

FACT SHEET ADDENDUM

PESTICIDE GENERAL PERMIT (PGP) FOR DISCHARGES FROM APPLICATIONS TO OR OVER (INCLUDING NEAR) WATERS OF THE STATE GENERAL PERMIT NO. GAG820000

Please note the following changes that were made to the draft PGP.

Beginning of permit

- Clarification was added to the definition of "operator."

Part I.A.1.b. & c.

- The word "Aquatic" was removed from the term "Aquatic Weed and Algae Control" & "Aquatic Nuisance Animal Control in order to capture additional pesticide activities such as spraying along roadsides right of ways, where a portion of the pesticide will unavoidably be deposited over or into waters of the State.

Part I.A.2.c.

- Clarification was added to Limitations of Coverage regarding MS4 Stormwater NPDES permits.

Part I.B.a. & b.

- Revisions have been made to the section Obtaining Authorization to Discharge.

Part I.C.1.

- The annual treatment area thresholds have been revised. Clarification on calculating treatment area has been added to the permit.

Part I.C.3.

- The discharge authorization dates have been revised.

Part II

- The word "Integrated" was removed from the term "Integrated Pest Management Practices."

Part III.A.1.b.iii.

- The link to EPD's website for Georgia's 303(b)/303(d) list was added.

Part IV.B.14.

- The requirements for Recording Keeping for All Operators were revised.

Part IV.C.

- The requirements for permittees to submit a biennial report to EPD were revised.

Part V.B.3.

- The timeframe for submitting a written Adverse Incident Report was revised.

Part VI.

- The definition for silvicultural activities was added to the permit.