Public Notice
Availability of Draft Rule Language for Comment
Ohio Administrative Code (OAC) Chapter 3745-100, “Toxic Release inventory”

Notice is hereby given that the Ohio Environmental Protection Agency, Division of Air Pollution Control (DAPC) has performed a review of the above-named chapter according to Ohio Revised Code (ORC) 106.03 (5-yr review) and has determined that the rules remain necessary and require some changes. Specifically:

- Amendments will be made to OAC rules 3745-100-01; 3745-100-05; 3745-100-06; 3745-100-07; 3750-100-08; 3750-100-09; 3745-100-13.
- The following rules remain necessary but do not require change: OAC rules 3745-100-02; 3745-100-03; 3745-100-04; 3750-100-14; and 3745-100-17.
- DAPC will rescind OAC rule 3745-100-12 in its entirety.
- DAPC will rescind then propose as new OAC rules 3745-100-10; 3745-100-11; 3745-100-15 and 3745-100-16.

DAPC is proposing these changes to address portions of the 2018-2019 Ohio Biennium Budget that eliminated the TRI Fees in OAC rule 3745-100-12 and attempting to reduce and clarify rule language by referencing USEPA’s reporting language and federal citations.

As part of the rule-making process, DAPC is required by Section 121.39 of the Ohio Revised Code to consult with organizations that represent political subdivisions, environmental interests, business interests, and others affected by the rules. The DAPC is offering your organization the opportunity to comment on these rules before the division formally proposes them.

These rules and supporting documentation are available electronically for review at: http://epa.ohio.gov/dapc/regs/regs.aspx. See the information under the drafts and notices for Chapter 3745-100, “Toxic Release Inventory” We request that you provide us with any comments you may have to the changes that have been recommended by Wednesday, May 8, 2019.

Please submit your comments or suggestions to the following addresses. Persons submitting comments electronically are encouraged to follow-up with a hard copy via regular mail:

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Thank you,

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