decision is reached on the permit application. A written response to all formal comments will be prepared by the executive director and will be sent to each person who submits a formal comment or who requested to be on the mailing list for this permit application and provides a mailing address.

The Public Meeting is to be held:

Tuesday, September 9, 2025 at 7:00 p.m.

Kaufman Civic Center

607 E. Fair Street

Kaufman, Texas 75142

INFORMATION. Members of the public are encouraged to submit written comments anytime during the public meeting or by mail before the close of the public comment period to the Office of the Chief Clerk, TCEQ, Mail Code MC-105, P.O. Box 13087, Austin, Texas 78711-3087 or electronically at https://www14.tceq.texas.gov/epic/eComment/. If you need more information about the permit application or the permitting process, please call the TCEQ Public Education Program, toll free, at (800) 687-4040. General information can be found at our website at www.tceq.texas.gov. Si desea información en español, puede llamar al (800) 687-4040.

**INFORMATION AVAILABLE ONLINE.** For details about the status of the application, visit the Commissioners' Integrated Database (CID) at www.tceq.texas.gov/goto/cid. Once you have access to the CID using the link, enter the permit number at the top of this form.

The executive director shall approve or deny the application not later than 30 days after the end of the public comment period, considering all comments received within the comment period, and base this decision on whether the application meets the requirements of the standard permit.

**CENTRAL/REGIONAL OFFICE.** The application will be available for viewing and copying at the TCEQ Central Office and the TCEQ Dallas/Fort Worth Regional Office, located at 2309 Gravel

Drive, Fort Worth, Texas 76118-6951, during the hours of 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m., Monday through Friday. The application, including any updates, is available electronically at the following webpage: https://www.tceq.texas.gov/permitting/air/airpermit-applications-notices

Further information may also be obtained from Vrzalik Sand & Gravel Inc, 1299 Redd Foxx Road, Terrell, Texas 75160, or by calling Ms. Monique Wells, Environmental Consultant at (512) 292-4314.

Persons with disabilities who need special accommodations at the meeting should call the Office of the Chief Clerk at (512) 239-3300 or (800) RELAY-TX (TDD) at least five business days prior to the meeting.

Notice Issuance Date: August 5, 2025

TRD-202502765 Laurie Gharis Chief Clerk

Texas Commission on Environmental Quality

Filed: August 5, 2025



Public Meeting Notice Radioactive Material License Number R01634

APPLICATION. ConocoPhillips Company has applied to the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality (TCEQ) for a major amendment to radioactive material license R01634 to authorize execution of agency-approved work plans that address the removal of contaminated materials from on-site, from the FM 791 road area adjacent to the Conquista site, and from the closed Slick-Wilcox Site, as well as constructing a supplemental disposal cell at the Conquista site, placing the materials removed from the above listed locations in the disposal cell, and closing the disposal cell. The application was received by the TCEQ on November 25, 2014, and a revised application was received on July 1, 2024, and revised December 2, 2024.

The Conquista Project is located 8 miles West of Falls City, Texas on Farm-to-Market (FM) Road 791 (latitude 28.90778, longitude -98.099236) and the Slick-Wilcox site is located at 3898 Nordheim Slickfield Road (latitude 28.834718, longitude -97.544459) approximately 7.5 miles Southeast from Nordheim, Texas. The following links to electronic maps of the sites or facilities' general locations are provided as a public courtesy and is not part of the application or notice. For exact location, refer to the application.

Conquista Project -

https://tceq.maps.arcgis.com/apps/webappviewer/index.html?id=db5bac44afbc468bbddd360f8168250f&marker=98.0992360%2C28.90778&level=12

Slick-Wilcox -

https://gisweb.tceq.texas.gov/LocationMapper/?marker=97.544459,28.834718&level=18

**PRELIMINARY DECISION.** The TCEQ Executive Director has completed the technical review of the application and prepared a draft license. The draft license if approved, would establish the conditions under which the facility must operate. The Executive Director has made a preliminary decision that this license, if issued, meets all statutory and regulatory requirements.

**PUBLIC COMMENT / PUBLIC MEETING.** A public meeting will be held and will consist of two parts, an Informal Discussion Period and a Formal Comment Period. A public meeting is not a contested case hearing under the Administrative Procedure Act. During the Informal

Discussion Period, the public will be encouraged to ask questions of the applicant and TCEQ staff concerning the application. The comments and questions submitted orally during the Informal Discussion Period will not be considered before a decision is reached on the application and no formal response will be made. Responses will be provided orally during the Informal Discussion Period. During the Formal Comment Period, members of the public may state their formal comments orally into the official record. A written response to all timely, relevant and material, or significant comments will be prepared by the Executive Director.

The Public Meeting is to be held:

Monday, September 22, 2025 at 7:00 p.m.

**Falls City Community Hall** 

306 S. Front Street

Falls City, Texas 78113

**OPPORTUNITY FOR A CONTESTED CASE HEARING.** A contested case hearing is a legal proceeding similar to a civil trial in a state district court. The TCEQ may grant a contested case hearing on this application if a written hearing request is timely submitted. A request for a contested case hearing must be submitted to the Office of the Chief Clerk by the end of the comment period.

TO REQUEST A CONTESTED CASE HEARING, YOU MUST INCLUDE THE FOLLOWING ITEMS IN YOUR REQUEST: your name, address, phone number; applicant's name and license number; the location and distance of your property/activities relative to the facility; a specific description of how you would be adversely affected by the facility in a way not common to the general public; and, the statement "[I/we] request a contested case hearing." If the request for contested case hearing is filed on behalf of a group or association, the request must designate the group's representative for receiving future correspondence; identify an individual member of the group who would be adversely affected by the facility or activity; provide the information discussed above regarding the affected member's location and distance from the facility or activity; explain how and why the member would be affected; and explain how the interests the group seeks to protect are relevant to the group's purpose.

**EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR ACTION.** Following the end of all applicable comment and request periods, the Executive Director may issue final approval of the application unless a timely contested case hearing request or request for reconsideration is filed. If a timely hearing request or request for reconsideration is filed, the Executive Director will not issue final approval of the license, and the application and requests will be considered by the TCEQ Commissioners at a scheduled Commission meeting.

MAILING LIST. If you submit public comments, a request for a contested case hearing or a reconsideration of the Executive Director's decision, you will be added to the mailing list for this specific application to receive future public notices mailed by the Office of the Chief Clerk. In addition, you may request to be placed on: (1) the permanent mailing list for a specific applicant name and license number; and/or (2) the mailing list for a specific county. If you wish to be placed on the permanent and/or the county mailing list, clearly specify which list(s) and send your request to TCEQ Office of the Chief Clerk at the address below.

**INFORMATION AVAILABLE ONLINE:** For details about the status of the application, visit the Commissioners' Integrated Database at www.tceq.texas.gov/goto/cid. Once you have access to the CID using

the above link, enter the license number for this application, which is provided at the top of this notice.

INFORMATION. The comment and request period ends at the close of the public meeting on this application. All public comments and requests must be submitted by the close of the public meeting. Members of the public are encouraged to submit written comments anytime during the meeting or by mail before the close of the public comment period to the Office of the Chief Clerk, TCEQ, Mail Code MC-105, P.O. Box 13087, Austin, Texas 78711-3087 or electronically at www.tceq.texas.gov/goto/comment. If you need more information about the license application or the licensing process, please call the TCEQ Public Education Program, Toll Free, at (800) 687-4040. Si desea información en español, puede llamar (800) 687-4040. General information about the TCEQ can be found at our website at https://www.tceq.texas.gov.

The license application, Executive Director's technical summary, and draft license are available for viewing and copying at these locations:

- 1) TCEQ office 12100 Park 35, Bldg. F, Austin, Texas;
- 2) Karnes County: Karnes City Public Library, 302 S. Panna Maria Ave., Karnes City, Texas 78118;
- 3) Karnes County: Falls City Public Library, 206 N. Irvin Street, Falls City, Texas 78113
- 4) Goliad County: Goliad County Library, 320 S. Commercial, Goliad, Texas 77963;
- 5) DeWitt County: Cuero Municipal Library, 207 E. Main Street, Cuero, Texas 77954.

Further information may also be obtained from ConocoPhillips at the address: 935 North Eldridge Parkway, Houston, Texas 77079 or by calling Ms. Jenni Rogers at (832) 486-2477.

Persons with disabilities who need special accommodations at the meeting should call the Office of the Chief Clerk at (512) 239-3300 or (800) RELAY-TX (TDD) at least five business days prior to the meeting.

Issued: August 5, 2025

TRD-202502768

Laurie Gharis

Chief Clerk

Texas Commission on Environmental Quality

Filed: August 5, 2025

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#### **Texas Ethics Commission**

List of Delinquent Filers

#### LIST OF LATE FILERS

Below is a list from the Texas Ethics Commission naming the filers who failed to pay the penalty fine for failure to file the report, or filing a late report, in reference to the specified filing deadline. If you have any questions, you may contact Dave Guilianelli at (512) 463-5800.

Deadline: Lobby Activities Report due July 10, 2020

#00083216 - Becky Walker, 1515 E Cesar Chavez, Austin, Texas 78702

Deadline: Semiannual Report due January 18, 2022 for Candidates

#00086502 - Victoria Gonzalez, 615 FM 1466, Coupland, Texas 78615

## Deadline: Semiannual Report due January 17, 2023 for Candidates

#00086280 - John Harvey Slocum, 13383 State Hwy 30, College Station, Texas 77845

#00086215 - Allenna Bangs, P.O. Box 1363, Colleyville, Texas 76034

## Deadline: Semiannual Report due January 16, 2024 for Candidates

#00088424 - Teresa Ramirez Gonzalez, 8051 Berkshire, Fort Worth, Texas 76137

## Deadline: 30 day Pre-Election Report due February 5, 2024 for Candidates

#00088424 - Teresa Ramirez Gonzalez, 8051 Berkshire, Fort Worth, Texas 76137

#00088349 - Joyce Marie Chatman, 14914 Samuel Springs Ln, Houston, Texas 77044

## Deadline: 8 day Pre-Election Report due February 26, 2024 for Candidates

#00088303 - Curtis L. Laird, 8028 County Road 204, Grandview, Texas 76050

#00088349 - Joyce Marie Chatman, 14914 Samuel Springs Ln, Houston, Texas 77044

#00088424 - Teresa Ramirez Gonzalez, 8051 Berkshire, Fort Worth, Texas 76137

#### Deadline: Semiannual Report due July 15, 2024 for Candidates

#00088424 - Teresa Ramirez Gonzalez, 8051 Berkshire, Fort Worth, Texas 76137

#00088349 - Joyce Marie Chatman, 14914 Samuel Springs Ln, Houston, Texas 77044

#### Deadline: Lobby Activities Report due September 10, 2024

#00086789 - Lynlie M. Wallace, 3267 Bee Caves Road, Austin, Texas 78746

## Deadline: 30 day Pre-Election Report due October 7, 2024 for Candidates

#00088233 - Collin D. Johnson, 105 Chestnut Ln, Hickory Creek, Texas 75065

#### Deadline: Lobby Activities Report due October 10, 2024

#00088451 - George C. Manders Jr., 3121 Wyandot St., Denver, Colorado 80211

## Deadline: 8 day Pre-Election Report due October 28, 2024 for Candidates

#00088233 - Collin D. Johnson, 105 Chestnut Ln, Hickory Creek, Texas 75065

#00067825 - Rene C. Flores, 400 Mann St., Ste. 904, Corpus Christi, Texas 78401

#00084566 - Carvana Cloud, 850 West Little York Rd., Houston, Texas 77091

#00069649 - Thresa A. Meza, P.O. Box 155076, Irving, Texas 75015

#00086196 - Amin Salahuddin, 595 Round Rock West Drive, Round Rock, Texas 78681

Deadline: Lobby Activities Report due November 12, 2024

#00083376 - Lauren Spreen, P.O. Box 12525, Austin, Texas 78711

#00088451 - George C. Manders Jr., 3121 Wyandot St., Denver, Colorado 80211

#### Deadline: Lobby Activities Report due December 10, 2024

#00080639 - John B. Scott, 316 W. 12th St., Austin, Texas 78701

## Deadline: Semiannual Report due January 15, 2025 for Candidates

#00085126 - Robert D. Ries, 919 Congress Ave #540, Austin, Texas 78701

#00088424 - Teresa Ramirez Gonzalez, 8051 Berkshire, Fort Worth, Texas 76137

#00088233 - Collin D. Johnson, 105 Chestnut Ln., Hickory Creek, Texas 75065

#00086177 - Timothy S. Reid, 6001 Landon Drive, Amarillo, Texas 79119

 $\#00088147 - Rosalind Caesar, P.O.\ Box\ 683163, Houston, Texas\ 77268$ 

#00085688 - Sho Muhammad, 3403 W. T.C. Jester Blvd. #F25, Houston, Texas 77018

#00088384 - Fred Medina, 216 N. Bryan Ave., Bryan, Texas 77803

#00087927 - Jose M. Martinez, 5804 N. 23rd St., McAllen, Texas 78504

#00083454 - Angela L. Brewer, 1909 Manten Blvd., Denton, Texas 76208

#00088411 - Fred G. Taylor, P.O. Box 2343, Missouri City, Texas 77459

#00086300 - Cynthia Valadez-Mata, 2407 E Cesar Chavez St., Austin, Texas 78702

#### Deadline: Lobby Activities Report due February 10, 2025

#00069053 - Austin Dudley McCarty, 2801 Via Fortuna, Austin, Texas 78746

#00037475 - Brian G. Yarbrough, 807 Brazos, Suite 402, Austin, Texas 78701

#### Deadline: Lobby Activities Report due March 10, 2025

#00066901 - Chris Hosek, 1210 Nueces, Austin, Texas 78701

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James Tinley

**Executive Director** 

Texas Ethics Commission

Filed: August 1, 2025

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List of Delinquent Filers

#### LIST OF LATE FILERS

Below is a list from the Texas Ethics Commission naming the filers who failed to pay the penalty fine for failure to file the report, or filing a late report, in reference to the specified filing deadline. If you have any questions, you may contact Dave Guilianelli at (512) 463-5800.

#### Deadline: Monthly Report due April 5, 2016 for Committees

#00068225 - We The People of Texas PAC, Stephan Galland, 103 Blackjack Lane, Burleson, Texas 76028-0000

Deadline: Semiannual Report due July 16, 2018 for Committees

#00070005 - Democrats Choice For The People's Voice, Michael Gipson, P.O. Box 150888, Dallas, Texas 75315

## Deadline: 8 day Pre-Election Report due April 28, 2023 for Committees

#00086976 - Collin County Reproductive Justice Coalition, Mary S. Peebles, P.O. Box 294, McKinney, Texas 75070

#### Deadline: Semiannual Report due July 17, 2023 for Committees

#00087032 - Alliance PAC, Michael Sabouni, 6200 Savoy Dr., Houston, Texas 77036

## Deadline: 8 day Pre-Election Report due October 30, 2023 for Committees

#00087032 - Alliance PAC, Michael Sabouni, 6200 Savoy Dr., Houston, Texas 77036

#00087989 - Panhandle First, Kimberly Snelgrooes, P.O. Box 1652, Panhandle, Texas 79068

## Deadline: Semiannual Report due January 16, 2024 for Committees

#00087989 - Panhandle First, Kimberly Snelgrooes, P.O. Box 1652, Panhandle. Texas 79068

## Deadline: 8 day Pre-Election Report due April 26, 2024 for Committees

#00084494 - Congress PAC, Sakki K. Joseph, 830 Deer Hollow Dr., Sugar Land, Texas 77479

## Deadline: 30 day Pre-Election Report due October 7, 2024 for Committees

#00056027 - Rockwall Republican Executive Committee General Purpose PAC, Tammy Hawkes, P.O. Box 863, Rockwall, Texas 75087

## Deadline: 8 day Pre-Election Report due October 28, 2024 for Committees

#00086561 - Mothers Against Greg Abbott, Nancy Thompson, P.O. Box 27881, Austin, Texas 78755

## Deadline: Semiannual Report due January 15, 2025 for Committees

#00016594 - Taylor County Democratic PAC, Dianne Morphew, 2526 Bennett Drive, Abilene, Texas 79605

#00024020 - Jefferson County Republican Party (P), Joe Evans, 1520 N. 20th St., Nederland, Texas 77627

#00024059 - Williamson County Republican Party (P), Michelle Evans, P.O. Box 393, Round Rock, Texas 78680

#00088878 - We Love Odessa, Lisa Armstrong, 2812 East 21st. St., Odessa, Texas 79761

#00086908 - Fredericksburg Tea Party PAC, Angela Smith, P.O. Box 343, Fredericksburg, Texas 78624

#00088983 - Southeast Democrats Network PAC, Pamela Davis, 3022 Hartsville Rd., Houston, Texas 77051

#### Deadline: Monthly Report due February 5, 2025 for Committees

#00028329 - Associated Builders & Contractors of Texas PAC, Craig D. Messer, P.O. Box 1891, Austin, Texas 78767

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Executive Director
Texas Ethics Commission

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#### Deadline: Lobby Activities Report due April 10, 2025

#00053527 - Lucien Bellsnyder, 360 Nueces, #1415, Austin, Texas 78701

#00070672 – Lorena I. Campos, 1005 Congress Ave, Suite 152, Austin, Texas 78701

#00083361 – Robbie M. Cooksey, 600 Congress, Suite 200, Austin, Texas 78701

#00013547 - Chuck Rice, 4205 Wild Iris Ln., Austin, Texas 78727

#00019723 – Hugo Berlanga, 28 Hewit Dr., Corpus Christi, Texas 78404

#00070950 – Jennifer Bremer, 1005 Congress Ave., Suite 360, Austin, Texas 78701

#00086001 – Richard J. Ybarra, 2370 North Expressway, Suite 1500, Brownsville, Texas 78526

#00087645 – Moises Murillo, 700 Milam Street, Suite 1900, Houston, Texas 77002

#00085461 - Kenneth W. Flippin, 215 Branch St., Taylor, Texas 76574

#00087374 - Jared R. Scruggs, 18710 Winding Atwood Lane, Tomball, Texas 77377

#### Deadline: Lobby Activities Report due May 12, 2025

#00050755 – Tyler J. Rudd, 4020 Enclave Mesa Circle, Austin, Texas 78731

#00053923 - Steven C. Ray, P.O. Box 742, Corpus Christi, Texas 78403

#00083216 - Becky Walker, 500 Chicon St., Austin, Texas 78702

#00039065 – Janis L. Carter, 213 Rio Bravo Road, Georgetown, Texas 78628

 $\#00086723-\mathrm{Jeff}\,\mathrm{R}.$  Miller, 1115 San Jacinto Blvd., Suite 110, Austin, Texas 78701

#00081889 – A. Bentley Nettles, P.O. Box 313, Wellborn, Texas 77881

#00087494 - Darcy Caballero, P.O. Box 41646, Austin, Texas 78704

 $\#00089627-Marlene\ R.\ Vincent, 8043\ Crocker\ Rd., Holton, Michigan 49425$ 

#00085461 - Kenneth W. Flippin, 215 Branch St., Taylor, Texas 76574

#### Deadline: Lobby Activities Report due June 10, 2025

#00087579-Pedro J. Solis, 2407 E. Cesar Chavez St., Austin, Texas78702

#00087494 - Darcy Caballero, P.O. Box 41646, Austin, Texas 78704

#00088962 - Cody Jordan, 9301 Spectrum Dr., #2313, Austin, Texas 78717

#00087587 - Samantha P. Vick, 7742 W. Catalpa Avenue, Chicago, Illinois 60656

#00086456 - Debra G. Richmond, 6303 Ames Ct., Austin, Texas 78739

#00089313 - Nathaniel Cunneen, 3007 Cole Ave #223, Dallas, Texas 75204

#00059190 - Kelly McBeth, P.O. Box 5100, Austin, Texas 78763

#00089627 – Marlene R. Vincent, 8043 Crocker Rd., Holton, Michigan 49425

#00052477 – John Robert Marlow, State Government & Industry Affairs, 1210 Baylor St., Austin, Texas 78703

#00085461 - Kenneth W. Flippin, 215 Branch St., Taylor, Texas 76574

#00089649 - Michael T. Hunter, 7201 Pharaoh Dr., Corpus Christi, Texas 78412

#00081889 - A. Bentley Nettles, P.O. Box 313, Wellborn, Texas 77881

#00060146 - John Esparza, 1103 Sabine St., Austin, Texas 78701

#00070672 – Lorena I. Campos, 1005 Congress Ave, Suite 152, Austin, Texas 78701

#00070213 - Amy Lauren DeWeese, 1703 W. 5th St., Suite 500, Austin, Texas 78703

TRD-202502724 James Tinley

Executive Director

Texas Ethics Commission Filed: August 4, 2025

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#### **General Land Office**

Coastal Boundary Survey - Cedar Lakes Bayou, L.E. Parker, A-464 – Sunday, Brazoria County

Surveying Services

Coastal Boundary Survey

Project: Cedar Lakes Bayou, L.E. Parker, A-464 – Sunday

Project No: Project Number: CEPRA # 1711

Project Manager: Carver Wray, Coastal Resources.

Surveyor: Kyle Sunday, Licensed State Land Surveyor

Description: Coastal Boundary Survey dated July 10, 2023, delineating the line of Mean High Water (MHW) of Cedar Lakes Bayou State of Texas Submerged Tract Number 3 adjacent to the C. J. Rogers Survey, Abstract Number 724, Brazoria County, Texas, and the L. E. Parker Survey, Abstract Number 464, Matagorda County, Texas, in connection with CEPRA No. 1711. Centroid coordinates 28°49'49"N, 95°32'08"W, WGS84. A copy of the survey Recorded in Official Public Records, Brazoria County Instrument No. 2025023689, Brazoria County, Texas.

A Coastal Boundary Survey for the above-referenced project has been reviewed and accepted by Surveying Services; upon completion of public notice requirements, the survey will be filed in the Texas General Land Office, Archives and Records, in accordance with provisions of the Tex. Nat. Res. Code §33.136.

bv:

Signed: David Klotz, Staff Surveyor

Date: July 8, 2025

Pursuant to Tex. Nat. Res. Code §33.136, the herein described Coastal Boundary Survey is approved by Dawn Buckingham, M.D., Commissioner of the Texas General Land Office.

by:

Signed: Jennifer Jones, Chief Clerk and Deputy Land Commissioner

Date: July 22, 2025

Filed as: Brazoria County, NRC Article 33.136 Sketch No. 32

Tex. Nat. Res. Code §33.136

TRD-202502732 Jennifer Jones

Chief Clerk and Deputy Land Commissioner

General Land Office Filed: August 4, 2025

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Coastal Boundary Survey - Cedar Lakes-L. Parker A-464, Matagorda - Sunday, Matagorda County

Surveying Services

Coastal Boundary Survey

Project: Cedar Lakes-L. Parker A-464, Matagorda - Sunday

Project No: Project Number: CEPRA # 1711

Project Manager: Carver Wray, Coastal Resources.

Surveyor: Kyle Sunday, Licensed State Land Surveyor

Description: Coastal Boundary Survey dated July 10, 2023, delineating the line of Mean High Water (MHW) of Cedar Lakes, State of Texas Submerged Tract Number 2, and the L. Parker Survey, Abstract Number 464, Matagorda County, Texas, in connection with CEPRA No. 1711. Centroid coordinates 28°49'28" N, 95°32'06" W, WGS84. A copy of the survey recorded in Instrument: 2025-8, Slide 687B, Matagorda County Map Records, Matagorda County, Texas.

A Coastal Boundary Survey for the above-referenced project has been reviewed and accepted by Surveying Services; upon completion of public notice requirements, the survey will be filed in the Texas General Land Office, Archives and Records, in accordance with provisions of the Tex. Nat. Res. Code §33.136.

by:

Signed: David Klotz, Staff Surveyor

Date: July 8, 2025

Pursuant to Tex. Nat. Res. Code §33.136, the herein described Coastal Boundary Survey is approved by Dawn Buckingham, M.D., Commissioner of the Texas General Land Office.

by:

Signed: Jennifer Jones, Chief Clerk and Deputy Land Commissioner

Date: July 22, 2025

Filed as: Matagorda County, NRC Article 33.136 Sketch No. 22

Tex. Nat. Res. Code §33.136

TRD-202502733

Jennifer Jones

Chief Clerk and Deputy Land Commissioner

General Land Office Filed: August 4, 2025

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Coastal Boundary Survey - Cowtrap Lake-Calvin Sumrall, A-368 - Sunday, Brazoria County

Surveying Services

Coastal Boundary Survey

Project: Cowtrap Lake-Calvin Sumrall, A-368 - Sunday

Project No: Project Number: CEPRA # 1711

Project Manager: Carver Wray, Coastal Resources.

Surveyor: Kyle Sunday, Licensed State Land Surveyor

Description: Coastal Boundary Survey dated July 10, 2023, delineating the line of Mean High Water (MHW) of the pass between Cowtrap Lake and Cedar Lakes adjacent to the Calvin Sumrall (C. Sumrels) Survey, Abstract Number 368, Brazoria County, Texas, in connection with CEPRA No. 1711. Centroid coordinates 28°50'50" N, 95°30'30" W, WGS84. A copy of the survey Recorded in Official Public Records, Brazoria County Instrument No. 2025023688, Brazoria County, Texas.

A Coastal Boundary Survey for the above-referenced project has been reviewed and accepted by Surveying Services; upon completion of public notice requirements, the survey will be filed in the Texas General Land Office, Archives and Records, in accordance with provisions of the Tex. Nat. Res. Code §33.136.

by:

Signed: David Klotz, Staff Surveyor

Date: July 8, 2025

Pursuant to Tex. Nat. Res. Code §33.136, the herein described Coastal Boundary Survey is approved by Dawn Buckingham, M.D., Commissioner of the Texas General Land Office.

by:

Signed: Jennifer Jones, Chief Clerk and Deputy Land Commissioner

Date: July 22, 2025

Filed as: Brazoria County, NRC Article 33.136 Sketch No. 34

Tex. Nat. Res. Code §33.136

TRD-202502731
Jennifer Jones
Chief Clerk and Deputy Land Commissioner

General Land Office Filed: August 4, 2025

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Notice and Opportunity to Comment on the Coastal Management Program Section 309 Assessment and Strategies Draft Report

The Texas Coastal Management Program (CMP) is seeking public comments on its 2026-2030 Section 309 Program Assessment and Multi Year (Funding) Strategy.

Section 309 of the Coastal Zone Management Act establishes a voluntary grants program to encourage states with federally approved coastal management programs, to conduct a self-assessment to identify, de-

velop and implement strategies to strengthen and enhance their programs in nine areas. These enhancement areas include: 1) wetlands, 2) coastal hazards, 3) public access, 4) marine debris, 5) cumulative and secondary impacts, 6) special area management plans, 7) ocean resources, 8) energy and government facility siting, and 9) aquaculture.

As a condition of receiving 309 CMP grant funding, the CMP must submit a Section 309 Assessment and Strategies Report to the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration Office for Coastal Management (NOAA-OCM) every five years. Development of the report follows the process outlined in NOAA's guidance document, Coastal Zone Management Act, Section 309 Program Guidance, 2026 to 2030 Enhancement Cycle. The report provides an assessment of the CMP in the nine enhancement areas, identifies program priorities, and proposes strategies that lead to tangible program enhancements for the identified high priority areas over the subsequent five years.

The 309 Assessment and Strategies process provides an opportunity for the CMP, with input from key stakeholders and the public, to determine where strategic opportunities exist for enhancing the CMP in identified high priority enhancement areas. CMP staff will work with partners to fully develop and implement the strategies over the next five years. NOAA-OCM funding is made available to the CMP each year to implement these strategies. Final strategy tasks are subject to change and depend upon the availability of funding.

To review and comment on the draft Section 309 Assessment and Strategies Report, please go to https://www.glo.texas.gov/coastal/protecting-coast/coastal-management-program.You may also obtain a copy of the document by contacting Caroline Jurca, Texas General Land Office, P.O. Box 12873, Austin, Texas 78711-2873, (512) 463-5577, or via email at caroline.jurca@glo.texas.gov.

All comments must be received by September 16, 2025 and should be sent to Caroline Jurca at the mailing address or email address listed above or by filling out the form on the GLO's website, which can be found at the link listed above. The final 309 Assessment and Strategies Report will be submitted to NOAA-OCM for approval upon the close of the 30-day comment period.

TRD-202502772
Jennifer Jones
Chief Clerk and Deputy Land Commissioner
General Land Office
Filed: August 6, 2025

#### **Texas Health and Human Services Commission**

Public Notice: Texas State Plan for Medical Assistance Amendment

The Texas Health and Human Services Commission (HHSC) announces its intent to submit amendments to the Texas State Plan for Medical Assistance, under Title XIX of the Social Security Act. The proposed amendment is effective September 1, 2025.

The purpose of this amendment is to update Personal Care Services (PCS) by implementing the 2026-27 General Appropriations Act, Senate Bill 1, 89th Legislature, Regular Session, 2025 (Article II, HHSC, Rider 23). Rider 23 provides appropriations for HHSC to increase the wage for personal attendants under Medicaid and other programs administered by HHSC to \$13.00 per hour. The requested effective date for the proposed amendment is September 1, 2025.

The proposed amendment is estimated to result in an annual aggregate fee-for-service expenditure of \$216,028 for federal fiscal year 2025, consisting of \$129,617 in federal funds and \$86,411 in state general

revenue. For federal fiscal year 2026, the estimated annual aggregate fee-for-service expenditure is \$2.592.341, consisting of \$1.550.998 in federal funds and \$1,041,343 in state general revenue. For federal fiscal year 2027, the estimated annual aggregate fee-for-service expenditure is \$2.607.146, consisting of \$1.559.334 in federal funds and \$1,047,812 in state general revenue.

Rate Hearing. A rate hearing was conducted on July 16, 2025, in Austin, Texas. Notice of this hearing was posted on https://www.hhs.texas.gov/about/meetings-events. Information and updates about the proposed rate change(s) was made available at https://pfd.hhs.texas.gov/rate-packets.

Copy of Proposed Amendment(s). To obtain copies of the proposed amendment, interested parties may contact Jayasree Sankaran, State Plan Coordinator, by mail at the Health and Human Services Commission, P.O. Box 13247, Mail Code H-600, Austin, Texas 78711; by telephone at (512) 438-4331; by facsimile at (512) 730-7472; or by email at Medicaid Chip SPA Inquiries@hhsc.state.tx.us.

Once submitted to the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services for approval, copies of the proposed amendment will be available for review at the HHSC Access and Eligibility Services for local benefit offices.

Written Comments. Written comments about the proposed amendment and/or requests to review comments may be sent by U.S. mail, overnight mail, special delivery mail, hand delivery, fax, or email:

U.S. Mail

Texas Health and Human Services Commission

Attention: Provider Finance Department, Mail Code H-400

P.O. Box 149030

Austin, Texas 78714-9030

Overnight mail, special delivery mail, or hand delivery

Texas Health and Human Services Commission

Attention: Provider Finance Department, Mail Code H-400

North Austin Complex 4601 West Guadalupe Street

Austin, Texas 78751

Phone number for package delivery: (512) 730-7401

Attention: Provider Finance at (512) 730-7475

Email

PFD-LTSS@hhs.texas.gov

Preferred Communication.

Please use email or phone, if possible, to communicate with HHSC about this state plan amendment for the quickest response.

TRD-202502716 Karen Ray

Chief Counsel

Texas Health and Human Services Commission

Filed: August 1, 2025

Public Notice - Texas State Plan for Medical Assistance

Amendment

The Texas Health and Human Services Commission (HHSC) announces its intent to submit amendments to the Texas State Plan for Medical Assistance, under Title XIX of the Social Security Act. The proposed amendments will be effective September 1, 2025.

The purpose of the amendments is to update the fee schedules in the current state plan by adjusting fees, rates, or charges for the following services:

Physicians and Other Practitioners; and

Early and Periodic Screening, Diagnostic, and Treatment.

The proposed amendments are estimated to result in an increase to annual aggregate expenditure of \$32,771 for federal fiscal year (FFY) 2025, consisting of \$19,607 in federal funds and \$13,164 in state general revenue. For FFY 2026, the estimated result is an increase to annual aggregate expenditure in state of \$397,362 consisting of \$237,662 in federal funds and \$159,700 general revenue. For FFY 2027, the estimated result is an increase to annual aggregate expenditure of \$401,694 consisting of \$240,253 in federal funds and \$161,441 in state general revenue. These modifications are to comply with Senate Bill 1 (S.B.1) Riders 24, 30, and 39, 89th Legislature, Regular Session 2025.

Further detail on specific reimbursement rates and percentage changes will be made available on the HHSC Provider Finance website before the proposed effective date at: https://pfd.hhs.texas.gov/rate-packets.

Rate Hearings.

A rate hearing was conducted in person and online on July 22, 2025. Information about the proposed rate changes and hearing was published in the July 4, 2025, issue of the Texas Register (50 TexReg 3938). Additional information and the notice of hearings can be found at http://www.sos.state.tx.us/texreg/index.shtml.

Copy of Proposed Amendment.

Interested parties may obtain additional information and/or a free copy of the proposed amendment by contacting Jayasree Sankaran, State Plan Policy Advisor, by mail at the Health and Human Services Commission, P.O. Box 13247, Mail Code H-600, Austin, Texas 78711; by telephone at (512) 487-3349; by facsimile at (512) 730-7472; or by e-mail at Medicaid Chip SPA Inquiries@hhsc.state.tx.us. Once submitted to the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services for approval, copies of the proposed amendment will be available for review at the HHSC Access and Eligibility Services for local benefit offices.

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Email

PFDAcuteCare@hhs.texas.gov

Preferred Communication.

For quickest response, please use e-mail or phone, if possible, for communication with HHSC related to this state plan amendment.

TRD-202502760

Karen Ray

Chief Counsel

Texas Health and Human Services Commission

Filed: August 5, 2025



#### Public Notice - Texas State Plan for Medical Assistance Amendment

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The purpose of the amendments is to update the fee schedules in the current state plan by adjusting fees, rates, or charges for the following services:

Physicians and Other Practitioners;

Durable Medical Equipment, Prosthetics, Orthotics, and Supplies (DMEPOS); and

Early and Periodic Screening, Diagnostic, and Treatment (EPSDT).

The proposed amendments are estimated to result in an increase to annual aggregate expenditure of \$6,802 for federal fiscal year (FFY) 2025, consisting of \$4,081 in federal funds and \$2,721 in state general revenue. For FFY 2026, the estimated result is an increase to annual aggregate expenditure in state of \$91,887 consisting of \$54,976 in federal funds and \$36,911 general revenue. For FFY 2027, the estimated result is an increase to annual aggregate expenditure of \$93,150 consisting of \$55,713 in federal funds and \$37,437 in state general revenue.

Further detail on specific reimbursement rates and percentage changes will be made available on the HHSC Provider Finance website before the proposed effective date at: https://pfd.hhs.texas.gov/rate-packets.

#### Rate Hearings.

A rate hearing was conducted in person and online on May 27, 2025. Information about the proposed rate changes and hearing was published in the April 25, 2025, issue of the *Texas Register* (50 TexReg 2645). An additional rate hearing was conducted online on August 4, 2025. Information about the proposed rate changes and hearing was published in the July 25, 2025, issue of the *Texas Register* (50 TexReg 5010). Additional information and the notice of hearings can be found at http://www.sos.state.tx.us/texreg/index.shtml.

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Preferred Communication.

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TRD-202502761

Karen Ray

Chief Counsel

Texas Health and Human Services Commission

Filed: August 5, 2025



Licensing Actions for Radioactive Materials

During the first half of July 2025, the Department of State Health Services (Department) has taken actions regarding Licenses for the possession and use of radioactive materials as listed in the tables (in alphabetical order by location). The subheading "Location" indicates the city in which the radioactive material may be possessed and/or used. The location listing "Throughout TX [Texas]" indicates that the radioactive material may be used on a temporary basis at locations throughout the state.

In issuing new licenses and amending and renewing existing licenses, the Department's Radiation Section has determined that the applicant has complied with the licensing requirements in Title 25 Texas Administrative Code (TAC), Chapter 289, for the noted action. In granting termination of licenses, the Department has determined that the licensee has complied with the applicable decommissioning requirements of 25 TAC, Chapter 289. In granting exemptions to the licensing requirements of Chapter 289, the Department has determined that the exemption is not prohibited by law and will not result in a significant risk to public health and safety and the environment.

A person affected by the actions published in this notice may request a hearing within 30 days of the publication date. A "person affected" is defined as a person who demonstrates that the person has suffered or will suffer actual injury or economic damage and, if the person is not a local government, is (a) a resident of a county, or a county adjacent to the county, in which radioactive material is or will be located, or (b) doing business or has a legal interest in land in the county or adjacent county. 25 TAC §289.205(b)(15); Health and Safety Code §401.003(15). Requests must be made in writing and should contain the words "hearing request," the name and address of the person affected by the agency action, the name and license number of the entity that is the subject of the hearing request, a brief statement of how the person is affected by the action what the requestor seeks as the outcome of the hearing, and the name and address of the attorney if the requestor is represented by an attorney. Send hearing requests by mail to: Hearing Request, Radioactive Material Licensing, MC 2835, PO Box 149347, Austin, Texas 78714-9347, or by fax to: (512) 206-3760, or by e-mail to: RAMlicensing@dshs.texas.gov.

AMENDMENTS TO EXISTING LICENSES ISSUED					
Location of	Name of	License	City of Licensed	Amend-	Date of
Use/Possession	Licensed	Number	Entity	ment	Action
of Material	Entity		,	Number	
AMARILLO	NORTHWEST	L02054	AMARILLO	96	07/01/25
	TEXAS				
	HEALTHCARE				
	SYSTEM INC DBA				
	NORTHWEST				
	TEXAS				
	HEALTHCARE				
A DU TRI OTO NI	SYSTEM	100000	ADLINGTON	0.0	07/02/25
ARLINGTON	COLUMBIA MEDICAL	L02228	ARLINGTON	96	07/02/25
	CENTER OF				
	ARLINGTON				
	SUBSIDIARY LP				
	DBA MEDICAL				
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EL PASO	AKUMIN	L05207	EL PASO	31	07/14/25
	IMAGING TEXAS				
	SOUTHWEST X-				
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HOUSTON	TEXAS HEART	L05229	HOUSTON	22	07/02/25
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HOUSTON	GROUP HARRIS	L04412	HOUSTON	58	07/01/25
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RICHARDSON	HARRIS HEALTH	L02114	RICHARDSON	75	07/07/25
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	DALLAS				
ROUND ROCK	CENTERS FOR	L07061	ROUND ROCK	07	07/11/25
	ADVANCED THYROID				
	THERAPY PLLC				
SAN ANTONIO	THE	L01279	SAN ANTONIO	183	07/14/25
	UNIVERSITY OF				
	TEXAS HEALTH				
	SCIENCE CENTER AT SAN				
	ANTONIO				
THROUGHOUT TX	PROBE	L05112	BENBROOK	46	07/03/25
	TECHNOLOGY				
	SERVICES INC				

AMENDMENTS TO EXISTING LICENSES ISSUED					
Location of	Name of	License	City of Licensed	Amend-	Date of
Use/Possession	Licensed	Number	Entity	ment	Action
of Material	Entity		·	Number	
THROUGHOUT TX	INSPECTION ASSOCIATES INC	L06601	CYPRESS	26	07/03/25
THROUGHOUT TX	OMEGA ASSOCIATES & ENGINEERS LLC	L07247	HOUSTON	02	07/03/25
THROUGHOUT TX	SENTINEL INTEGRITY SOLUTIONS INC	L06735	HOUSTON	17	07/03/25
THROUGHOUT TX	STRONGHOLD INSPECTION LTD	L06918	PASADENA	14	07/11/25
WACO	HILLCREST BAPTIST MEDICAL CENTER DBA BAYLOR SCOTT & WHITE MEDICAL CENTER HILLCREST	L00845	WACO	132	07/07/25

RENEWAL OF LICENSES ISSUED					
Location of	Name of	License	City of Licensed	Amend-	Date of
Use/Possession	Licensed Entity	Number	Entity	ment	Action
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EL PASO	RIO GRANDE UROLOGY PA	L06721	EL PASO	11	07/14/25
MARBLE FALLS	SCOTT & WHITE HOSPITAL - MARBLE FALLS DBA BAYLOR SCOTT & WHITE MEDICAL CENTER - MARBLE FALLS	L06722	MARBLE FALLS	11	07/14/25
THROUGHOUT TX	GEOTEST ENGINEERING INC	L02735	HOUSTON	50	07/10/25

TERMINATIONS OF LICENSES ISSUED					
Location of	Name of	License	City of Licensed	Amend-	Date of
Use/Possession	Licensed Entity	Number	Entity	ment	Action
of Material				Number	
HOUSTON	MEMORIAL HERMANN HEALTH SYSTEM DBA MEMORIAL HERMANN SUGARLAND HOSPITAL	L03457	HOUSTON	85	07/01/25
HOUSTON	MEMORIAL HERMANN HEALTH SYSTEM	L03772	HOUSTON	186	07/01/25

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#### **Texas Department of Insurance**

Company Licensing

Application for Watford Insurance Company, a foreign fire and/or casualty company, to change its name to Arch Wilsure Insurance Company. The home office is in Kansas City, Missouri.

Application for Life Insurance Company of Alabama, a foreign life, accident, and/or health company, to change its name to Texas Republic Administration Corporation. The home office is in Gadsden, Alabama.

Application to do business in the state of Texas for Cajun Underwriters Reciprocal Exchange, a foreign reciprocal. The home office is in Temple Terrace, Florida.

Any objections must be filed with the Texas Department of Insurance, within twenty (20) calendar days from the date of the *Texas Register* publication, addressed to the attention of Andrew Guerrero, 1601 Congress Ave., Suite 6.900, Austin, Texas 78701.

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# Texas Department of Insurance, Division of Workers' Compensation

Proposed Fiscal Year 2026 Research Agenda

Workers' Compensation Research and Evaluation Group

Introduction

Labor Code §405.0026 requires the Workers' Compensation Research and Evaluation Group (REG) to prepare a research agenda each year for the commissioner to review, approve, and publish in the *Texas Register*.

Labor Code §405.0025 requires the REG to conduct professional studies and research related to how effectively the workers' compensation system operates.

Texas Insurance Code §1305.502 requires the REG to develop and issue an informational report card each even-numbered year that objectively identifies and compares certified health care networks with each other and with claims outside of those networks.

Proposed Fiscal Year 2026 Research Agenda

The REG proposes the following research projects:

- 1. Completion and publication of the 18th Edition of the Workers' Compensation Health Care Network Report Card (required under Insurance Code §1305.502(a)(d) and Labor Code §405.0025(b)).
- 2. An update of medical costs and utilization in the Texas workers' compensation system.
- 3. An update of return-to-work outcomes for injured employees, including an examination of Texas injured employees' initial and sustained return-to-work rates and wage-recovery rates.

The REG will consider expanding the scope of the research projects or conducting more projects to accommodate stakeholder suggestions, subject to the resources and data available.

Request for Comments or Public Hearing

You may submit comments on the Proposed Fiscal Year 2026 Research Agenda or request a public hearing in writing no later than 5:00 p.m., Central time, on September 15, 2025. A hearing request must be on a separate page from any written comments.

Email your comments or hearing request to RuleComments@tdi.texas.gov or mail them to DWC Legal Services, MC-LS, Texas Department of Insurance, Division of Workers' Compensation, P.O. Box 12050, Austin, Texas 78711-2050.

Copies of the proposed research agenda are on the TDI website. Please email any questions about this agenda to Botao Shi at wcresearch@tdi.texas.gov.

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#### **Texas Lottery Commission**

Scratch Ticket Game Number 2667 "BINGO TIMES 20"

- 1.0 Name and Style of Scratch Ticket Game.
- A. The name of Scratch Ticket Game No. 2667 is "BINGO TIMES 20". The play style is "bingo".
- 1.1 Price of Scratch Ticket Game.
- A. The price for Scratch Ticket Game No. 2667 shall be \$5.00 per Scratch Ticket.
- 1.2 Definitions in Scratch Ticket Game No. 2667.
- A. Display Printing That area of the Scratch Ticket outside of the area where the overprint and Play Symbols appear.
- B. Latex Overprint The removable scratch-off covering over the Play Symbols on the front of the Scratch Ticket.
- C. Play Symbol The printed data under the latex on the front of the Scratch Ticket that is used to determine eligibility for a prize. Each Play Symbol is printed in Symbol font in black ink in positive except for dual-image games. The possible black Play Symbols are: BAR SYMBOL, BELL SYMBOL, CROWN SYMBOL, DIAMOND SYMBOL,
- STAR SYMBOL, POT OF GOLD SYMBOL, HORSESHOE SYMBOL, CHERRY SYMBOL, B01, B02, B03, B04, B05, B06, B07, B08, B09, B10, B11, B12, B13, B14, B15, I16, I17, I18, I19, I21, I22, I23, I24, I25, I26, I27, I28, I29, I30, N31, N32, N33, N34, N35, N36, N37, N38, N39, N40, N41, N42, N43, N44, N45, G46, G47, G48, G49, G50, G51, G52, G53, G54, G55, G56, G57, G58, G59, G60, O61, O62, O63, O64, O65, O66, O67, O68, O69, O70, O71, O72, O73, O74, O75, 01, 02, 03, 04, 05, 06, 07, 08, 09, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 61, 62, 63, 64, 65, 66, 67, 68, 69, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, 75, FREE SYMBOL and X20 SYMBOL.
- D. Play Symbol Caption The printed material appearing below each Play Symbol which explains the Play Symbol. One caption appears under each Play Symbol and is printed in caption font in black ink in positive. Crossword and Bingo style games do not typically have Play Symbol captions. The Play Symbol Caption which corresponds with and verifies each Play Symbol is as follows:

Figure 1: GAME NO. 2667 - 1.2D

PLAY SYMBOL	CAPTION
BAR SYMBOL	BAR
BELL SYMBOL	BELL
CROWN SYMBOL	CRN
DIAMOND SYMBOL	DMD
STAR SYMBOL	STAR
POT OF GOLD SYMBOL	PTGD
HORSESHOE SYMBOL	SHOE
CHERRY SYMBOL	CHRY
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X20 SYMBOL	

- E. Serial Number A unique thirteen (13) digit number appearing under the latex scratch-off covering on the front of the Scratch Ticket. The Serial Number is for validation purposes and cannot be used to play the game. The format will be: 0000000000000.
- F. Bar Code A twenty-four (24) character interleaved two (2) of five (5) Bar Code which will include a four (4) digit game ID, the seven (7) digit Pack number, the three (3) digit Ticket number and the ten (10) digit Validation Number. The Bar Code appears on the back of the Scratch Ticket.
- G. Game-Pack-Ticket Number A fourteen (14) digit number consisting of the four (4) digit game number (2667), a seven (7) digit Pack number, and a three (3) digit Ticket number. Ticket numbers start with 001 and end with 075 within each Pack. The format will be: 2667-0000001-001.
- H. Pack A Pack of the "BINGO TIMES 20" Scratch Ticket Game contains 075 Tickets, packed in plastic shrink-wrapping and fanfolded in pages of one (1). The Packs will alternate. One will show the front of Ticket 001 and back of 075 while the other fold will show the back of Ticket 001 and front of 075.
- I. Non-Winning Scratch Ticket A Scratch Ticket which is not programmed to be a winning Scratch Ticket or a Scratch Ticket that does not meet all of the requirements of these Game Procedures, the State Lottery Act (Texas Government Code, Chapter 466), and applicable rules adopted by the Texas Lottery pursuant to the State Lottery Act and referenced in 16 TAC, Chapter 401.
- J. Scratch Ticket Game, Scratch Ticket or Ticket Texas Lottery "BINGO TIMES 20" Scratch Ticket Game No. 2667.
- 2.0 Determination of Prize Winners. The determination of prize winners is subject to the general Scratch Ticket validation requirements set forth in Texas Lottery Rule 401.302, Scratch Ticket Game Rules, these

Game Procedures, and the requirements set out on the back of each Scratch Ticket. A prize winner in the "BINGO TIMES 20" Scratch Ticket Game is determined once the latex on the Scratch Ticket is scratched off to expose the Play Symbols as indicated per the game instructions from the total of one hundred eighty-one (181) Play Symbols. BINGO TIMES 20 PLAY INSTRUCTIONS: The player completely scratches the "CALLER'S CARD" area and the "5 BONUS NUMBERS" area to reveal a total of twenty-nine (29) Bingo Numbers. The player scratches only those Bingo Numbers on the six (6) "BINGO CARDS" that match the "CALLER'S CARD" Bingo Numbers and the "5 BONUS NUMBERS" Bingo Numbers. The player also scratches the "X20" spaces and the "FREE" spaces on the six (6) "BINGO CARDS". If the player matches all Bingo Numbers in a complete vertical, horizontal or diagonal line (five (5) Bingo Numbers, four (4) Bingo Numbers + "FREE" space, four (4) Bingo Numbers + "X20" space, or three (3) Bingo Numbers + "X20" space + "FREE" space), the player wins the prize in the corresponding prize legend for that "BINGO CARD". If the player matches all Bingo Numbers in all four (4) corners, the player wins the prize in the corresponding prize legend for that "BINGO CARD". If the player matches all Bingo Numbers to complete an "X" (eight (8) Bingo Numbers + "FREE" space), the player wins the prize in the corresponding prize legend for that "BINGO CARD". X20 PLAY INSTRUCTIONS: If a completed LINE pattern in any of the six (6) "BINGO CARDS" contains a "X20" symbol, the player wins 20 TIMES the LINE prize in the corresponding prize legend for that "BINGO CARD". Note: Only the highest prize per "BINGO CARD" will be paid. BONUS GAME PLAY INSTRUCTIONS: If the player reveals 2 matching symbols in the BONUS GAME, the player wins \$20. No portion of the Display Printing nor any extraneous matter whatsoever shall be usable or playable as a part of the Scratch Ticket. No portion of the Display Printing nor any extraneous matter whatsoever shall be usable or playable as a part of the Scratch Ticket.

- 2.1 Scratch Ticket Validation Requirements.
- A. To be a valid Scratch Ticket, all of the following requirements must be met:
- 1. Exactly one hundred eighty-one (181) Play Symbols must appear under the Latex Overprint on the front portion of the Scratch Ticket;
- 2. Each of the Play Symbols must have a Play Symbol Caption underneath, unless specified, and each Play Symbol must agree with its Play Symbol Caption. Crossword and Bingo style games do not typically have Play Symbol captions;
- 3. Each of the Play Symbols must be present in its entirety and be fully legible;
- 4. Each of the Play Symbols must be printed in black ink except for dual image games;
- 5. The Scratch Ticket shall be intact;
- 6. The Serial Number and Game-Pack-Ticket Number must be present in their entirety and be fully legible;
- 7. The Serial Number must correspond, using the Texas Lottery's codes, to the Play Symbols on the Scratch Ticket;
- 8. The Scratch Ticket must not have a hole punched through it, be mutilated, altered, unreadable, reconstituted or tampered with in any manner;
- 9. The Scratch Ticket must not be counterfeit in whole or in part;
- 10. The Scratch Ticket must have been issued by the Texas Lottery in an authorized manner;
- 11. The Scratch Ticket must not have been stolen, nor appear on any list of omitted Scratch Tickets or non-activated Scratch Tickets on file at the Texas Lottery;
- 12. The Play Symbols, Serial Number and Game-Pack-Ticket Number must be right side up and not reversed in any manner;
- 13. The Scratch Ticket must be complete and not miscut, and have exactly one hundred eighty-one (181) Play Symbols under the Latex Overprint on the front portion of the Scratch Ticket, exactly one Serial Number and exactly one Game-Pack-Ticket Number on the Scratch Ticket;
- 14. The Serial Number of an apparent winning Scratch Ticket shall correspond with the Texas Lottery's Serial Numbers for winning Scratch Tickets, and a Scratch Ticket with that Serial Number shall not have been paid previously;
- 15. The Scratch Ticket must not be blank or partially blank, misregistered, defective or printed or produced in error;
- 16. Each of the one hundred eighty-one (181) Play Symbols must be exactly one of those described in Section 1.2.C of these Game Procedures;
- 17. Each of the one hundred eighty-one (181) Play Symbols on the Scratch Ticket must be printed in the Symbol font and must correspond precisely to the artwork on file at the Texas Lottery; the Scratch Ticket Serial Numbers must be printed in the Serial font and must correspond precisely to the artwork on file at the Texas Lottery; and the Game-Pack-Ticket Number must be printed in the Game-Pack-Ticket Number font and must correspond precisely to the artwork on file at the Texas Lottery;
- 18. The Display Printing on the Scratch Ticket must be regular in every respect and correspond precisely to the artwork on file at the Texas Lottery; and

- 19. The Scratch Ticket must have been received by the Texas Lottery by applicable deadlines.
- B. The Scratch Ticket must pass all additional validation tests provided for in these Game Procedures, the Texas Lottery's Rules governing the award of prizes of the amount to be validated, and any confidential validation and security tests of the Texas Lottery.
- C. Any Scratch Ticket not passing all of the validation requirements is void and ineligible for any prize and shall not be paid. However, the Executive Director may, solely at the Executive Director's discretion, refund the retail sales price of the Scratch Ticket. In the event a defective Scratch Ticket is purchased, the only responsibility or liability of the Texas Lottery shall be to replace the defective Scratch Ticket with another unplayed Scratch Ticket in that Scratch Ticket Game (or a Scratch Ticket of equivalent sales price from any other current Texas Lottery Scratch Ticket Game) or refund the retail sales price of the Scratch Ticket, solely at the Executive Director's discretion.
- 2.2 Programmed Game Parameters.
- A. GENERAL: Consecutive Non-Winning Tickets within a Pack will not have matching patterns, in the same order, of Play Symbols.
- B. BONUS GAME: Two (2) matching "BONUS GAME" Play Symbols will only appear on winning Tickets as dictated by the prize structure.
- C. BINGO: The number range used for each letter (B,I,N,G,O) will be as follows: B (1-15), I (16-19, 21-30), N (31-45), G (46-60) and O (61-75).
- D. BINGO: No matching Play Symbols will appear in the "CALLER'S CARD" or "5 BONUS NUMBERS" Play Symbol spots.
- E. BINGO: Each Play Symbol in the "CALLER'S CARD" and the "5 BONUS NUMBERS" will appear on at least one (1) of the "BINGO CARDS".
- F. BINGO: There will be one (1) "FREE" Play Symbol per card fixed in the center of each "BINGO CARD".
- G. BINGO: Each "BINGO CARD" on a Ticket will be different. Two (2) cards match if they have the same Play Symbols (numbers) in the same spots.
- H. BINGO: No matching Play Symbols (numbers) will appear within each "BINGO CARD".
- I. BINGO: There can only be one (1) winning pattern on each "BINGO CARD".
- J. BINGO: Non-winning "BINGO CARDS" will match a minimum of three (3) Play Symbols (numbers).
- K. BINGO: The "X20" Play Symbol will win 20 TIMES the prize and will win as dictated by the prize structure.
- L. BINGO: There will be one (1) "X20" Play Symbol on each of the six (6) "BINGO CARDS", but the "X20" Play Symbol will never appear in a corner or inside the "X" pattern of a "BINGO CARD".
- 2.3 Procedure for Claiming Prizes.
- A. To claim a "BINGO TIMES 20" Scratch Ticket Game prize of \$5.00, \$10.00, \$15.00, \$20.00, \$25.00, \$30.00, \$50.00, \$100, \$200, \$300, \$400 or \$500, a claimant shall sign the back of the Scratch Ticket in the space designated on the Scratch Ticket and may present the winning Scratch Ticket to any Texas Lottery Retailer. The Texas Lottery Retailer shall verify the claim and, if valid, and upon presentation of proper identification, if appropriate, make payment of the amount due the claimant and physically void the Scratch Ticket; provided that the Texas Lottery Retailer may, but is not required, to pay a \$25.00, \$30.00,

- \$50.00, \$100, \$200, \$300, \$400 or \$500 Scratch Ticket Game. In the event the Texas Lottery Retailer cannot verify the claim, the Texas Lottery Retailer shall provide the claimant with a claim form and instruct the claimant on how to file a claim with the Texas Lottery. If the claim is validated by the Texas Lottery, a check shall be forwarded to the claimant in the amount due. In the event the claim is not validated, the claim shall be denied and the claimant shall be notified promptly. A claimant may also claim any of the above prizes under the procedure described in Section 2.3.B and Section 2.3.C of these Game Procedures.
- B. To claim a "BINGO TIMES 20" Scratch Ticket Game prize of \$1,000 or \$100,000, the claimant must sign the winning Scratch Ticket and may present it at one of the Texas Lottery's Claim Centers. If the claim is validated by the Texas Lottery, payment will be made to the bearer of the validated winning Scratch Ticket for that prize upon presentation of proper identification. When paying a prize of \$600 or more, the Texas Lottery shall file the appropriate income reporting form with the Internal Revenue Service (IRS) and shall withhold federal income tax at a rate set by the IRS if required. In the event that the claim is not validated by the Texas Lottery, the claim shall be denied and the claimant shall be notified promptly.
- C. As an alternative method of claiming a "BINGO TIMES 20" Scratch Ticket Game prize, the claimant may submit the signed winning Scratch Ticket and a thoroughly completed claim form via mail. If a prize value is \$1,000,000 or more, the claimant must also provide proof of Social Security number or Tax Payer Identification (for U.S. Citizens or Resident Aliens). Mail all to: Texas Lottery Commission, P.O. Box 16600, Austin, Texas 78761-6600. The Texas Lottery is not responsible for Scratch Tickets lost in the mail. In the event that the claim is not validated by the Texas Lottery, the claim shall be denied and the claimant shall be notified promptly.
- D. Prior to payment by the Texas Lottery of any prize, the Texas Lottery shall deduct the amount of a delinquent tax or other money from the winnings of a prize winner who has been finally determined to be:
- 1. delinquent in the payment of a tax or other money to a state agency and that delinquency is reported to the Comptroller under Government Code §403.055;
- 2. in default on a loan made under Chapter 52, Education Code;
- 3. in default on a loan guaranteed under Chapter 57, Education Code; or
- 4. delinquent in child support payments in the amount determined by a court or a Title IV-D agency under Chapter 231, Family Code.
- E. If a person is indebted or owes delinquent taxes to the State, other than those specified in the preceding paragraph, the winnings of a person shall be withheld until the debt or taxes are paid.
- 2.4 Allowance for Delay of Payment. The Texas Lottery may delay payment of the prize pending a final determination by the Executive Director, under any of the following circumstances:
- A. if a dispute occurs, or it appears likely that a dispute may occur, regarding the prize;
- B. if there is any question regarding the identity of the claimant;

- C. if there is any question regarding the validity of the Scratch Ticket presented for payment; or
- D. if the claim is subject to any deduction from the payment otherwise due, as described in Section 2.3.D of these Game Procedures. No liability for interest for any delay shall accrue to the benefit of the claimant pending payment of the claim.
- 2.5 Payment of Prizes to Persons Under 18. If a person under the age of 18 years is entitled to a cash prize under \$600 from the "BINGO TIMES 20" Scratch Ticket Game, the Texas Lottery shall deliver to an adult member of the minor's family or the minor's guardian a check or warrant in the amount of the prize payable to the order of the minor.
- 2.6 If a person under the age of 18 years is entitled to a cash prize of \$600 or more from the "BINGO TIMES 20" Scratch Ticket Game, the Texas Lottery shall deposit the amount of the prize in a custodial bank account, with an adult member of the minor's family or the minor's guardian serving as custodian for the minor.
- 2.7 Scratch Ticket Claim Period. All Scratch Ticket prizes must be claimed within 180 days following the end of the Scratch Ticket Game or within the applicable time period for certain eligible military personnel as set forth in Texas Government Code §466.408. Any rights to a prize that is not claimed within that period, and in the manner specified in these Game Procedures and on the back of each Scratch Ticket, shall be forfeited.
- 2.8 Disclaimer. The number of prizes in a game is approximate based on the number of Scratch Tickets ordered. The number of actual prizes available in a game may vary based on number of Scratch Tickets manufactured, testing, distribution, sales and number of prizes claimed. A Scratch Ticket Game may continue to be sold even when all the top prizes have been claimed.
- 3.0 Scratch Ticket Ownership.
- A. Until such time as a signature is placed upon the back portion of a Scratch Ticket in the space designated, a Scratch Ticket shall be owned by the physical possessor of said Scratch Ticket. When a signature is placed on the back of the Scratch Ticket in the space designated, the player whose signature appears in that area shall be the owner of the Scratch Ticket and shall be entitled to any prize attributable thereto. Notwithstanding any name or names submitted on a claim form, the Executive Director shall make payment to the player whose signature appears on the back of the Scratch Ticket in the space designated. If more than one name appears on the back of the Scratch Ticket, the Executive Director will require that one of those players whose name appears thereon be designated by such players to receive payment.
- B. The Texas Lottery shall not be responsible for lost or stolen Scratch Tickets and shall not be required to pay on a lost or stolen Scratch Ticket
- 4.0 Number and Value of Scratch Prizes. There will be approximately 17,040,000 Scratch Tickets in Scratch Ticket Game No. 2667. The approximate number and value of prizes in the game are as follows:

Figure 2: GAME NO. 2667 - 4.0

Prize Amount	Approximate Number of Winners*	Approximate Odds are 1 in
\$5.00	1,760,800	9.68
\$10.00	908,800	18.75
\$15.00	397,600	42.86
\$20.00	284,000	60.00
\$25.00	340,800	50.00
\$30.00	56,800	300.00
\$50.00	181,080	94.10
\$100	56,800	300.00
\$200	3,834	4,444.44
\$300	1,988	8,571.43
\$400	1,704	10,000.00
\$500	1,988	8,571.43
\$1,000	12	1,420,000.00
\$100,000	5	3,408,000.00

<sup>\*</sup>The number of prizes in a game is approximate based on the number of tickets ordered. The number of actual prizes available in a game may vary based on number of tickets manufactured, testing, distribution, sales and number of prizes claimed.

A. The actual number of Scratch Tickets in the game may be increased or decreased at the sole discretion of the Texas Lottery Commission.

5.0 End of the Scratch Ticket Game. The Executive Director may, at any time, announce a closing date (end date) for the Scratch Ticket Game No. 2667 without advance notice, at which point no further Scratch Tickets in that game may be sold. The determination of the closing date and reasons for closing will be made in accordance with the Scratch Ticket closing procedures and the Scratch Ticket Game Rules. See 16 TAC §401.302(j).

6.0 Governing Law. In purchasing a Scratch Ticket, the player agrees to comply with, and abide by, these Game Procedures for Scratch Ticket Game No. 2667, the State Lottery Act (Texas Government Code, Chapter 466), applicable rules adopted by the Texas Lottery pursuant to the State Lottery Act and referenced in 16 TAC, Chapter 401, and all final decisions of the Executive Director.

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Texas Lottery Commission
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Scratch Ticket Game Number 2689 "CASINO MILLIONS"

1.0 Name and Style of Scratch Ticket Game.

A. The name of Scratch Ticket Game No. 2689 is "CASINO MILLIONS". The play style is "key number match".

1.1 Price of Scratch Ticket Game.

<sup>\*\*</sup>The overall odds of winning a prize are 1 in 4.26. The individual odds of winning for a particular prize level may vary based on sales, distribution, testing, and number of prizes claimed.

- A. The price for Scratch Ticket Game No. 2689 shall be \$50.00 per Scratch Ticket.
- 1.2 Definitions in Scratch Ticket Game No. 2689.
- A. Display Printing That area of the Scratch Ticket outside of the area where the overprint and Play Symbols appear.
- B. Latex Overprint The removable scratch-off covering over the Play Symbols on the front of the Scratch Ticket.
- C. Play Symbol The printed data under the latex on the front of the Scratch Ticket that is used to determine eligibility for a prize. Each Play Symbol is printed in Symbol font in black ink in positive except for dual-image games. The possible black Play Symbols are: 01, 03, 04,
- 06, 07, 08, 09, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, STACK OF CASH SYMBOL, 2X SYMBOL, 5X SYMBOL, 10X SYMBOL, \$50.00, \$100, \$200, \$300, \$500, \$1,000, \$5,000 and \$1,000,000.
- D. Play Symbol Caption The printed material appearing below each Play Symbol which explains the Play Symbol. One caption appears under each Play Symbol and is printed in caption font in black ink in positive. The Play Symbol Caption which corresponds with and verifies each Play Symbol is as follows:

Figure 1: GAME NO. 2689 - 1.2D

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33	TRTH
34	TRFR
35	TRFV
36	TRSX
37	TRSV
38	TRET
39	TRNI
40	FRTY
41	FRON
42	FRTO
43	FRTH
44	FRFR
45	FRFV
46	FRSX
47	FRSV
48	FRET
49	FRNI
50	FFTY
51	FFON
52	FFTO
53	FFTH
54	FFFR
55	FFFV
STACK OF CASH SYMBOL	WIN\$
2X SYMBOL	DBL
5X SYMBOL	WINX5
10X SYMBOL	WINX10

\$50.00	FFTY\$
\$100	ONHN
\$200	TOHN
\$300	THHN
\$500	FVHN
\$1,000	ONTH
\$5,000	FVTH
\$1,000,000	TPPZ

- E. Serial Number A unique thirteen (13) digit number appearing under the latex scratch-off covering on the front of the Scratch Ticket. The Serial Number is for validation purposes and cannot be used to play the game. The format will be: 00000000000000.
- F. Bar Code A twenty-four (24) character interleaved two (2) of five (5) Bar Code which will include a four (4) digit game ID, the seven (7) digit Pack number, the three (3) digit Ticket number and the ten (10) digit Validation Number. The Bar Code appears on the back of the Scratch Ticket.
- G. Game-Pack-Ticket Number A fourteen (14) digit number consisting of the four (4) digit game number (2689), a seven (7) digit Pack number, and a three (3) digit Ticket number. Ticket numbers start with 001 and end with 020 within each Pack. The format will be: 2689-0000001-001.
- H. Pack A Pack of the "CASINO MILLIONS" Scratch Ticket Game contains 020 Tickets, packed in plastic shrink-wrapping and fanfolded in pages of one (1). The back of Ticket 001 will be shown on the front of the Pack; the back of Ticket 020 will be revealed on the back of the Pack. All Packs will be tightly shrink-wrapped. There will be no breaks between the Tickets in a Pack.
- I. Non-Winning Scratch Ticket A Scratch Ticket which is not programmed to be a winning Scratch Ticket or a Scratch Ticket that does not meet all of the requirements of these Game Procedures, the State Lottery Act (Texas Government Code, Chapter 466), and applicable rules adopted by the Texas Lottery pursuant to the State Lottery Act and referenced in 16 TAC, Chapter 401.
- J. Scratch Ticket Game, Scratch Ticket or Ticket Texas Lottery "CASINO MILLIONS" Scratch Ticket Game No. 2689.
- 2.0 Determination of Prize Winners. The determination of prize winners is subject to the general Scratch Ticket validation requirements set forth in Texas Lottery Rule 401.302, Scratch Ticket Game Rules, these Game Procedures, and the requirements set out on the back of each Scratch Ticket. A prize winner in the "CASINO MILLIONS" Scratch Ticket Game is determined once the latex on the Scratch Ticket is scratched off to expose eighty-one (81) Play Symbols. BONUS play areas: If the player reveals 2 matching prize amounts in the same BONUS, the player wins that amount. GAMES 1 5: In each GAME, if the player matches any of the YOUR NUMBERS Play Symbols to the DEALER'S NUMBER Play Symbol, the player wins the prize for that number. If the player reveals a "STACK OF CASH" Play Sym-

bol, the player wins the prize for that symbol instantly. If the player reveals a "2X" Play Symbol, the player wins DOUBLE the prize for that symbol. If the player reveals a "5X" Play Symbol, the player wins 5 TIMES the prize for that symbol. If the player reveals a "10X" Play Symbol, the player wins 10 TIMES the prize for that symbol. EACH GAME IS PLAYED SEPARATELY. No portion of the Display Printing nor any extraneous matter whatsoever shall be usable or playable as a part of the Scratch Ticket.

- 2.1 Scratch Ticket Validation Requirements.
- A. To be a valid Scratch Ticket, all of the following requirements must be met:
- 1. Exactly eighty-one (81) Play Symbols must appear under the Latex Overprint on the front portion of the Scratch Ticket;
- 2. Each of the Play Symbols must have a Play Symbol Caption underneath, unless specified, and each Play Symbol must agree with its Play Symbol Caption;
- 3. Each of the Play Symbols must be present in its entirety and be fully legible;
- 4. Each of the Play Symbols must be printed in black ink except for dual image games;
- 5. The Scratch Ticket shall be intact;
- 6. The Serial Number and Game-Pack-Ticket Number must be present in their entirety and be fully legible;
- 7. The Serial Number must correspond, using the Texas Lottery's codes, to the Play Symbols on the Scratch Ticket;
- 8. The Scratch Ticket must not have a hole punched through it, be mutilated, altered, unreadable, reconstituted or tampered with in any manner;
- 9. The Scratch Ticket must not be counterfeit in whole or in part;
- 10. The Scratch Ticket must have been issued by the Texas Lottery in an authorized manner;
- 11. The Scratch Ticket must not have been stolen, nor appear on any list of omitted Scratch Tickets or non-activated Scratch Tickets on file at the Texas Lottery;
- 12. The Play Symbols, Serial Number and Game-Pack-Ticket Number must be right side up and not reversed in any manner;

- 13. The Scratch Ticket must be complete and not miscut, and have exactly eighty-one (81) Play Symbols under the Latex Overprint on the front portion of the Scratch Ticket, exactly one Serial Number and exactly one Game-Pack-Ticket Number on the Scratch Ticket;
- 14. The Serial Number of an apparent winning Scratch Ticket shall correspond with the Texas Lottery's Serial Numbers for winning Scratch Tickets, and a Scratch Ticket with that Serial Number shall not have been paid previously;
- 15. The Scratch Ticket must not be blank or partially blank, misregistered, defective or printed or produced in error;
- 16. Each of the eighty-one (81) Play Symbols must be exactly one of those described in Section 1.2.C of these Game Procedures;
- 17. Each of the eighty-one (81) Play Symbols on the Scratch Ticket must be printed in the Symbol font and must correspond precisely to the artwork on file at the Texas Lottery; the Scratch Ticket Serial Numbers must be printed in the Serial font and must correspond precisely to the artwork on file at the Texas Lottery; and the Game-Pack-Ticket Number must be printed in the Game-Pack-Ticket Number font and must correspond precisely to the artwork on file at the Texas Lottery;
- 18. The Display Printing on the Scratch Ticket must be regular in every respect and correspond precisely to the artwork on file at the Texas Lottery; and
- 19. The Scratch Ticket must have been received by the Texas Lottery by applicable deadlines.
- B. The Scratch Ticket must pass all additional validation tests provided for in these Game Procedures, the Texas Lottery's Rules governing the award of prizes of the amount to be validated, and any confidential validation and security tests of the Texas Lottery.
- C. Any Scratch Ticket not passing all of the validation requirements is void and ineligible for any prize and shall not be paid. However, the Executive Director may, solely at the Executive Director's discretion, refund the retail sales price of the Scratch Ticket. In the event a defective Scratch Ticket is purchased, the only responsibility or liability of the Texas Lottery shall be to replace the defective Scratch Ticket with another unplayed Scratch Ticket in that Scratch Ticket Game (or a Scratch Ticket of equivalent sales price from any other current Texas Lottery Scratch Ticket Game) or refund the retail sales price of the Scratch Ticket, solely at the Executive Director's discretion.
- 2.2 Programmed Game Parameters.
- A. GENERAL: Consecutive Non-Winning Tickets within a Pack will not have matching patterns, in the same order, of either Play Symbols or Prize Symbols.
- B. GENERAL: A Ticket can win as indicated by the prize structure.
- C. GENERAL: A Ticket can win up to thirty-eight (38) times.
- D. GENERAL: The "STACK OF CASH" (WIN\$), "2X" (DBL), "5X" (WINX5) and "10X" (WINX10) Play Symbols will never appear in any of the three (3) BONUS play areas.
- E. BONUS: A Ticket can win up to one (1) time in each of the three (3) BONUS play areas.
- F. BONUS: A non-winning Prize Symbol in a BONUS play area will never match another non-winning Prize Symbol from another BONUS play area.
- G. BONUS: Non-winning Prize Symbols in a BONUS play area will not be the same as winning Prize Symbols from another BONUS play

- H. BONUS: A non-winning BONUS play area will have two (2) different Prize Symbols.
- I. BONUS: A Prize Symbol will never appear more than two (2) times across the three (3) BONUS play areas, except as required to create multiple wins.
- J. CASINO MILLIONS GAMES 1 5: A Ticket can win up to thirty-five (35) times in GAMES 1 5.
- K. CASINO MILLIONS GAMES 1 5: Consecutive Non-Winning Tickets within a Pack will not have matching GAMES.
- L. CASINO MILLIONS GAMES 1 5: All non-winning YOUR NUMBERS Play Symbols will be different.
- M. CASINO MILLIONS GAMES 1 5: Non-winning Prize Symbols will not match a winning Prize Symbol on a Ticket.
- N. CASINO MILLIONS GAMES 1 5: Non-winning Prize Symbols will not appear more than three (3) times in the same GAME.
- O. CASINO MILLIONS GAMES 1 5: All DEALER'S NUMBER Play Symbols will be different.
- P. CASINO MILLIONS GAMES 1 5: On all Tickets, a Prize Symbol will not appear more than seven (7) times, except as required by the prize structure to create multiple wins.
- Q. CASINO MILLIONS GAMES 1 5: On Non-Winning Tickets, a DEALER'S NUMBER Play Symbol will never match a YOUR NUMBERS Play Symbol.
- R. CASINO MILLIONS GAMES 1 5: On both winning and Non-Winning Tickets, a DEALER'S NUMBER Play Symbol in a GAME will never match a YOUR NUMBERS Play Symbol from a different GAME.
- S. CASINO MILLIONS GAMES 1 5: All YOUR NUMBERS Play Symbols will never equal the corresponding Prize Symbol (i.e., 50 and \$50).
- T. CASINO MILLIONS GAMES 1 5: On winning and Non-Winning Tickets, the top cash prizes of \$1,000, \$5,000 and \$1,000,000 will each appear at least one (1) time, except on Tickets winning thirty-eight (38) times and with respect to other parameters, play action or prize structure.
- U. CASINO MILLIONS GAMES 1 5: The "STACK OF CASH" (WIN\$) Play Symbol will never appear as a DEALER'S NUMBER Play Symbol.
- V. CASINO MILLIONS GAMES 1 5: The "STACK OF CASH" (WIN\$) Play Symbol will win the prize for that Play Symbol.
- W. CASINO MILLIONS GAMES 1 5: The "STACK OF CASH" (WIN\$) Play Symbol will never appear more than one (1) time on a Ticket.
- X. CASINO MILLIONS GAMES 1 5: The "STACK OF CASH" (WIN\$) Play Symbol will never appear on a Non-Winning Ticket.
- Y. CASINO MILLIONS GAMES 1 5: On Tickets winning with the "STACK OF CASH" (WIN\$) Play Symbol, the YOUR NUMBERS Play Symbols will not match any of the DEALER'S NUMBER Play Symbols.
- Z. CASINO MILLIONS GAMES 1 5: The "2X" (DBL) Play Symbol will never appear as a DEALER'S NUMBER Play Symbol.
- AA. CASINO MILLIONS GAMES 1 5: The "2X" (DBL) Play Symbol will never appear on a Non-Winning Ticket.

- BB. CASINO MILLIONS GAMES 1 5: The "2X" (DBL) Play Symbol will win DOUBLE the prize for that Play Symbol and will win as per the prize structure.
- CC. CASINO MILLIONS GAMES 1 5: The "2X" (DBL) Play Symbol will never appear more than one (1) time on a Ticket.
- DD. CASINO MILLIONS GAMES 1 5: The "5X" (WINX5) Play Symbol will never appear as a DEALER'S NUMBER Play Symbol.
- EE. CASINO MILLIONS GAMES 1 5: The "5X" (WINX5) Play Symbol will never appear on a Non-Winning Ticket.
- FF. CASINO MILLIONS GAMES 1 5: The "5X" (WINX5) Play Symbol will win 5 TIMES the prize for that Play Symbol and will win as per the prize structure.
- GG. CASINO MILLIONS GAMES 1 5: The "5X" (WINX5) Play Symbol will never appear more than one (1) time on a Ticket.
- HH. CASINO MILLIONS GAMES 1 5: The "10X" (WINX10) Play Symbol will never appear as a DEALER'S NUMBER Play Symbol.
- II. CASINO MILLIONS GAMES 1 5: The "10X" (WINX10) Play Symbol will never appear on a Non-Winning Ticket.
- JJ. CASINO MILLIONS GAMES 1 5: The "10X" (WINX10) Play Symbol will win 10 TIMES the prize for that Play Symbol and will win as per the prize structure.
- KK. CASINO MILLIONS GAMES 1 5: The "10X" (WINX10) Play Symbol will never appear more than one (1) time on a Ticket.
- LL. CASINO MILLIONS GAMES 1 5: The "STACK OF CASH" (WIN\$) Play Symbol will never appear on the same Ticket as the "2X" (DBL), "5X" (WINX5) or "10X" (WINX10) Play Symbols.
- MM. CASINO MILLIONS GAMES 1 5: The "2X" (DBL), "5X" (WINX5) and "10X" (WINX10) Play Symbols will never appear on the same Ticket.
- 2.3 Procedure for Claiming Prizes.
- A. To claim a "CASINO MILLIONS" Scratch Ticket Game prize of \$50.00, \$100, \$200, \$300 or \$500, a claimant shall sign the back of the Scratch Ticket in the space designated on the Scratch Ticket and may present the winning Scratch Ticket to any Texas Lottery Retailer. The Texas Lottery Retailer shall verify the claim and, if valid, and upon presentation of proper identification, if appropriate, make payment of the amount due the claimant and physically void the Scratch Ticket; provided that the Texas Lottery Retailer may, but is not required, to pay a \$50.00, \$100, \$200, \$300 or \$500 Scratch Ticket Game. In the event the Texas Lottery Retailer cannot verify the claim, the Texas Lottery Retailer shall provide the claimant with a claim form and instruct the claimant on how to file a claim with the Texas Lottery. If the claim is validated by the Texas Lottery, a check shall be forwarded to the claimant in the amount due. In the event the claim is not validated, the claim shall be denied and the claimant shall be notified promptly. A claimant may also claim any of the above prizes under the procedure described in Section 2.3.B and Section 2.3.C of these Game Procedures.
- B. To claim a "CASINO MILLIONS" Scratch Ticket Game prize of \$1,000, \$5,000 or \$1,000,000, the claimant must sign the winning Scratch Ticket and may present it at one of the Texas Lottery's Claim Centers. If the claim is validated by the Texas Lottery, payment will be made to the bearer of the validated winning Scratch Ticket for that prize upon presentation of proper identification. When paying a prize of \$600 or more, the Texas Lottery shall file the appropriate income reporting form with the Internal Revenue Service (IRS) and shall withhold federal income tax at a rate set by the IRS if required. In the

- event that the claim is not validated by the Texas Lottery, the claim shall be denied and the claimant shall be notified promptly.
- C. As an alternative method of claiming a "CASINO MILLIONS" Scratch Ticket Game prize, the claimant may submit the signed winning Scratch Ticket and a thoroughly completed claim form via mail. If a prize value is \$1,000,000 or more, the claimant must also provide proof of Social Security number or Tax Payer Identification (for U.S. Citizens or Resident Aliens). Mail all to: Texas Lottery Commission, P.O. Box 16600, Austin, Texas 78761-6600. The Texas Lottery is not responsible for Scratch Tickets lost in the mail. In the event that the claim is not validated by the Texas Lottery, the claim shall be denied and the claimant shall be notified promptly.
- D. Prior to payment by the Texas Lottery of any prize, the Texas Lottery shall deduct the amount of a delinquent tax or other money from the winnings of a prize winner who has been finally determined to be:
- 1. delinquent in the payment of a tax or other money to a state agency and that delinquency is reported to the Comptroller under Government Code \$403.055;
- 2. in default on a loan made under Chapter 52, Education Code;
- 3. in default on a loan guaranteed under Chapter 57, Education Code; or
- 4. delinquent in child support payments in the amount determined by a court or a Title IV-D agency under Chapter 231, Family Code.
- E. If a person is indebted or owes delinquent taxes to the State, other than those specified in the preceding paragraph, the winnings of a person shall be withheld until the debt or taxes are paid.
- 2.4 Allowance for Delay of Payment. The Texas Lottery may delay payment of the prize pending a final determination by the Executive Director, under any of the following circumstances:
- A. if a dispute occurs, or it appears likely that a dispute may occur, regarding the prize;
- B. if there is any question regarding the identity of the claimant;
- C. if there is any question regarding the validity of the Scratch Ticket presented for payment; or
- D. if the claim is subject to any deduction from the payment otherwise due, as described in Section 2.3.D of these Game Procedures. No liability for interest for any delay shall accrue to the benefit of the claimant pending payment of the claim.
- 2.5 Payment of Prizes to Persons Under 18. If a person under the age of 18 years is entitled to a cash prize under \$600 from the "CASINO MILLIONS" Scratch Ticket Game, the Texas Lottery shall deliver to an adult member of the minor's family or the minor's guardian a check or warrant in the amount of the prize payable to the order of the minor.
- 2.6 If a person under the age of 18 years is entitled to a cash prize of \$600 or more from the "CASINO MILLIONS" Scratch Ticket Game, the Texas Lottery shall deposit the amount of the prize in a custodial bank account, with an adult member of the minor's family or the minor's guardian serving as custodian for the minor.
- 2.7 Scratch Ticket Claim Period. All Scratch Ticket prizes must be claimed within 180 days following the end of the Scratch Ticket Game or within the applicable time period for certain eligible military personnel as set forth in Texas Government Code §466.408. Any rights to a prize that is not claimed within that period, and in the manner specified in these Game Procedures and on the back of each Scratch Ticket, shall be forfeited.

2.8 Disclaimer. The number of prizes in a game is approximate based on the number of Scratch Tickets ordered. The number of actual prizes available in a game may vary based on number of Scratch Tickets manufactured, testing, distribution, sales and number of prizes claimed. A Scratch Ticket Game may continue to be sold even when all the top prizes have been claimed.

3.0 Scratch Ticket Ownership.

A. Until such time as a signature is placed upon the back portion of a Scratch Ticket in the space designated, a Scratch Ticket shall be owned by the physical possessor of said Scratch Ticket. When a signature is placed on the back of the Scratch Ticket in the space designated, the player whose signature appears in that area shall be the owner of the Scratch Ticket and shall be entitled to any prize attributable thereto. Notwithstanding any name or names submitted on a claim form, the

Executive Director shall make payment to the player whose signature appears on the back of the Scratch Ticket in the space designated. If more than one name appears on the back of the Scratch Ticket, the Executive Director will require that one of those players whose name appears thereon be designated by such players to receive payment.

B. The Texas Lottery shall not be responsible for lost or stolen Scratch Tickets and shall not be required to pay on a lost or stolen Scratch Ticket.

4.0 Number and Value of Scratch Prizes. There will be approximately 5,040,000 Scratch Tickets in Scratch Ticket Game No. 2689. The approximate number and value of prizes in the game are as follows:

Figure 2: GAME NO. 2689 - 4.0

Prize Amount	Approximate Number of Winners*	Approximate Odds are 1 in **
\$50.00	504,000	10.00
\$100	567,000	8.89
\$200	252,000	20.00
\$300	72,240	69.77
\$500	63,168	79.79
\$1,000	500	10,080.00
\$5,000	100	50,400.00
\$1,000,000	10	504,000.00

<sup>\*</sup>The number of prizes in a game is approximate based on the number of tickets ordered. The number of actual prizes available in a game may vary based on number of tickets manufactured, testing, distribution, sales and number of prizes claimed.

A. The actual number of Scratch Tickets in the game may be increased or decreased at the sole discretion of the Texas Lottery Commission.

5.0 End of the Scratch Ticket Game. The Executive Director may, at any time, announce a closing date (end date) for the Scratch Ticket Game No. 2689 without advance notice, at which point no further Scratch Tickets in that game may be sold. The determination of the closing date and reasons for closing will be made in accordance with the Scratch Ticket closing procedures and the Scratch Ticket Game Rules. See 16 TAC §401.302(j).

6.0 Governing Law. In purchasing a Scratch Ticket, the player agrees to comply with, and abide by, these Game Procedures for Scratch Ticket Game No. 2689, the State Lottery Act (Texas Government Code, Chapter 466), applicable rules adopted by the Texas Lottery pursuant to the

State Lottery Act and referenced in 16 TAC, Chapter 401, and all final decisions of the Executive Director.

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Bob Biard
General Counsel
Texas Lottery Commission
Filed: August 6, 2025

# **North Central Texas Council of Governments**

Notice of Contract Award for Digital Asset Management System

<sup>\*\*</sup>The overall odds of winning a prize are 1 in 3.45. The individual odds of winning for a particular prize level may vary based on sales, distribution, testing, and number of prizes claimed.

Pursuant to the provisions of Government Code, Chapter 2254, the North Central Texas Council of Governments publishes this notice of contract award. The request appeared in the April 4, 2025, issue of the *Texas Register* (50 TexReg 2360). The selected entity will perform technical and professional work to provide a Digital Asset Management System.

The entity selected for this project is Media Valet USA Inc. 990 Homer Street, 5th Floor, Vancouver BC V6B 2W7, Canada for a contract amount not to exceed \$200,000 for five years with an initial term of one year plus four one-year optional renewals.

Issued in Arlington, Texas on August 1, 2025.

TRD-202502726

Todd Little
Executive Director
North Central Texas Council of Governments
Filed: August 4, 2025

# **Supreme Court of Texas**

Final Approval of Amendments to Texas Rule of Appellate Procedure 27a

# Supreme Court of Texas

Misc. Docket No. 25-9048

# Final Approval of Amendments to Texas Rule of Appellate Procedure 27a

### **ORDERED** that:

- 1. On March 14, 2025, in Misc. Dkt. No. 25-9015, the Court preliminarily approved amendments to Texas Rule of Appellate Procedure 27a and invited public comment.
- 2. Following the comment period, the Court made revisions to the amendments. This Order incorporates the revisions and contains the final version of the amendments, effective August 1, 2025. The amendments are shown in redline and clean form.
- 3. The Clerk is directed to:
  - a. file a copy of this Order with the Secretary of State;
  - b. cause a copy of this Order to be mailed to each registered member of the State Bar of Texas by publication in the *Texas Bar Journal*;
  - c. send a copy of this Order to the Governor, the Lieutenant Governor, and each elected member of the Legislature; and
  - d. submit a copy of this Order for publication in the *Texas Register*.

Dated: July 31, 2025.

James D. Blacklock, Chief Justice  Debra H. Lehrmann, Justice  Jeffrey S. Boyd, Justice  John P. Devine, Justice
Joseph Burlay
Jane N. Bland, Justice
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Rebeca A. Huddle, Justice
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## TEXAS RULES OF APPELLATE PROCEDURE

# Rule 27a. Transfers To and From the Fifteenth Court of Appeals (Redline)

- (a) Definitions.
  - (1) "Regional court of appeals" means a court of appeals other than the Fifteenth Court of Appeals.
  - $(\underline{42})$  "Transferor court" means the court of appeals in which the appeal is pending.
  - (23) "Transferee court" means the court of appeals to which a party requests or the transferor courts seeks to transfer the appeal.
- (b) Application.
  - (1) The transfer process in this rule applies to appeals:
    - (A) <u>improperly</u> taken to the Fifteenth Court of Appeals that are not within the Fifteenth Court of Appeals' exclusive intermediate appellate jurisdiction; or
    - (B) <u>taken to a regional court of appeals and over which the Fifteenth</u> Court of Appeals has exclusive intermediate appellate jurisdiction.
  - (2) This rule does not apply to appeals transferred by the Supreme Court for good cause, including for docket equalization purposes.
- (c) Transfer by a Court of Appeals.
  - (1) Standard. The transferor court must transfer the appeal if:
    - (A) the deadline for filing an objection has passed;
    - (B) either:
      - (i) the transferor court is a regional court of appeals and it determines that the appeal is within the Fifteenth Court of Appeals' exclusive intermediate jurisdiction; or
      - (ii) the transferor court is the Fifteenth Court of Appeals and it determines the appeal is not within its exclusive

## intermediate appellate jurisdiction; and

- (C) the transferee court agrees to the transfer.
- (2) Transfer Initiation. A transfer may be initiated by a party's motion or by the transferor court.
- (13) On a Party's Motion. Motion or Notice and Opportunity to Respond.
  - (A) A party may file a motion to transfer an appeal. The motion should be filed within 30 days after the appeal is perfected but must be filed by the date the appellee's brief is filed. The motion must be filed in the transferor court and explain why the Fifteenth Court of Appeals does or does not have exclusive intermediate appellate jurisdiction. The motion may be supported by briefing. The movant must immediately notify the transferee court of the motion.
  - (B) If the transferor court initiates a transfer, the transferor court must notify the parties and the transferee court.
  - (C) A party may file a response to the potential transfer. The response must be filed within 10 days after the motion's filing or after receiving the transferor court's notice. The response must explain why the Fifteenth Court of Appeals does or does not have exclusive intermediate appellate jurisdiction.
  - (B) The transferor court must notify the parties and the transferee court of its decision on the motion. The transferor court may transfer the appeal if:
    - (i) no party files an objection to the transfer within 10 days after the motion's filing or the transferor court determines that any filed objection lacks merit; and
    - (ii) the transferee court agrees to the transfer.
  - (C) The transferee court must file, within 20 days after receiving notice from the transferor court of its decision on the motion, a letter in the transferor court explaining whether it agrees with the transferor court's decision.
- (2) On Its Own Initiative.

- (A) The transferor court must notify the parties and the transferee court of its intent to transfer on its own initiative.
- (B) The transferor court may transfer an appeal on its own initiative if:
  - (i) no party files an objection to the transfer within 10 days after receiving notice from the transferor court of its intent to transfer or the transferor court determines that any filed objection lacks merit; and
  - (ii) the transferee court agrees to the transfer.
- (4) Preliminary Decision. After the deadline for filing a response has passed, the transferor court must notify the parties and the transferee court of its preliminary decision.
- (5) (C)—Transferee Court Disagreement. If Tthe transferee court disagrees with the transferor court's preliminary decision, the transferee court must, within 20 days after receiving notice from the transferor court of its intent to transferpreliminary decision, file a letter in the transferor court explaining whether it agrees with the transferits disagreement. The transferee court may file a letter agreeing with the preliminary decision.
- (36) <u>Transfer</u> Notice to <u>Supreme Court and the Office of Court Administration</u>. <u>If the transferor court and transferoe court agree on whether the appeal should be transferred, the transferor court must finalize its decision and notify the parties. If the transferor court transfers an appeal under (1) or (2), the transferor court must notify the Supreme Court and the Office of Court Administration of the transfer.</u>
- (d) Transfer by the Supreme Court.
  - (1) <u>Submission Contents.</u> If the transferor court and transferee court do not agree on whether the appeal should be transferred, then the transferor court must forward to the Supreme Court either:
    - (A) the party's motion to transfer, any briefing, the transferee court's letter—under—(e)(1)(C), and a letter explaining the transferor court's decision on the motion; or

- (B) a letter from the transferor court that explains its reasons for requesting transfer and that notes any party objections and the transferee court's letter—under (e)(2)(C).
- (2) <u>Submission Deadline.</u> Unless exceptional circumstances require additional time, the documents in (1) must be submitted to the Supreme Court within 20 days after receipt of the transferee court's letter—under (e)(1)(C) or (e)(2)(C).
- (3) <u>Supreme Court Decision.</u> After receipt of all relevant documents, the Supreme Court will consider and decide the motion or request by the transferor court to transfer.

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Consistent with Section 1.15 of the Fifteenth Court of Appeals' enabling legislation, Rule 27a only applies to appeals perfected on or after September 1, 2024. See Act of May 21, 2023, 88th Leg., R.S., ch. 459 (S.B. 1045). It does not apply to appeals pending in the courts of appeals that were filed between September 1, 2023, and August 31, 2024, and of which the Fifteenth Court of Appeals has exclusive intermediate appellate jurisdiction under Texas Government Code Section 22.220(d). On September 1, 2024, those appeals should be transferred immediately to the Fifteenth Court of Appeals.

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#### Rule 27a. Transfers To and From the Fifteenth Court of Appeals (Clean)

- (a) Definitions.
  - (1) "Regional court of appeals" means a court of appeals other than the Fifteenth Court of Appeals.
  - (2) "Transferor court" means the court of appeals in which the appeal is pending.

- (3) "Transferee court" means the court of appeals to which a party requests or the transferor court seeks to transfer the appeal.
- (b) Application.
  - (1) The transfer process in this rule applies to appeals:
    - (C) taken to the Fifteenth Court of Appeals that are not within the Fifteenth Court of Appeals' exclusive intermediate appellate jurisdiction; or
    - (D) taken to a regional court of appeals and over which the Fifteenth Court of Appeals has exclusive intermediate appellate jurisdiction.
  - (2) This rule does not apply to appeals transferred by the Supreme Court for good cause, including for docket equalization purposes.
- (c) Transfer by a Court of Appeals.
  - (1) Standard. The transferor court must transfer the appeal if:
    - (A) the deadline for filing an objection has passed;
    - (B) either:
      - (i) the transferor court is a regional court of appeals and it determines that the appeal is within the Fifteenth Court of Appeals' exclusive intermediate jurisdiction; or
      - (ii) the transferor court is the Fifteenth Court of Appeals and it determines the appeal is not within its exclusive intermediate appellate jurisdiction; and
    - (C) the transferee court agrees to the transfer.
  - (2) Transfer Initiation. A transfer may be initiated by a party's motion or by the transferor court.
  - (3) Motion or Notice and Opportunity to Respond.
    - (A) A party may file a motion to transfer an appeal. The motion should be filed within 30 days after the appeal is perfected but

must be filed by the date the appellee's brief is filed. The motion must be filed in the transferor court and explain why the Fifteenth Court of Appeals does or does not have exclusive intermediate appellate jurisdiction. The motion may be supported by briefing. The movant must immediately notify the transferee court of the motion.

- (B) If the transferor court initiates a transfer, the transferor court must notify the parties and the transferee court.
- (C) A party may file a response to the potential transfer. The response must be filed within 10 days after the motion's filing or after receiving the transferor court's notice. The response must explain why the Fifteenth Court of Appeals does or does not have exclusive intermediate appellate jurisdiction.
- (4) Preliminary Decision. After the deadline for filing a response has passed, the transferor court must notify the parties and the transferee court of its preliminary decision.
- (5) Transferee Court Disagreement. If the transferee court disagrees with the transferor court's preliminary decision, the transferee court must, within 20 days after receiving notice from the transferor court of its preliminary decision, file a letter in the transferor court explaining its disagreement. The transferee court may file a letter agreeing with the preliminary decision.
- (6) Transfer Notice. If the transferor court and transferee court agree on whether the appeal should be transferred, the transferor court must finalize its decision and notify the parties. If the transferor court transfers an appeal under (1), the transferor court must notify the Supreme Court and the Office of Court Administration of the transfer.
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  - (1) Submission Contents. If the transferor court and transferee court do not agree on whether the appeal should be transferred, then the transferor court must forward to the Supreme Court either:
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- (2) Submission Deadline. Unless exceptional circumstances require additional time, the documents in (1) must be submitted to the Supreme Court within 20 days after receipt of the transferee court's letter.
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