TRANSMITTAL SHEET FOR NOTICE OF INTENDED ACTION

Control 335 Department or Agency Environmental Management	
Rule No. 335-6-801	
Rule Title: Purpose	
New X Amend Repeal	Adopt by Reference
Would the absence of the proposed rule significantly harm or endanger the public health, welfare, or safety?	YES
Is there a reasonable relationship between the state's police poward the protection of the public health, safety, or welfare?	wer YES
Is there another, less restrictive method of regulation available could adequately protect the public?	that NO
Does the proposed rule have the effect of directly or indirectly increasing the costs of any goods or services involved and, if so what degree?	o, to NO
Is the increase in cost, if any, more harmful to the public than that might result from the absence of the proposed rule?	he NO
Are all facts of the rulemaking process designed solely for the purpose of, and so they have, as their primary effect, the protect of the public?	etion YES
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Does the proposed rule have an economic impact?	NO
If the proposed rule has an economic impact, the proposed rule is required to be accompanied by a fiscal note prepared in accordance with subsection (f) of Section 41-22-23, Code of Alabama 1975.	
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I certify that the attached proposed rule has been proposed in full compliance with the requirements of Chapter 22, Title 41, Code of Alabama 1975, and that it conforms to all applicable filing requirements of the Administrative Procedure Division of the Legislative Reference Service.	
Signature of certifying officer Many Elhot	4

Date April 20, 2015

ALABAMA DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT WATER DIVISION

NOTICE OF INTENDED ACTION

Agency Name:

Alabama Department of Environmental Management

Rule No. & Title:

335-6-8-.01 Purpose (Amend)

Intended Action:

The Alabama Department of Environmental Management proposes

to amend rule 335-6-8-.01.

Substance of Proposed Action:

The Department proposes to amend rule 335-6-8-.01 "Purpose" to delete obsolete references to the Code of Federal Regulations relating to implementation of the Underground Injection Control program.

Time, Place, Manner of Presenting Views:

Comments may be submitted in writing or orally at a public hearing to be held at 10:00 A.M., June 11, 2015, in the ADEM Main Hearing Room, 1400 Coliseum Boulevard, Montgomery, Alabama 36110.

Final Date for Comment and Completion of Notice: June 11, 2015

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335-6-8-.01 Purpose.

- (1) The Safe Drinking Water Act, Public Law 93-523, provides that a state may administer its own UIC Program. Such a program, however, must conform to the requirements of applicable Federal regulations, in particular 40 CFR Parts 122, 123, 124, 144 and 146.
- (2) Section 22-22-1 et seq., Code of Alabama 1975, includes as its purpose "... to conserve the waters of the State and to protect, maintain and improve the quality thereof for public water supplies, for the propagation of wildlife, fish and aquatic life and for domestic, agricultural, industrial, recreational and other legitimate beneficial uses; to provide for the prevention, abatement and control of new or existing water pollution; and to cooperate with other agencies of the State, agencies of other states and the federal government in carrying out these objectives."
- (3) It is the purpose of this chapter to establish rules and procedures which will enable the State to administer a UIC Program in conformance with applicable Federal laws and regulations and to administer the provisions of Section 22-22-1 et seq., Code of Alabama 1975.

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Statutory Authority: Code of Alabama 1975, §§ 22-22-9, 22-22A-5, 22-22A-6, 22-22A-8.

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Amended: September 26, 2011; XXXX XX, 2015.