

Clearinghouse Rule 99-022  
State of Wisconsin \ DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES

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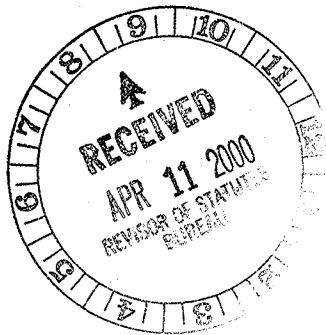
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STATE OF WISCONSIN )  
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DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES )

TO ALL TO WHOM THESE PRESENTS SHALL COME, GREETINGS:

I, George E. Meyer, Secretary of the Department of Natural Resources and custodian of the official records of said Department, do hereby certify that the annexed copy of Natural Resources Board Order No. SS-10-99 was duly approved and adopted by this Department on February 23, 2000. I further certify that said copy has been compared by me with the original on file in this Department and that the same is a true copy thereof, and of the whole of such original.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the official seal of the Department at the Natural Resources Building in the City of Madison, this 7th day of April, 2000.



*George E. Meyer*  
George E. Meyer, Secretary

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ORDER OF THE STATE OF WISCONSIN NATURAL RESOURCES BOARD  
REPEALING RULES

The State of Wisconsin Natural Resources Board proposes an order to repeal NR 150.03(8)(a)1. and ch. NR 170 relating to power plant siting

SS-10-99

Analysis Prepared by Department of Natural Resources

Statutory authority: s. 227.11(2)(a), Stats.

Statutes interpreted: ss. 1.11, 30.025 and 196.491(3)(a)3., Stats.

The Public Service Commission is the review authority for power plants. 1997 Wis. Act 204 changes the threshold for Public Service Commission review of power plants. Changes in the technology and size of power plants now being built no longer support a numerical threshold for determining whether a power plant is a major state action under s. 1.11, Stats., the Wisconsin environmental policy act. 1997 Wis. Act 204 also provides enough detail on review of engineering plans for power plants that a separate administrative rule is no longer needed.

SECTION 1. NR 150.03(8)(a)1. is repealed

SECTION 2. Chapter NR 170 is repealed.

The foregoing rule was approved and adopted by the State of Wisconsin Natural Resources Board on February 23, 2000.

The rule shall take effect on the first day of the month following publication in the Wisconsin administrative register as provided in s. 227.22(2)(intro.), Stats.

Dated at Madison, Wisconsin

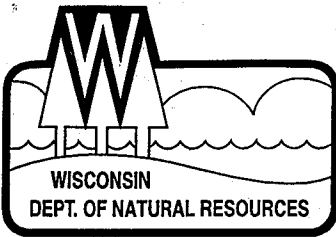
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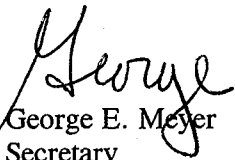
Mr. Gary L. Poulson  
Assistant Revisor of Statutes  
131 West Wilson Street - Suite 800  
Madison, WI

Dear Mr. Poulson:

Enclosed are two copies, including one certified copy, of State of Wisconsin Natural Resources Board Order No. SS-10-99. These rules were reviewed by the Assembly Committee on Utilities and the Senate Committee on Agriculture, Environmental Resources and Campaign Finance Reform pursuant to s. 227.19, Stats. Summaries of the final regulatory flexibility analysis and comments of the legislative review committees are also enclosed.

You will note that this order takes effect following publication. Kindly publish it in the Administrative Code accordingly.

Sincerely,

  
George E. Meyer  
Secretary

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