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EPA Signals Possible Enforcement of Texas Flexible Air Permits

A September 25, 2007 letter from EPA Region VI to owners and operators of facilities authorized pursuant to Texas flexible air permits has fueled speculation that EPA will initiate enforcement actions relating to such authorizations.

Upcoming TCEQ Public Meetings and Seminars

In November, TCEQ will be holding various public meetings and seminars covering various topics of interest to the regulated community. Topics covered will include those related to the Texas State Implementation Plan (SIP), the Texas Emissions Reduction Program (TERP) and water quality permitting.

Diminishing Deference: Recent Trends in Clean Water Act Cases

Recent trends in Clean Water Act cases are analyzed in an article by Beveridge & Diamond attorneys, which was published in BNA Inc.'s Daily Environment Report. To view the article, reprinted with permission from Daily Environment Report, please [click here](#).

EPA Announces Plans to Develop Regulations for the Geologic Sequestration of Carbon Dioxide

On October 11, 2007, EPA announced its plans to develop regulations for the geologic sequestration of carbon dioxide (CO₂). Geologic sequestration is a key part of carbon capture and storage (CCS) technology, which many view as a critical element of any climate change regulatory regime.

Recent Texas Rules Updates

Click on the above link for highlights of significant proposed and adopted Texas rule changes.

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