



Department of  
**Environment &  
Conservation**

# Hazardous Waste Permitting 2<sup>nd</sup> Quarter FY25 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 Second Quarter FY25 October 1, 2024 – December 31, 2024.

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 <sup>1</sup>1 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.	Nuclear Fuel Services (TNHW-157)	4/1/24	9/28/24	9/27/24	<del>1/24/25</del> 5/24/25	
2.	Safety-Kleen Nashville (TNHW-160)	7/10/24	1/6/25	12/19/24	2/3/25	

# Modification Application Reviews

	CLASS 1 & <sup>11</sup> MODIFICATIONS	RECEIVED	60-DAY REVIEW REQUIRED BY REGULATION	REVIEWED BY	NOTICE OF DEFICIENCY/ COMMENTS
1.	YKK	09/26/2024	12/01/2024		11/01/2024
2.	Safety-Kleen	08/23/2024	10/22/2024		09/13/2024
Can include correcting minor errors in the permit, upgrading plans and records maintained, or routine changes to the facility or its operation.					

# Modification Application Reviews

	CLASS 2 MODIFICATION	RECEIVED	90-DAY APPROVAL/ DENIAL REQUIRED BY REGULATION	PUBLIC NOTICE DOCUMENTATION/ REVISIONS RECEIVED	NOTICE OF DEFICIENCY/ COMMENTS
	None				
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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