

Agenda Item: 16-09 Request Approval to Proceed with Rules Review of Rules 15A NCAC 02E in accordance with SL2013-413

Explanation: Staff will request approval from the Environmental Management Commission (EMC) to proceed to the public comment phase of the review of the subject rules. The rules review follows the procedure mandated by Session Law 2013-413 and General Statute 150B. The review covers 27 rules in the Water Use Registration and Allocation subchapter (02E).

Recommendation: Staff recommends the initial determinations for all of these rules to be "necessary with substantive public interest." If approved by the EMC, the rules would then move to the public comment phase of the review.

Attachments enclosed: spreadsheet for rule subchapter 02E and powerpoint presentation