INDEPENDENT REGULATORY REVIEW COMMISSION
APPROVAL ORDER

Commissioners Voting:

George D. Bedwick, Chairman
John F. Mizner, Esq., Vice Chairman
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Murray Ufberg, Esq.
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Public Meeting Held November 19, 2026

Regulation No. 7-589 (#3472)
Environmental Quality Board
Safe Drinking Water Revised Consumer Confidence Report Rule

On December 3, 2025, the Independent Regulatory Review Commission (Commission) received this proposed regulation from the Environmental Quality Board (Board). This rulemaking amends 25 Pa. Code Chapter 109. The proposed regulation was published in the December 13, 2025 *Pennsylvania Bulletin* with a public comment period ending on January 12, 2026. The final-form regulation was submitted to the Commission on October 15, 2026.

The final-form rulemaking improves the readability, accuracy, and accessibility of Consumer Confidence Reports for Pennsylvania community water system consumers; updates the public notification and consumer confidence report requirements for public water systems that exceed the lead action level; and clarifies and ensures monitoring requirements are consistent for entry points at bottled, vended, retail and bulk hauling water systems that purchase water.

We have determined this regulation is consistent with the statutory authority of the Board (35 P.S. § 721.4) and the intention of the General Assembly. Having considered all of the other criteria of the Regulatory Review Act, we find promulgation of this regulation is in the public interest.

BY ORDER OF THE COMMISSION:

This regulation is approved.

THE INDEPENDENT REGULATORY REVIEW COMMISSION COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA

George D. Bedwick, Chairman