

**INDEPENDENT REGULATORY REVIEW COMMISSION
APPROVAL ORDER**

Commissioners Voting:

Public Meeting Held June 28, 2018

George D. Bedwick, Chairman
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Regulation No. 7-521 (#3177)
Environmental Quality Board
Safe Drinking Water; General Update and Fees

On August 9, 2017, the Independent Regulatory Review Commission (Commission) received this proposed regulation from the Environmental Quality Board (Board). This rulemaking amends 25 Pa. Code, Chapter 109. The proposed regulation was published in the August 26, 2017 *Pennsylvania Bulletin* with a public comment period September 25, 2017. The final-form regulation was submitted to the Commission on May 11, 2018.

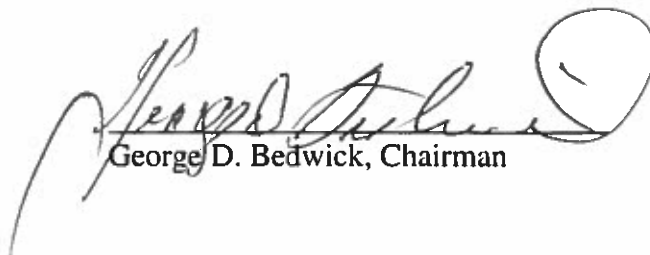
This regulation incorporates general update provisions; amends existing permit fees and adds new annual fees; adds new amendments to establish the regulatory basis for issuing general permits; and makes clarifications related to permits and the monitoring, reporting and tracking of back-up sources of supply.

We have determined this regulation is consistent with the statutory authority of the Board (35 P.S. § 721.4(a) and (c)) and the intention of the General Assembly. Having considered all of the other criteria of the Regulatory Review Act, we find promulgation of this regulation is in the public interest.

BY ORDER OF THE COMMISSION:

This regulation is approved.




George D. Bedwick, Chairman