

MISSISSIPPI COMMISSION ON ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY

Thursday, February 25, 2021

9:00 A.M.

Room 104A

515 East Amite Street

Jackson, Mississippi 39201

Telephonic Meeting

AGENDA

- 1. Call to Order - Chair**
- 2. Approval of the January 28, 2021 Zoom Commission Meeting Minutes**
- 3. Old Business (City of Canton Landfill Variance Request)**
- 4. Gold Coast Commodities, Inc. Order**

The Commission is required to issue an Order reflecting its findings of fact and conclusions of law subsequent to an evidentiary hearing. The Order memorializes the Commission's decision and must sufficiently support the Commission's decision on appeal. Following the evidentiary hearing on November 19, 2020, MDEQ's legal counsel drafted a proposed Order and provided the proposed Order to Gold Coast's counsel for comment. After receiving Gold Coast counsel's comments, MDEQ's counsel revised the draft Order and provided the revised draft to Gold Coast's counsel before submitting it to the Commission. Gold Coast's counsel objected to the revised Order and asked the Hearing Officer (who is retained to make evidentiary rulings) to present both Gold Coast's version and MDEQ's version of the draft Order to the Commission. The Hearing Officer declined to do so and directed Gold Coast and MDEQ to submit the draft Orders directly to the Commission. Historically, MDEQ staff provides the draft Order and any comments to the Commission for review; however, in this matter Gold Coast and MDEQ directly submitted their respective proposed draft Orders to the Commission for review via email on February 9th. MDEQ's version includes MDEQ's comments explaining certain provisions of the draft Order to Gold Coast. The Commission will consider approval and adoption of a final Order in this matter.

5. Asbestos Certifications

We have issued 129 asbestos certifications since the last report. This list will be available at the Commission meeting.

6. Lead Paint Certifications

We have issued 62 lead paint certifications since the last report. This list will be available at the Commission meeting.

7. Underground Storage Tanks (UST) Certifications

We have issued 2 certifications to those who install, alter, or remove underground storage tanks since the last report. This list will be available at the Commission meeting.

8. Administrative Orders

We have issued 1 Amended Agreed Order since the last report and it should be added to the minutes. The staff will highlight any orders that we think are especially noteworthy. See **Attachment 1** at the end of this agenda.

9. Confirmation of the March 25, 2021 Commission Meeting

10. Adjournment

ADMINISTRATIVE ORDERS

Amended Agreed Order

	<u>Respondent</u>	<u>Order No.</u>	<u>Summary</u>
1	Sand Creek Wastewater Authority Lee County, MS	Second Amended Agreed Order No. 7015 20	Respondent agrees to comply with the requirements listed in Section I, II, and III of this Second Amendment to this Agreed Order.