

## BEFORE THE OHIO ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY 6/18/2025 Public Notice: Final Rulemaking Governing Laboratory Certification

Notice is hereby given that the Director of the Ohio Environmental Protection Agency (Ohio EPA) has final filed the following rules of the Ohio Administrative Code:

<u>Rule #</u>	<u>Title:</u>
3745-81-27	Analytical techniques.
3745-81-28	Acceptability of analytical results.
3745-89-01	Laboratory certification definitions.
3745-89-02	Analyses requiring laboratory certification.
3745-89-03	Procedure for laboratory certification.
3745-89-03	APPENDIX.
3745-89-04	Renewal of laboratory certification.
3745-89-05	Maintenance of a laboratory certification.
3745-89-06	Director's actions for laboratory certification.
3745-89-07	Laboratory certificate property of state; display.
3745-89-08	Analysis and Reporting.
3745-89-09	Interim authorization for plant control tests or MMO-MUG (SM 9223 B) tests.
3745-89-10	Interim authorization for new contaminants and new methods.
3745-89-11	Certified laboratories for the "Long Term 2 Enhanced Surface Water Treatment Rule".

3745-89-12 Alternate acceptance of laboratory certification.

The Director's order of adoption was issued on **6/17/2025**. This amended rule will become effective on **7/7/2025**.

The Director's action in this matter is pursuant to the procedural requirements of Ohio Revised Code Chapter 119 and is based upon the record of the public hearing conducted by Ohio EPA on May 9, 2025, no comments were received during the public comment period.

You are hereby notified that this action of the Director is final and may be appealed to the Environmental Review Appeals Commission pursuant to Section 3745.04 of the Ohio Revised Code. The appeal must be in writing and set forth the action complained of and the grounds upon which the appeal is based. The appeal must be filed with the Commission within thirty (30) days after notice of

the Director's action. The appeal must be accompanied by a filing fee of \$70.00, made payable to "Treasurer, State of Ohio," which the Commission, in its discretion, may reduce if by affidavit you demonstrate that payment of the full amount of the fee would cause extreme hardship. Notice of the filing of the appeal shall be filed with the Director within three (3) days of filing with the Commission. Ohio EPA requests that a copy of the appeal be served upon the Ohio Attorney General's Office, Environmental Enforcement Section. An appeal may be filed with the Environmental Review Appeals Commission at the following address:

Environmental Review Appeals Commission 30 East Broad Street, 4th floor Columbus, Ohio 4321