

NOTICE OF RULEMAKING

Pursuant to the Arkansas Administrative Procedure Act, the Ark. Natural Resources Commission proposes new rules to implement Act 691 of 2007, which amended Ark. Code § 15-22-503 and § 15-22-223. The Act allows the Commission to delineate geographic service areas when adjudicating applications for approval of water projects under the Arkansas Water Plan. It also provides the Commission with economic criteria to be considered when reviewing requests from Commission borrowers to transfer service area to other service providers.

A public hearing on the draft changes to ANRC Rules Title VI will be held on August 23, 2007, at 2:30 p.m., at the address below. Oral and written comments will be accepted at the hearing. In the interest of accuracy, written statements are preferred and will be considered if received by August 31, 2007, at 4:30 p.m. These rules are posted on the Commission's website at www.anrc.arkansas.gov or may be requested by telephoning the Commission's legal section at the number below.

Given this July 23, 2007.

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