



Department of
**Environment &
Conservation**

Hazardous Waste Permitting 1st Quarter FY26 Update

Presented to the
Underground Storage Tanks and
Solid Waste Disposal Control Board

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Introduction

Tennessee statute requires a quarterly update on the **timeliness** of permit processing by the Division of Solid Waste Management (DSWM) to be provided to the Board. This report is for the State's First Quarter FY26 July 1, 2025 – September 30, 2025.

Tennessee regulations specify **time limits** for applications:

- Completeness reviews/determinations
- Approval or denial (Class 2 modifications and new commercial applications)
- For the following:
 - Part B permit applications
 - Class 1 and ¹¹ permit modifications
 - Class 2 permit modifications
 - Class 3 permit modifications
- TDEC issues Notice of Deficiencies/Comments if submittal is incomplete

Part B Permit Application Reviews

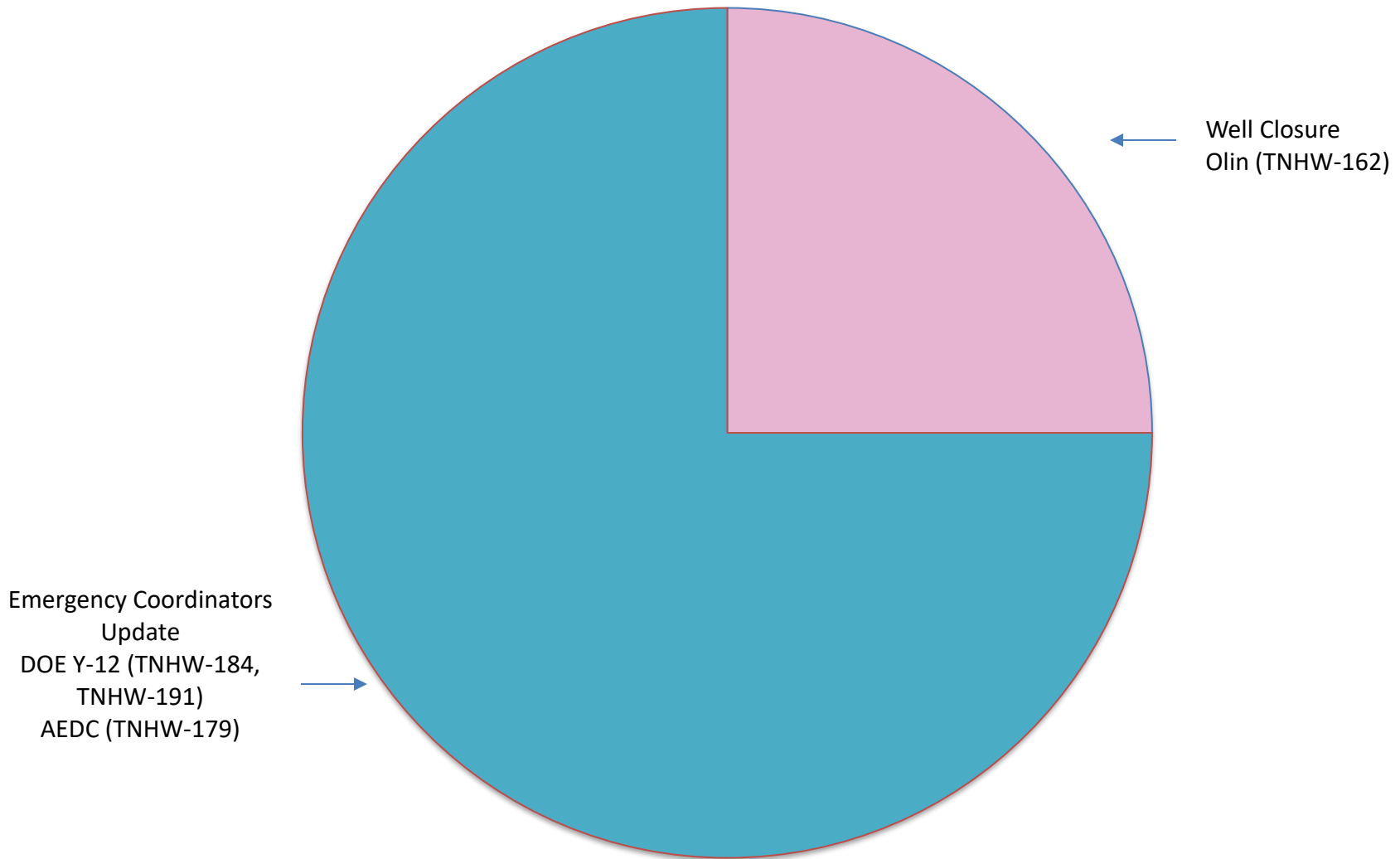
	PART B APPLICATIONS	RECEIVED	180-DAY INITIAL REVIEW REQUIRED BY REGULATION	NOTICE OF DEFICIENCY/ REVIEWED BY	RESPONSES DUE BY APPLICANT	DETERMINED COMPLETE
1.	Oak Ridge Reservation (TNHW-164)	08/20/25	02/16/26			
2.	Olin Corporation (TNHW-163)	09/03/25	03/02/26			

Modification Application Reviews

	CLASS 1 & ¹ 1 MODIFICATIONS	RECEIVED	60-DAY REVIEW REQUIRED BY REGULATION	REVIEWED BY	NOTICE OF DEFICIENCY/ COMMENTS
1.	Arnold Engineering (TNHW-179)	7/18/25	9/16/25	8/18/25	Issued 8/18/25
2.	Olin Corporation (TNHW-162)	9/23/25	11/22/25		
3.	Y-12 (TNHW-184)	09/23/25	12/08/25		Received fees 10/02/25
4.	Y-12 (TNHW-191)	09/23/25	12/08/25		Received fees 10/02/25

Can include correcting minor errors in the permit, upgrading plans and records maintained, or routine changes to the facility or its operation.

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	CLASS 2 MODIFICATIONS	RECEIVED	90-DAY APPROVAL/ DENIAL REQUIRED BY REGULATION	PUBLIC NOTICE DOCUMENTATION/ REVISIONS RECEIVED	NOTICE OF DEFICIENCY/ COMMENTS
1.	Gardner Denver	3/31/25	6/29/25	6/4/25	

Can include up to 25% increase in capacity, new wastes not requiring new waste management practices, or improvement of design of units or management practices.

Modification Application Reviews

	CLASS 3 MODIFICATIONS	RECEIVED	180-DAY REVIEW REQUIRED BY REGULATION	REVIEWED BY	NOTICE OF DEFICIENCY/ COMMENTS	COMPLETE	DRAFT TO PUBLIC NOTICE (45 DAYS)
	None						

Can include increases >25% in capacity, new wastes that require changes in unit design or management practices, substantial changes to liner and leachate collection/detection systems, or substantial changes to groundwater monitoring systems or incinerator operating conditions.

For Additional Information

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