

STATE OF RHODE ISLAND AND PROVIDENCE PLANTATIONS
DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT
OFFICE OF AIR RESOURCES

NOTICE OF PUBLIC COMMENT PERIOD

**IN RE: Proposed revisions to Air Pollution Control
Regulation No. 9 (250-RICR-120-00-9)**

The Director of the Rhode Island Department of Environmental Management (DEM) proposes to revise Air Pollution Control (APC) Regulation No. 9 "Air Pollution Control Permits" and gives notice of intent to receive public comment on the proposed regulation revision and to afford interested parties an opportunity to submit data, views, or arguments in writing on the proposed regulation revision. A public hearing on the proposed regulation revision will be held if DEM receives a request from the public. If a public hearing is held, a notice will be published announcing the date, time and place of such hearing.

The USEPA has identified a number of provisions in APC Regulation No. 9 that are not consistent with current federal requirements and must be amended for the major source permitting requirements to be approvable by USEPA. A fact sheet that more fully describes the proposed revision to the regulation as well as copies of the proposed, revised regulation is available on the Department's website from the Office of Air Resources homepage (<http://www.dem.ri.gov/documents/regulations/index.php#air>).

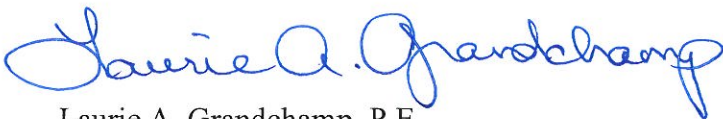
Copies are also available at DEM's Office of Air Resources 235 Promenade St., Providence, RI. Any additional requests can be made by contacting the Office of Air Resources at 222-2808, weekdays, 8:30 AM- 4:00 PM.

DEM encourages the submission of written comments. Written comments, to be considered part of the administrative record must be submitted during the public comment period. Written comments may be mailed or e-mailed to the Office of Air Resources and received no later than 4:00 PM, October 30th, 2017, at which time the public comment period will close. The mailing address for comments is:

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Signed this 29th day of September, 2017



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