



Department of
**Environment &
Conservation**

Hazardous Waste Permitting 1st Quarter FY24 Update

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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 FY24, July 1, 2023 – September 30, 2023.

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

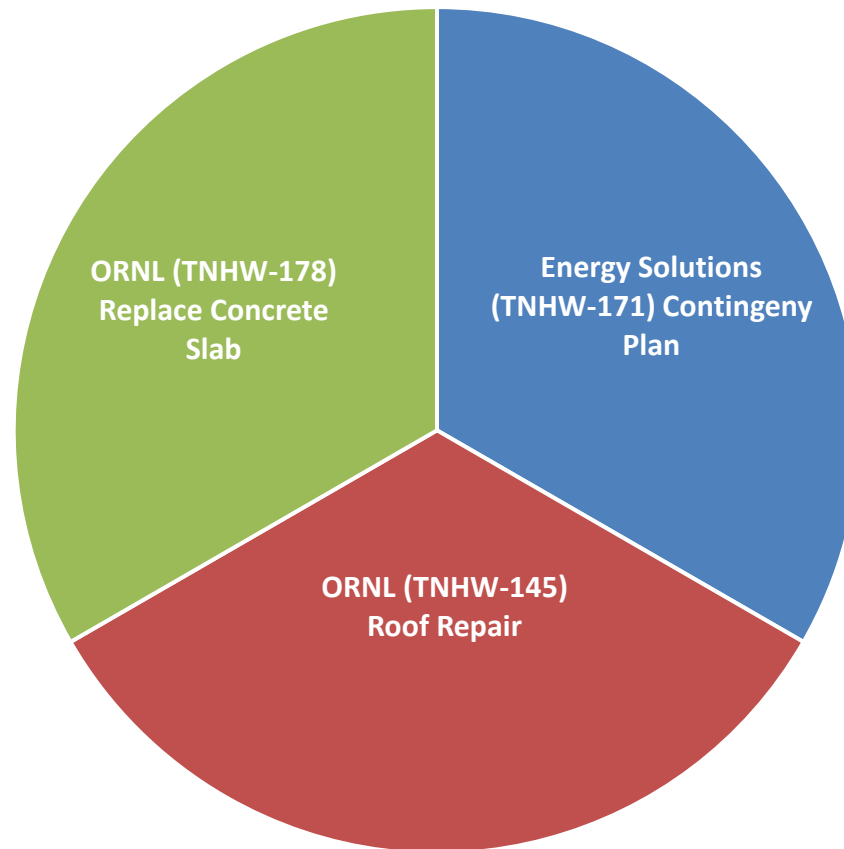
	PART B APPLICATIONS	RECEIVED	180-DAY INITIAL REVIEW REQUIRED BY REGULATION	NOTICE OF DEFICIENCY/ REVIEWED BY	RESPONSES DUE BY APPLICANT	DETERMINED COMPLETE
1.	TSUSA Techniques Survey (New Facility)	7/25/23	1/21/24	NOD 8/21/23	11/28/23	

Modification Application Reviews

	CLASS 1 & 11 MODIFICATIONS	RECEIVED	60-DAY REVIEW REQUIRED BY REGULATION	REVIEWED BY	NOTICE OF DEFICIENCY/ COMMENTS	ISSUED
1.	Energy Solutions (TNHW-171)	8/11/23	10/10/23	9/19/23		10/10/23
2.	ORNL (TNHW-145)	8/18/23	10/17/23	9/15/23	10/17/23	
3	ORNL (TNHW-178)	8/25/23	10/24/23	9/19/23		10/17/23

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 MODIFICATION	RECEIVED	90-DAY APPROVAL/ DENIAL REQUIRED BY REGULATION	PUBLIC NOTICE DOCUMENTATION/ REVISIONS RECEIVED	NOTICE OF DEFICIENCY/ COMMENTS	ISSUED
1.	Teknor Apex (TNHW-183)	5/12/23	8/10/23		NOD 8/3/23	
2.	Kilgore (TNHW-180)	8/31/23	11/29/23	10/2/23		

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)
1.	Covoro (TNHW-182)	5/5/23	11/1/23	8/2/23	NOD 8/2/23		

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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