STATE OF LOUISIANA
DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY
OFFICE OF ENVIRONMENTAL COMPLIANCE

NOTICE OF EXTENSION OF DEADLINES FOR EMISSIONS INVENTORY REPORTS

This Notice of Extension is issued by the Louisiana Department of Environmental Quality (the Department) under the authority granted by the Louisiana Environmental Quality Act (the Act), La. R.S. 30:2001, et seq., and particularly by La. R.S. 30:2011(D)(6) and (D)(14).

FINDINGS OF FACT

I.

The Department continues to update and enhance the existing emissions inventory reporting system, ERIC. Due to delays in providing for necessary system enhancements for the start of the 2009 reporting cycle, the system was not ready to receive data in time for some users to meet all of the requirements associated with the March 31, 2010 reporting deadlines as outlined in LAC 33:III.919 and 5107.

II.

LAC 33:III.919.D and LAC 33:III.5107.A.1 allow the Department to establish deadlines other than March 31 of each year.
EXTENSION OF DEADLINES

Based on the foregoing:

I.

For those persons who submitted and certified Emission Inventory data for FY 2008 with 150 or more ERIC source records, the deadline for submitting calendar year 2009 emission point level data and the Criteria Pollutant Emissions Certification Statement certifying facility criteria pollutant emission totals under LAC 33:III.919 is extended from March 31, 2010 to April 30, 2010.

II.

For those persons who submitted and certified Emission Inventory data for FY 2008 with 150 or more ERIC source records, the deadline for submitting calendar year 2009 toxic air pollutant emissions data and the Toxic Air Pollutant Emissions Certification Statement certifying facility toxic air pollutant emission totals under LAC 33:III.5107.A is extended from March 31, 2010 to April 30, 2010.

III.

The deadline for affected persons to submit any discharge report required by LAC 33:III.5107.B.5 is extended from March 31, 2010 to April 30, 2010.

IV.

Persons submitting and certifying either Criteria Pollutant or Toxic Air Pollutant Emissions Inventory data for 2008 with fewer than 150 ERIC source records are not affected by
this notice, and all applicable March 31, 2010 reporting deadlines established in the regulations still apply.

This Extension of Deadlines is effective upon issuance.

Baton Rouge, Louisiana, this 3rd day of March, 2010.

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