



**INDEPENDENT REGULATORY REVIEW COMMISSION
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March 9, 1998

Mr. Brian J. Clark
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Re: IRRC Regulation #1905 (#7-328)
Environmental Quality Board
Hazardous Waste Management

Dear Mr. Clark:

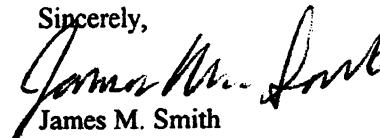
The Independent Regulatory Review Commission has completed its review of the Environmental Quality Board's proposed regulation relating to Hazardous Waste Management. Enclosed for your information is a copy of the Commission's comments which were filed with the Department on March 6, 1998.

The Regulatory Review Act requires the Department to respond to the comments it received when it submits the final-form regulation. At the same time it submits the final-form regulation to the Commission, the Department is also required to submit a copy of the final-form regulation or a summary of all of the changes contained in the final-form regulation to all commentators who requested this information. Therefore, if you requested this information, you should receive it shortly after the final-form regulation is submitted to the Commission and the Standing Committees.

Once the final-form regulation is submitted, the Senate Environmental and Energy Resources Committee and the House Environmental and Energy Resources Committee will have twenty days to either approve or disapprove the final-form regulation. After the expiration of the Committees' review period, the Commission has ten days, or until its next public meeting, whichever is later, to act on the regulation.

The Commission appreciates your input regarding this rulemaking and looks forward to hearing from you when the regulation is submitted in its final-form version. If you have any questions regarding the regulation, the Commission's comments or the regulatory review process, please contact me at 717-783-5439, or John Nanorta at 717-787-8491.

Sincerely,


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Enclosure

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THANKS,

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